

Roll No.

Subject Code—4388

M. Sc. EXAMINATION

(Second Semester)

(Main)

MATHEMATICS

MAL-523

Methods of Applied Mathematics

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any *Five* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Define Fourier transform and evaluate it for the function :

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & |t| \leq a \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Hence evaluate

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(sa) \cos(st)}{s} ds$$

- (b) Find Fourier cosine transform of :

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2}.$$

2. (a) Using Fourier transforms, solve :

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, x > 0, t > 0.$$

subject to conditions :

(i) $u = 0$, when $x = 0, t > 0$

(ii) $u = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$ when $t = 0$

and $u(x, t)$ is bounded.

- (b) Obtain expression for curl \vec{F} in orthogonal curvilinear co-ordinates and deduce it in cylindrical coordinates.

3. (a) Represent the vector :

$$\vec{A} = z\hat{i} - 2x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$$

in spherical co-ordinates.

- (b) Let \vec{A} be a given vector defined in two general curvilinear co-ordinate systems (u_1, u_2, u_3) and $(\bar{u}_1, \bar{u}_2, \bar{u}_3)$. Find the relation between the covariant components of the vector in the two co-ordinate systems.

4. (a) Define a random variable and mathematical expectation. A continuous random variable X has density function $f(x) = 3x^2, 0 \leq x \leq 1$. Find 'a' and 'b' such that $P(X \leq a) = P(X > a)$ and $P(X > b) = 0.05$.

- (b) Define moment generating function. If X assumes the value 'r' with probability $P(X = r) = pq^{r-1}, r = 1, 2, \dots$. Find moment generating function and hence mean and variance.

5. (a) Prove the following for Binomial distribution :

$$\mu_{r+1} = pq \left[nr\mu_{r-1} + \frac{d\mu_r}{dp} \right]$$

- (b) Prove that all cumulants are equal for a Poisson distribution. Also prove that moment generating function of Binomial distribution tends to the m.g.f. of the Poisson distribution as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and $np = m$ is finite.
6. (a) Define geometric distribution. Derive expression its M.G.E. and hence find its mean and variance.
- (b) Prove that in a Normal distribution, the Mean, Media and Mode coincide.
7. (a) Prove that for a Normal distribution, the standard deviation is the distance from the axis of symmetry to a point of Inflexion.

- (b) Prove that :

$$\sigma_{1.23}^2 = \frac{\omega}{\omega_{11}} \sigma_1^2$$

with usual notations.

8. (a) Define Partial correlation and prove that :

$$r_{12.3} = \frac{r_{12} - r_{13}r_{23}}{\sqrt{(1 - r_{13}^2)(1 - r_{23}^2)}}$$

- (b) Define t -distribution and obtain its Mean and Variance.