

III Semester B.A./B.Sc. Examination, Nov./Dec. 2010
(Semester Scheme)
MATHEMATICS (Paper – III)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 90

*Instruction : Answer all questions.*I. Answer **any fifteen** of the following :**(15×2=30)**

- 1) In a finite group G , prove that $O(a) = O(a^{-1})$.
- 2) State the Lagrange's theorem for finite groups.
- 3) Show that group $G = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$ is cyclic under \otimes_{10} .
- 4) Find the index of the sub-group $\{0, 3\}$ in the group $\{Z_6, \oplus_6\}$.
- 5) In a finite group G of order n , prove that $a^n = e, \forall a \in G$.
- 6) Find the order of all the elements of the group (Z_4, \oplus_4) .
- 7) Define a convergent sequence.

8) Find the limit of the sequence $\left\{ \left(1 + \frac{a}{n} \right)^{\frac{n}{b}} \right\}$.

9) Define a monotonic increasing sequence.

10) Show that the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)}$ is convergent.

11) Discuss the convergence of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n+2}{n^3+1}$.

12) Show that the series $1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots \infty$ is convergent.



13) State D'Alembert's Ratio test for a series of positive terms.

14) Sum to infinity of $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 2^2} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 2^3} + \dots \infty$.

15) If $f(x)$ is continuous at $x = a$, then prove that $|f(x)|$ is also continuous at $x = a$.

16) Verify Rolle's theorem for the function $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 8$ in $[2, 4]$.

17) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log \sin x}{\cot x}$.

18) Show that $\sinh(x) = x + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$

19) Write the Fourier series expansion and expression for Fourier coefficients of a periodic function.

20) Find the half range sine series of $f(x) = x$ in $(0, \pi)$.

II. Answer **any three** of the following :

(3×5=15)

1) Prove that every sub-group of a cyclic group is cyclic.

2) Find all the generators of the cyclic group $(\mathbb{Z}_{20}, \oplus_{20})$.

3) Find all the distinct cosets of the sub-group $H = \{1, 3, 9\}$ of the group $G = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 12\}$ w.r.t. \otimes_{13} .

4) Prove that a group of prime order is cyclic and has no proper sub-groups.

5) If p is a prime number and 'a' is any integer then prove that $a^p \equiv a \pmod{p}$.

III. Answer **any two** of the following :

(2×5=10)

1) Discuss the nature of the sequence $\left\{n^{\frac{1}{n}}\right\}$.

2) Prove that a monotonic decreasing sequence bounded below is convergent.

3) Examine the nature of the sequence

a) $\left\{\sqrt{n}(\sqrt{n+4} - \sqrt{n})\right\}$ b) $\left\{(-1)^n \binom{n+1}{n}\right\}$

IV. Answer **any three** of the following :

(3×5=15)

1) State and prove Cauchy's root test for a series of positive terms.

2) Show that the series $\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1.2}{3.5} + \frac{1.2.3}{3.5.7} + \dots$ is convergent.

3) Discuss the convergence of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4.7.10\dots(3n+1)}{1.2.3\dots n} x^n$.

4) Examine the convergence of the series $1 - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{4\sqrt{4}} + \dots$ to ∞ .

5) Find the sum of $\frac{1}{1.2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4.5} + \frac{1}{5.6.7} + \dots$ to ∞

V. Answer **any two** of the following :

(2×5=10)

1) Prove that a function defined and continuous on a closed interval is bounded.

2) State and prove Lagrange's mean value theorem.

3) Expand $\log_e(1+x)$ in Maclaurin's series upto the term containing x^4 .

4) Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (1 + \sin x)^{\cot x}$.

VI. Answer **any two** of the following :

(2×5=10)

1) Obtain the Fourier series of the periodic function of period 2π given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & -\pi < x < 0 \\ x, & 0 < x < \pi \end{cases} \text{ and hence deduced that } \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{8}.$$

2) Obtain the Fourier series for the function $f(x) = x - x^2$ in $(-1, 1)$ of period 2.

3) Find the half range cosine series of the periodic function $f(x) = x^2$ in $(0, \pi)$.