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Important Notes: (1) Students are advised to read the separate enclosed instructions before beginning the writing of assignments. (2) Out of 20 Internal Assignment marks per paper, 5 marks will be awarded for regularity (attendance) to Counseling/ Contact Programme classes pertaining to the paper. Therefore, the topics given below are only for 15 marks each paper. Answer all questions. Each question carries 05 marks.

PAPER I: ALGEBRA

1. a). Let G be a group in which i. $(ab)^3 = a^3b^3$ ii. $(ab)^5 = a^5b^5$ for all a, b in G . Show that G is abelian.
b). Let p be a prime dividing $o(G)$. Show that every sylow p -subgroup of G/K is of the form PK/K , where P is a sylow p -subgroup of G .
c). Prove that the product of any two ideals of a ring R is also an ideal of R .
2. a). Show by an example that we can have a finite commutative ring in which every maximal ideal need not be prime.
b). Let F be a field. If $A = \{(x, y, 0) : x, y \in F\}$, $B = \{(0, y, z) : y, z \in F\}$ be subspaces of $F^3(F)$, find the dimension of the subspace $A+B$.
c). Obtain the eigen values, eigen vectors and eigen spaces of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
3. a). Let T be a linear operator on a vector space V over F . If W_1, W_2, \dots, W_k are T -invariant subspaces of V , prove that $\sum_{i=1}^k W_i$ and $\bigcap_{i=1}^k W_i$ are T -invariant subspaces of V .
b). If $f(x) \in F[x]$ is irreducible over F , then show that all its roots have the same multiplicity.

PAPER II: Analysis-I

1. a) If x, y are real numbers, $x > 0$, show that there exists a positive integer n , such that $x > y^n$
b) For any $x > 0$, and for every positive integer n , show that there exist a unique $y \ni x = y^n$
c) Prove that between any two real numbers there exists infinitely many rationals.
2. a) A metric space is called separable if it contains a countable dense subset. Show that R^k is separable.
b) Let $f: [0,1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function and suppose that $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)$ exists. Prove that f is uniformly continuous on \mathbb{R} .
c) Give an example of an open cover of the segment $(0, 1)$ which has no finite subcover.
3. a) If f is a continuous mapping of a metric space X into metric space Y , prove that $f(\bar{E}) \subset \overline{f(E)}$ for every set $E \subset X$. Show, by an example, that $f(\bar{E})$ can be a proper subset of $\overline{f(E)}$.
b) A uniformly continuous function of a uniformly continuous function is uniformly continuous.
c) Suppose α increases on $[a, b]$, $a \leq x_0 \leq b$, α is continuous at x_0 , $f(x_0) = 1$, and $f(x_0) = 0$ if $x \neq x_0$. Prove that $f \in R(\alpha)$ and that $\int f d\alpha = 0$.

PAPER III: ANALYSIS-II

- 1.a) Prove that every uniformly convergent sequence of bounded functions is uniformly bounded.
- b) Let $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$ be a sequence of continuous functions which converges uniformly to a function f on a set E .
Prove that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x_n) = f(x)$ for every sequence of points $x_n \in E$ such that $x_n \rightarrow x$ and $x \in E$. Is the converse of this true?
- 2.a) suppose $\{f_n\}, \{g_n\}$ are defined on E and (i) $\sum f_n$ has uniformly bounded partial sums
(ii) $g_n \rightarrow 0$ uniformly on E
 $g_1(x) \geq g_2(x) \geq g_3(x) \geq \dots$ for every $x \in E$. Prove that $\sum f_n g_n$ converges uniformly on E .
- b) Prove that the series $\sum_{n=1}^\infty (-1)^n \frac{x^2+n}{n^2}$ converges uniformly in every bounded interval, but does not converge absolutely for any value of x .
- 3.a) If the partial derivatives f_x and f_y exists and are bounded in a region $R \subset R^2$, then show that f is continuous in R .
- b) Take $m = n = 1$ in the implicit function theorem and interpret the theorem graphically.

PAPER IV: DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

- 1.a) Explain the method of variation of parameters to find the solution of second order nonhomogeneous equations of the form $y'' + a_1y' + a_2y = b(x)$.
- b) Find the solution of i) $y'' + y = \cos x$ ii) $y'' + 4y' - 5y = e^{2x}$
- 2.a) Find the solution of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} + 5y = e^{-x} \sin x$, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$ using Laplace transform method.
- b) Find the integral surface of linear partial differential equation $x(y^2 + z) - y(x^2 + z)q = (x^2 - y^2)z$ which passes through the straight line $x + y = 0, z = 1$.
- 3.a) Reduce the partial differential equation $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} + x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \sin(x) \log(y)$ in to its canonical form.
- b) Obtain the solution of the partial differential equation $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$, $0 \leq x \leq a, 0 \leq y \leq b$ when subjected to the boundary conditions $u(0, y) = f_1(y)$, $u(a, y) = f_2(y)$, $u(x, 0) = g_1(x)$, $u(x, b) = g_2(x)$.
