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**CC8-MATHEMATICS**

**MULTIVARIATE CALCULUS**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
All symbols are of usual significance.*

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any four questions from the following**

3×4 = 12

1. Let  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 + y^3}{x - y} & , x \neq y \\ 0 & , x = y \end{cases}$  3
- Show that  $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} f(x, y)$  does not exist.
2. Find the directional derivative of  $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$  at  $(1, 1)$  in the direction of unit vector  $\beta = \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$ . 3
3. If  $V = f(xyz)$ , prove that  $x \frac{\partial V}{\partial x} = y \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} = z \frac{\partial V}{\partial z}$ . 3
4. Evaluate  $\int_0^1 \int_{x^2}^x xy \, dx \, dy$  by changing the order of integration. 3
5. Show that the vector  $\vec{V} = (4xy - z^3)\hat{i} + 2x^2\hat{j} - 3xz^2\hat{k}$  is irrotational. 3
6. By using double integration formula find the area of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ . 3

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any four questions from the following**

6×4 = 24

7. Let  $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $(a, b) \in D$ . Let one of the partial derivatives  $f_x$  and  $f_y$  exists and the other is continuous at  $(a, b)$ . Prove that  $f$  is differentiable at  $(a, b)$ . 6
8. If  $u = \log r$  and  $r^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ , prove that  $r^2 \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} \right) = 1$  6
9. Prove that  $\int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dy \neq \int_0^1 dy \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} dx$ . 6

10. State Stoke's theorem. Verify Stoke's theorem for 6  

$$\vec{A} = (2x - y)\hat{i} - yz^2\hat{j} - y^2z\hat{k},$$
 where the surface  $S$  is the upper half surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  and  $C$  is its boundary.
11. Evaluate  $\iint (1-x-y)^{l-1} x^{m-1} y^{n-1} dx dy$  taken over the interior of the triangle 6  
 formed by the lines  $x = 0, y = 0; x + y = 1;$  where  $l, m, n$  being all positive.
12. Define a conservative vector field. Prove that a vector field  $\vec{F}$  is conservative 1+5 = 6  
 over a region, if and only if  $\oint \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$  be zero along any closed curve in the region.

**GROUP-C**

**Answer any two questions from the following**

12×2 = 24

- 13.(a) Show that  $\iint \{2a^2 - 2a(x+y) - (x^2 + y^2)\} dx dy = 8\pi a^4$ , the region of integration 6  
 being the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 2a(x+y) = 2a^2$ .
- (b) Let  $f$  be a differentiable function of two independent variables  $u, v$  and  $u, v$  be 6  
 differentiable functions of one independent variable  $x$ . Prove that  $f$  is a  
 differentiable function of  $x$  and  $\frac{df}{dx} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial v} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$ .
- 14.(a) Let  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x^2 \tan^{-1} \frac{y}{x} - y^2 \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{y} & , xy \neq 0 \\ 0 & , xy = 0 \end{cases}$  6  
 Show that  $f_{xy}(0, 0) \neq f_{yx}(0, 0)$ .
- (b) Evaluate  $\iint_R \frac{\sqrt{a^2b^2 - b^2x^2 - a^2y^2}}{\sqrt{a^2b^2 + b^2x^2 + a^2y^2}} dx dy$  the field of integration being  $R$ , the 6  
 positive quadrant of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .
- 15.(a) Use Divergence theorem to evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S}$  where  $S$  is the surface enclosing 6  
 the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 4, z = 0, z = 3$  and  $\vec{F} = 4x\hat{i} - 2y^2\hat{j} + z^2\hat{k}$ .
- (b) Apply Green's theorem in the plane to evaluate 6  

$$\oint_C \{(y - \sin x) dx + \cos x dy\}$$
 where  $C$  is the triangle enclosed by the lines  $y = 0, x = \pi, y = \frac{2x}{\pi}$ .
- 16.(a) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition that the vector field defined by 2+4 = 6  
 the vector point function  $\vec{F}$  with continuous derivatives be conservative is that  
 $\text{curl } \vec{F} = \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = 0$ .
- (b) Use Stoke's theorem to prove that 6  
 (i)  $\text{curl grad } \phi = 0$ , where  $\phi$  is a scalar function.  
 (ii)  $\text{div curl } \vec{F} = 0$ , where  $F$  is a vector field.

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