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(2014 Admn. Onwards)
CORE COURSE IN MATHEMATICS
5B08 MAT – Vector Calculus

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 48

SECTION – A

All the four questions are compulsory. Each question carries 1 mark :

1. Find the gradient of the function $f(x, y) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$ at (1, 1).
2. If $w = \sin(x + 2z)$ and $x^3 + z^3 = 3$, find $\frac{dw}{dx}$ using chain rule.
3. Evaluate $\int_C 9x^2y \, dx$ where C is given by $x = t^2, y = t^3, 0 \leq t \leq 2$.
4. Write the formula for finding the surface area of a surface S given by $F(x, y, z) = C$, defined over the planar region R. (4×1=4)

SECTION – B

Answer any 8 questions from questions 5 to 14. Each question carries 2 marks :

5. Write the vector equation of a line in a plane passing through (1, 2) and making an angle $\frac{\pi}{3}$ with the positive X-axis.
6. Find the length of the curve $r(t) = 3\cos t \, i - 3\sin t \, j - 4t \, k, 1 \leq t \leq 3$.
7. Find the directional derivative of $f(x, y) = e^{2xy}$ at (-2, 0) in the direction of $i + j$.

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8. If $w = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ and $z^3 + xyz + yz^2 = 0$, find $\frac{\partial w}{\partial x}$ at $(x, y, z) = (1, 1, 0)$ treating x and y as independent variables.
9. Find the linear approximation $L(x, y)$ of the function $f(x, y) = e^{2y+x}$ at $(2, 3)$.
10. If $\phi(x, y) = 3\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$, find $\text{div}(\text{grad}(\phi))$.
11. Find the flux of $F = (x - y)\mathbf{i} + x\mathbf{j}$ across the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ in the XY -plane.
12. If the force $F = 4x\mathbf{i} + 4y\mathbf{j}$ is acting on a particle moving it along the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{i} + (1 + 2t)\mathbf{j}$ from $(1, 3)$ to $(3, 7)$, find the work done by the force.
13. Find a parametrization of the surface of the paraboloid $z = 16 - x^2 - y^2$, $z \geq 0$.
14. State the Gauss divergence theorem. (8×2=16)

SECTION – C

Answer **any 4** questions from questions **15 to 20**. Each question carries **4** marks :

15. Find the equation of the plane through the points $A(1, 0, 2)$, $B(1, 1, 1)$, $C(1, 2, 3)$.
16. Show that $\frac{d}{dt}(U \cdot V) = \frac{d}{dt}(U) \cdot V + U \cdot \frac{d}{dt}(V)$, where U, V are functions of t into \mathbb{R}^2 .
17. Use the Taylor's formula for $f(x, y) = e^x \cos y$ at the origin to find the quadratic approximation of f . Hence find approximate value of $f(0.1, 0.2)$.
18. Find $\text{Curl}(F \times G)$ at $(1, 2, 0)$ where $F(x, y, z) = 3x^2\mathbf{i} + 2xy\mathbf{j} + 2yz\mathbf{k}$ and $G(x, y, z) = 4yz\mathbf{i} + y^2\mathbf{j} + xyz\mathbf{k}$.
19. Using Green's theorem, find the area enclosed by the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 4$.
20. Evaluate the surface integral $\iint_{\sigma} y^2 z^2 \, dS$, where σ is the part of the cone $z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ that lies between the planes $z = 1$ and $z = 2$. (4×4=16)



SECTION – D

Answer **any 2** questions from questions **21** to **24**. Each question carries **6** marks :

21. Find the unit tangent vector, unit normal vector and the binormal vector at $t = 0$ for the curve $r(t) = 2\cos t \mathbf{i} + 2\sin t \mathbf{j} + 4t\mathbf{k}$.
 22. Find the absolute maximum and minimum values of the function $f(x, y) = 3xy - 6x - 3y + 7$ on the closed triangular region R with vertices $(0, 0)$, $(3, 0)$ and $(0, 5)$.
 23. Check whether the vector field $F = (6xy + z^3)\mathbf{i} + (3x^2 - z)\mathbf{j} + (3xz^2 - y)\mathbf{k}$ is conservative or not. If conservative, find its scalar potential function.
 24. Verify Stoke's theorem for the vector field $F(x, y, z) = 2z\mathbf{i} + 3x\mathbf{j} + 5y\mathbf{k}$, taking the surface to be the portion of the paraboloid $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$ for $z \geq 0$, with upward orientation, and the curve to be the positively oriented circle of intersection of the paraboloid with the XY -plane. (2×6=12)
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