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**First Year B.Sc. Degree Examination**

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**(Directorate of Distance Education)**

**(DSA 230) Paper I – MATHEMATICS**

*Time : 3 Hours]*

*[Max. Marks : 90*

**Instructions to Candidates :**

*Answer any **SIX** full questions of the following choosing atleast **ONE** from each Part.*

**PART – A**

1. (a) (i) Find the G.C.D. of 275 and 726. **2**  
(ii) If  $a/b$  and  $b/c$  then  $a/c$ . **2**  
(b) Find the remainder when  $2^{23}$  is divided by 47. **5**  
(c) State and prove Chinese Remainder theorem. **6**
2. (a) (i) Define symmetric and Transitive relations. **2**  
(ii) If  $f$  and  $g$  are real functions defined by  $f(x) = 2x^2 + 3x + 5$  and  $g(x) = 4x - 5$  find  $f \circ g$  and  $g \circ f$ . **2**  
(b) If  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is a function from  $x$  into  $y$  then for subsets  $A, B \in X$  and  $C, D \in Y$ . Prove that  $f^{-1}(C \cap D) = f^{-1}(C) \cap f^{-1}(D)$ . **5**  
(c) Find the partition of the set  $z$  of all integers defined by the equivalence relation  $a R b$  iff  $(a - b)$  is a multiple of 5. **6**

**PART – B**

3. (a) (i) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} f(x)$  where  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3}$  if it exists. **2**  
(ii) If  $x = a(\theta - \sin \theta)$ ,  $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$  then find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . **2**

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(b) If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1 & \text{when } x < 1 \\ 0 & \text{when } x = 1 \\ 1 - \frac{1}{x} & \text{when } x > 1 \end{cases}$

Show that the function is continuous at  $x = 1$ . **5**

(c) If  $y = x \sin(\log x) + x \log x$  prove that  $x^2 y_2 - x y_1 + 2y - x \log x = 0$ . **6**

4. (a) (i) Find  $\frac{dS}{dx}$  for the curve  $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = a^{2/3}$ . **2**

(ii) Show that the radius of curvature of the curve  $x^4 + y^4 = 2$  at  $(1, 1)$  is  $\sqrt{2}/3$ . **2**

(b) Show that the Pedal equation of the parabola  $y^2 = 4a(x+a)$  is  $p^2 = ar$ . **5**

(c) Find the evolute of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . **6**

**PART – C**

5. (a) (i) Find the equation of the plane passing through the point  $(0, 1, -2)$  and parallel to the plane  $2x - 3y + 4z = 0$ . **2**

(ii) Show that the planes  $5x + 7y + 2z + 1 = 0$  and  $10x + 14y + 4z + 5 = 0$  are parallel. **2**

(b) Find the equation of the plane passing through the points  $(2, -3, 4)$ ,  $(1, 2, 3)$  and  $(-5, 3, -1)$ . **5**

(c) Determine the mutual positions of the lines  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  where  $l_1 : \frac{x-1}{-1} = \frac{y-2}{1} = \frac{z}{2}$ ,  $l_2 : \frac{x-3}{-2} = \frac{y-4}{2} = \frac{z-6}{4}$  **6**

6. (a) (i) Find the equation of the sphere whose centre is  $(3, -4, 5)$  and radius is 7. **2**

(ii) Find the asymptotes parallel to the co-ordinate axes for the curve  $xy^2 = 4a^2(2a - x)$ . **2**

(b) Find all the asymptotes of the curve  $x^3 + y^3 - 3axy = 0$ . **5**

(c) Find the area bounded by the cardioid  $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ . **6**

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**PART – D**

7. (a) (i) Express the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 7 \\ 9 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  as the sum of symmetric and skew symmetric matrix. **2**

(ii) Find the eigenvalues of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . **2**

(b) Find the Rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 & -4 \\ 3 & -2 & 2 & -2 \\ 5 & -8 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . **5**

(c) Verify whether the following system of equations is consistent. If consistent solve

$$x + y + z + 3 = 0$$

$$3x + y - 2z + 2 = 0 \quad \mathbf{6}$$

$$2x + 5y + 7z - 7 = 0$$

8. (a) (i) Evaluate  $\int \frac{dx}{\sec x + \tan x}$ . **2**

(ii)  $\int_0^{\pi} \sin^3 x \cos^2 x dx$  **2**

(b) Evaluate  $\int \frac{\sin x}{\sin x + \cos x} dx$ . **5**

(c) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\pi} \frac{x}{1 + \sin x} dx$ . **6**

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