

FIRST SEMESTER DIPLOMA EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING/  
TECHNOLOGY—OCTOBER, 2011

TECHNICAL MATHEMATICS-I  
(Common—except DCP and CABM)

[Time : 3 hours

(Maximum marks : 100)

PART—A

(Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks.)

Marks

I (a) If  $\begin{vmatrix} 3x & 7 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$  find x.

(b) If  ${}^n C_{20} = {}^n C_{23}$ , find n.

(c) If  $\cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ , find  $\sin \theta$  and  $\tan \theta$ .

(d) If  $\sin \theta = a$ , find  $\sin 3\theta$ .

(e) Find the slope of the line joining the vertices (2, 6), (4, 0) (5×2=10)

PART—B

(Answer any five questions. Each question carries 6 marks.)

II (a) Solve using determinants :

$$x + y + z = 3$$

$$2x + 3y + z = -6$$

$$x - y - z = -3.$$

(b) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Evaluate AB and BA.

(c) Find the middle term of  $(x^2 + \frac{1}{x})^{12}$

(d) Prove that  $\sin \theta + \sin 3\theta + \sin 5\theta + \sin 7\theta = 4 \cos \theta \cdot \cos 2\theta \cdot \sin 4\theta$ .

(e) Find the equation of a line parallel and perpendicular to  $2x - 3y + 10 = 0$  and passing through (1, 1).

(f) Prove that  $\cos 3A = 4 \cos^3 A - 3 \cos A$ .

(g) The straight line through (4, 3) makes intercepts of 4a and 3a on the X axis and Y axis respectively find 'a'. (5×6=30)

## PART—C

(Answer one full question from each unit. Each question carries 15 marks.)

## UNIT—I

III (a) Solve for 'x' if  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & x & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ . 4

(b) Express the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  as the sum of a symmetric and skew symmetric matrices. 6

(c) Find the inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  5

OR

IV (a) Find the value of 'p', if the system  $2x + 3y + 9 = 0$ ;  $4x + py + 13 = 0$  and  $px - 2y - 25 = 0$  is consistent. 5

(b) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  show that  $A^2 - 4A - 5I = 0$ . 5

(c) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$   $B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 5 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  show that  $(A B)^{-1} = B^{-1} A^{-1}$ . 5

## UNIT—II

V (a) Expand  $\left(x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}\right)^5$  binomially. 4

(b) Find the 10th term in the expansion of  $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{20}$ . 6

(c) Prove that  $\frac{\sin A}{1 + \cos A} + \frac{1 + \cos A}{\sin A} = 2 \operatorname{Cosec} A$ . 5

OR

VI (a) Find the middle term of the expansion  $\left(2x + \frac{3}{x}\right)^9$  5

(b) Find the coefficient of  $x^4$  in the expansion of  $\left(x^4 - \frac{1}{x^3}\right)^{15}$  4

(c) If  $\sin A = \frac{1}{2}$ , A lies in first quadrant find all t - functions. 6

## UNIT—III

- VII (a) If  $\tan A = \frac{18}{17}$ ,  $\tan B = \frac{1}{35}$ , prove that  $A - B = 45^\circ$ . 4
- (b) Prove that  $\frac{\cos(90 + A) \sec(360 + A) \tan(150 - A)}{\sec(A - 720) (\sin 540 + A) \cot(A - 90)} = 1$ . 6
- (c) Prove that in  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $(a + b) \sin \frac{C}{2} = c \cos \frac{A - B}{2}$ . 5

OR

- VIII (a) Express  $\sqrt{3} \cos x + \sin x$  in the form  $R \sin(x + \alpha)$ . 5
- (b) Show that  $\cos 20^\circ \cos 40^\circ \cos 60^\circ \cos 80^\circ = \frac{1}{16}$ . 6
- (c) In a  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $A = 30^\circ$   $C = 45^\circ$   $a = 2$  cm. Find  $C$ . 4

## UNIT—IV

- IX (a) Solve  $\Delta ABC$ , Given  $a = 24.5$   $b = 18.6$   $c = 26.4$ . 5
- (b) The  $x$ -intercept of a line is 3 times its  $y$ -intercept. The line passes through  $(-2, 3)$ . Find its equation. 5
- (c) Find the value of 'k' for which the lines:  
 $5x + 2y - 4 = 0$   
 $2x + ky + 11 = 0$   
 $3x - 4y - 18 = 0$  are concurrent. 5

OR

- X (a) Solve  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $a = 4$   $b = 5$   $C = 50^\circ$ . 5
- (b) Find the equation to the straight line passes through the point of intersection of the lines  $x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $2x + 3y + 2 = 0$  and parallel to  $x + y - 6 = 0$ . 5
- (c) Find the foot of the perpendicular from the origin to the line  $3x - 2y - 13 = 0$ . 5