MATHEMATICS

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

PART A — $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any SIX questions.

1. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ when $y = x^{x^{--\infty}}$.

2. If $x = \sin t$ $y = \cos pt$ prove that $(1-x^2)y''-xy'+p^2y=0.$

3. Integrate $I = \int \frac{dx}{(2 \sin x + 3 \cos x)^2}$.

4. Evaluate $\int_{0}^{\pi/2} \frac{\sqrt{\sin x}}{\sqrt{\sin x} + \sqrt{\cos x}} dx.$

- Find by vector method the angle between the 5. diagonals of a cube.
- 6. Find the rank of the matrix by reducing it into

normal form
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
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- 7. Prove that the lines joining the origin to the points of intersection of the line x y = 2 and the curve $5x^2 + 12xy 8y^2 + 8x 4y + 12 = 0$ make equal angles with the axes.
- 8. Find the equations of the tangents to the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ which pass through (7, 1).
- 9. Find the mean, median and mode for the following data 18, 15, 18, 16, 17, 18, 15, 19, 17, 17.
- 10. Between the hours 2 pm and 4 pm the average number of phone calls per minute coming into the switch board of a company is 2.35. Find the probability that during one particular minute there will be atmost 2 phone calls.

PART B —
$$(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$$

Answer any FOUR questions.

- 11. Find the angle of intersection between the curves $x^2 y^2 = a^2$ and $x^2 + y^2 = a^2\sqrt{2}$.
- 12. Evaluate $\int (3x + 2) \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} \ dx$.
- 13. Show that the four points whose position vectors are $3\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 4\vec{k}$; $6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$; $5\vec{i} + 7\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$; $2\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 5\vec{k}$ are coplanar.

14. Solve the system of equations:

$$x + 2y + 3z = 1$$

 $2x + 3y + 2z = 2$ by matrix method.
 $3x + 3y + 4z = 1$.

- 15. Solve $y^2p xyq = x(z 2y)$.
- 16. Marks of 10 students in Maths and Statistics are given below:

Obtain the correlation coefficient.

PART C
$$(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$$

Answer any TWO questions.

17. (a) If
$$y = \sin^{-1} x$$
 prove that $(1 - x^2)y_{n+2} - (2n+1)xy_{n+1} - n^2 y_n = 0$

(b) Find
$$\int \frac{dx}{5+4\cos x}$$
.

- 18. (a) Find the value of h and f so that the equation $9x^2 + 2hxy + 4y^2 + 6x + 2fy 3 = 0$ represents a pair of parallel lines and find the distance between them.
 - (b) Solve (mz ny) p + (nx lz) q = ly mx.

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19. (a) Calculate the standard deviation of the following data:

X; 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 4.0 4.5 5.0

f: 5 38 65 92 70 40 10

(b) Apply the principle of least squares to fit a straight line y = a + bx to the following data:

 $x: 2 \quad 4 \quad 6 \quad 8 \quad 10 \quad 12 \quad 14$

y: 10 14 15 16 15 17 18

Obtain the correlation carfficient.

 $V = \sin^{-1} x$