



SB-2732

M. Sc. (Sem. - II) Examination

March / April - 2011

Paper - 501 : Mathematics
(Differential Geometry)

Time : Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

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- (2) All questions are compulsory.
(3) Follow usual notations.
(4) Marks are equally distributed.

- 1 (a) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition for a curve to be a helix is that its curvature bears a constant ratio with its torsion at any point. 7
(b) Find curvature and torsion for the circular helix $x = a \cos(\theta); y = a \sin(\theta); z = a\theta \cot(\alpha)$ 7

OR

- (b) For the space curve in usual notations prove that : 7
 $[t' t'' t'''] = k^3 [kT' - k'T]$.
- 2 (a) State equation of involute and derive its formula to find curvature and Torsion . 7
(b) Find the envelop of family of plances $3a^2x - 3ay + z = a^3$. Also show that its edge of regression is the curve intersecting surfaces $xz = y^2$ and $xy = z$. 7

OR

- (b) Find the equation of involute and evolute of the circular helix. $\bar{r} = (a \cos \theta; a \sin \theta; a \theta \tan \alpha)$ 7

- 3 (a) State and prove Serret-Frenet formula. 7

OR

- (a) Define osculating plane. Derive equation of osculating plane. Find the osculating plane at the point (0,0,0) on the helix : $x = a \cos \theta; y = a \sin \theta; z = a \theta$ 7
- (b) In usual notations prove that : 7

$$x''^2 + y''^2 + z''^2 = \frac{1}{(\sigma\rho)^2} + \frac{\rho'^2 + 1}{\rho^4}.$$

- 4 (a) Define first and second curvature. Derive equation to determine principal curvature in the form : 7

$$H^2 k^2 - (EN - 2FM + GL)k + T^2 = 0.$$

- (b) If ψ is an angle between two directions given by 7

$$Pdu^2 + 2Qdud\vartheta + Rd\vartheta^2 = 0 \text{ then prove that}$$

$$\tan(\psi) = \frac{2H\sqrt{Q^2 - PR}}{ER - 2FQ + GP}$$

OR

- (b) If two parametric curves through any point of surface 7

$$\text{cut an angle } w \text{ then prove that } \tan(w) = \frac{H}{F}.$$

- 5 (a) State and prove Euler's theorem on normal curvature. 7

OR

- (a) Define conjugate direction. Obtain an analytical expression for two directions (du, dv) and $(\delta u, \delta v)$ to be conjugate. 7
- (b) Define the terms : 7
- (i) Space curve.
 - (ii) Curvature of a space curve
 - (iii) Torsion of a space curve.
- State and prove necessary and sufficient conditions for a space curve to be a (i) Straight line, (ii) Plane curve.
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