

**B.A/B.Sc 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (Honours) Examination, 2020 (CBCS)**  
**Subject: Mathematics**  
**Course: BMH1CC01 (Calculus, Geometry and Differential Equation)**

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to write their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

[Notation and Symbols have their usual meaning]

**1. Answer any six questions:**

5×6 = 30

- (a) (i) Prove that  $\sinh^{-1}x = \log(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$ , for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . [2+3]  
(ii) Find the points of inflexion, if any, of the curve  $y = e^{-x^2}$ .
- (b) (i) Trace the curve  $x = y(y^2 - 1)$ . [3+2]  
(ii) Find the nature of concavity of the curves (i)  $y = x^4$  and (ii)  $y = e^x$ .
- (c) (i) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^5 x dx$  by reduction formula. [2+3]  
(ii) Derive a reduction formula for  $\int x(\log x)^n dx$  for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .
- (d) (i) Find the parametric equations of (i)  $y = \cosh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{5}\right)$  (ii)  $x^2 - y^2 = 4$ . [2+3]  
(ii) State Wallis's formula and hence evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^7 \theta \cos^8 \theta d\theta$ .
- (e) (i) Prove that the linear part of the equation [2+3]  
$$4x^2 - 12xy + 9y^2 + 4x + 6y + 1 = 0$$
cannot be made to disappear by only change of parallel axes.  
(ii) Prove that the length of the focal chord of the conic  $\frac{l}{r} = 1 - e \cos \theta$ , which is inclined to the initial line at an angle  $\alpha$ , is  $\frac{2l}{1 - e^2 \cos^2 \alpha}$ .
- (f) (i) Find the equations of the generating lines of the paraboloid [3+2]  
 $(x + y + z)(2x + y - z) = 6z$  which pass through the point (1,1,1).  
(ii) Find the equation of the right circular cylinder whose axis is  $x = y = z$  and radius is 5 units.
- (g) (i) Solve:  $2ydx - xdy = xy^3 dy$ . [2+3]  
(ii) Solve  $p = \sin(y - px)$ ,  $p \equiv \frac{dy}{dx}$  for general and singular solutions.
- (h) (i) Solve:  $\sin x \frac{dy}{dx} + y^2 = y \cos x$ . [3+2]  
(ii) Solve:  $(y^2 e^{xy^2} + 4x^3)dx + (2xye^{xy^2} - 3y^2)dy = 0$ .

**2. Answer any three questions:**

10×3 = 30

- (a) (i) If  $x = \tan^{-1}(\log y)$  then prove that [3+3+4]  
 $(1 + x^2)y_{n+1} + (2nx - 1)y_n + n(n - 1)y_{n-1} = 0.$
- (ii) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\tan x}{x}\right)^{\frac{1}{x^2}}.$
- (iii) Find the asymptotes to the curve,  
 $x^4 - 5x^2y^2 + 4y^4 + x^2 - 2y^2 + 2x + y + 7 = 0.$
- (b) (i) Find the entire surface area of the solid formed by the revolution of the [4+3+3]  
 cardioide  $r = a(1 + \cos\theta)$  about the initial line.
- (ii) If  $I_n = \int_0^{\pi} x^n \sin x dx$  and  $n > 1$  then show that  

$$I_n + n(n - 1)I_{n-2} = n\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^{n-1}.$$
- (iii) Find the length of the curve  $x = e^\theta \sin\theta, y = e^\theta \cos\theta$   
 from  $\theta = 0$  to  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$
- (c) (i) Reduce the following to the canonical form [4+4+2]  
 $8x^2 - 12xy + 17y^2 + 16x - 12y + 3 = 0.$
- (ii) A cone has for its guiding curve the circle  
 $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2by = 0, z = 0$  and passes through a fixed point  $(0,0, c)$ .  
 If the section of the cone by the plane  $x = 0$  is a rectangular hyperbola then  
 prove that the vertex lies on the fixed circle  
 $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ax + 2by = 0, 2ax + 2by + cz = 0.$
- (iii) Find the equations to the generating lines of the hyperboloid  
 $\frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{9}y^2 - \frac{1}{16}z^2 = 1$  which pass through the point  $(2, -1, \frac{4}{3}).$
- (d) (i) Solve:  $(x^2y^3 + 2xy)dy = dx,$  given that when  $x = 1, y = 1.$  [3+3+4]
- (ii) Using the transformation  $x^2\sqrt{y} = v,$  solve  
 $(2 + 2x^2\sqrt{y})ydx + (x^2\sqrt{y} + 2)xdy = 0.$
- (iii) By the substitution  $x^2 = u, y^2 = v$  (or, otherwise) reduce the equation  
 $x^2 + y^2 - (p + p^{-1})xy = c^2$  to Clairaut's form and find the general  
 integral and singular solution.
- (e) (i) If the astroid  $x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = c^{2/3}$  is the envelope of the family of ellipses [4+3+3]  
 $\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right)^2 = 1$  then prove that  $a + b = c.$
- (ii) Find the length of the parabola  $x^2 = 20y$  measured from the vertex to an  
 extremity of its latus rectum.
- (iii) Find the equation of a circle passing through the points  $(2, -1, -3),$   
 $(1, 1, -3), (-1, 5, 0).$