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**(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2011-12 & thereafter)**

**SUBJECT CODE : 11MT/PE/BM24**

**M. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2014**  
**BRANCH I – MATHEMATICS**  
**SECOND SEMESTER**

<b>COURSE</b>	<b>: ELECTIVE</b>
<b>PAPER</b>	<b>: BASIC MATHEMATICAL METHODS</b>
<b>TIME</b>	<b>: 3 HOURS</b>
	<b>MAX. MARKS : 100</b>

**SECTION -A**

**Answer all the questions:** **5×2=10**

1. If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 9 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$ , find  $4u - 3v - 2w$ .

2. Define Into and Onto function with an example.

3. Evaluate  $\int \frac{1}{x^2-25} dx$ .

4. Find the coefficient of  $x^5$  in the expansion of  $e^{2-3x}$ .

5. Solve  $(D^2 - 8D + 16)y = 0$ .

**SECTION -B**

**Answer any five questions:** **5×6=30**

6. Find matrices  $x$  and  $y$  of order two such that  $5x - 2y = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 1 \\ 7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ ;  $4x - 3y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -8 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

7. a) Prove that  $\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$ .

b) Find  $dy/dx$  if  $y = \log(e^{4x-5})$ . (3+3)

8. Evaluate the following a)  $\int \cos x \cos 2x dx$ ; b)  $\int \frac{x^4}{\sqrt{x^5-2}} dx$ . (3+3)

9. Evaluate the following  $\int \frac{\sin^2 x}{1 + \cos x} dx$ .

10. Find the maxima and minima of the function  $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 36x + 10$ .

11. Find the sum to  $n$  terms of the series  $.5+.55+.555+\dots$

12. Solve  $(D^2 - 2D + 1)y = e^{2x}$ .

**SECTION -C****Answer any three questions:****3×20=60**

13. a) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find  $A^{-1}$  and  $g(A)$  if  $g(x) = 2x^2 - 4$ .

b) Find the product  $AB$  and  $BA$  if exists where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 & 4 \\ 6 & -4 & 7 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & 6 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

c) State any four properties of matrices.

(8+8+4)

14. a) Given  $f(x) = x + 3, g(x) = 2x + 7, h(x) = x^2$ , check whether  $(f \circ g) \circ h = f \circ (g \circ h)$ .

b) Differentiate with respect to  $x$ :

$$(i) \tanh^{-1} x \quad (ii) x^2 \log(\cosec x) e^x \quad (iii) \frac{3x+7}{\log 2x}. \quad (8+12)$$

15. a) Evaluate  $\int_1^2 \left( x^2 - 3x^{1/2} + \frac{1}{x^2} \right) dx$

b) Find the value of  $y$  at  $x = 6$  using Lagrange's interpolation formula from the data given below.

$x$	3	7	9	10
$y$	168	120	72	63

(8+12)

16. a) Find the four numbers in AP whose sum is 16 and the product is 105.

b) Sum to infinity the series  $1 + \frac{1+2}{2!} + \frac{1+2+2^2}{3!} + \frac{1+2+2^2+2^3}{4!} + \dots \infty$

(10+10)

17. a) Solve  $y^2 + x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = xy \frac{dy}{dx}$

b) Solve  $(D^2 - 8D + 9)y = e^{2x} + 6\sin 5x$ . (10+10)

