





**Group – B**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

3 x5 = 15

**Answer any three from the following :**

2. Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^x - e^{-x} - 2x}{x - \sin x}$ . 5
3. Using Lagrange’s MVT, prove  $0 < \frac{1}{x} \log \frac{e^x - 1}{x} < 1$ . 5
4. Express  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 7 & 2 & 6 \\ 2 & 8 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  as P+Q, where P is a symmetric matrix and Q is a skew symmetric matrix. 3+2
5. Expand by Laplace method to prove that 
$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c & d \\ -a & b & c & d \\ -a & -b & c & d \\ -a & -b & -c & d \end{vmatrix} = 8abc$$
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6. Show that  $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{x^3} dx$  exists in Cauchy’s principal value sense but not in the general sense. 5

**Group – C**

(Long Answer Type Questions)

3x 15 = 45

**Answer any three from the following :**

7. (a) Determine the conditions under which the system of equations 
$$\begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 1 \\ x + 2y - z &= k \\ 5x + 7y + az &= k^2 \end{aligned}$$
 admits (i) only one solution (ii) no solution (iii) many solutions 7
- (b) Using Laplace’s method of expansion, prove that : 
$$\begin{vmatrix} x & y & -u & -v \\ y & x & v & u \\ u & v & x & y \\ -v & -u & y & x \end{vmatrix} = (x^2 + v^2 - y^2 - u^2)^2$$
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- (c) If  $x^2 + y^2 = 14xy$ , prove that  $2 \log \left( \frac{x+y}{4} \right) = \log x - \log y$  3
8. (a) If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , show that  $A^2 - 6A - 9I_3 = O$ . Hence obtain a matrix B such that  $BA = I_3$ . 4
- (b) Prove that the set  $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ x_3 & x_4 \end{pmatrix} : x_1 + x_2 = 0, x_i \in R \right\}$  is a subspace of the space of real matrices of size  $2 \times 2$ . Find a basis of S and hence determine the dimension of S. 5
- (c) Is Rolle's Theorem applicable for the function  $f(x) = (x-p)^m(x-q)^n, x \in [p, q]$ , where  $m, n$  are positive integers? If so, find the constant  $c$  of Rolle's Theorem, where  $c$  has its usual meaning. 6
9. (a) Obtain the Fourier series to represent  $f(x) = x^2$  in  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ . Hence, show that  $\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots \infty = \frac{\pi^2}{8}$  7
- (b) Prove that  $\beta(m, n) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx$ . 4
- (c) If  $z = x + iy$  and  $|z+6| = |2z+3|$  prove that  $x^2 + y^2 = 9$ . 4
10. (a) Find Fourier sine series for  $f(x) = e^x$  in  $0 < x < \pi$ . 4
- (b) State Cayley-Hamilton Theorem and verify the same for the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ . Hence find  $A^{-1}$  and  $A^8$ . 6
- (c) State D'Alembert's Ratio test. Using this test, examine the convergence of the following series  $1 + \frac{2^a}{2!} + \frac{3^a}{3!} + \frac{4^a}{4!} + \dots \infty$  ( $a > 0$ ) 2+3
11. (a) If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , find the rank of the matrix  $A + A^2$  5
- (b) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \right\}$  5
- (c) State Maclaurin's theorem for infinite series. Expand the functions  $e^{ax}$  in powers of  $x$  in an infinite series. 5