

B.Sc. PHYSICS
FIRST SEMESTER
INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS
BSP - 101 IDMj [REPEAT]
[USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

Marks: 20

[Objective]

Choose the correct answer from the following: $1 \times 20 = 20$

1. If $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ and $|\vec{r}| = r$, then $\text{div } \vec{r}$ is
 - a. 2
 - b. 3
 - c. -3
 - d. -2
2. For the right-handed system of three coplanar vectors $\vec{A} = \hat{i} - \hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$,
 $\vec{B} = 3\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + 6\hat{k}$, $\vec{C} = -\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + m\hat{k}$, the value of m must be equal to
 - a. 5
 - b. 8
 - c. 0
 - d. 6.5
3. A vector points A vertically upward and point B towards north. The vector product $\vec{A} \times \vec{B}$ is
 - a. along west
 - b. along east
 - c. zero
 - d. vertically downward
4. The cross product $\vec{D} = \vec{E} \times \vec{F}$ of vectors $\vec{E} = (1, -2, 3)$ and $\vec{F} = (4, 5, -6)$ is
 - a. $(-3, 18, 13)$
 - b. $(-5, -18, -13)$
 - c. $(-3, 18, -13)$
 - d. $(5, -18, 13)$
5. The line integral $\int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$ represents
 - a. The work done by the vector field F along the curve C
 - b. The circulation of F along C
 - c. The flux of F through C
 - d. The divergence of F along C
6. If $\phi = yz$, then its gradient is
 - a. $z\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$
 - b. 0
 - c. $y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$
 - d. $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k}$
7. The electric field due to a point charge Q is expressed $\vec{E} = \frac{Q\hat{r}}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$, then the divergence of electric field due to that point charge is

a. $\frac{3Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$

b. $\frac{2Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$

c. 0

d. $\frac{3Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$

8. The direction of $\text{grad}\phi$ is

a. Tangential to level surfaces

b. Normal to level surface

c. Inclined at 45° to level surface

d. Arbitrary

9. If $\vec{A} = x\hat{i}$ and $\vec{B} = y\hat{j}$ then $\nabla(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B})$ is equal to

a. $x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$

b. 0

c. $\frac{1}{2}yx^2\hat{i} + \frac{1}{2}xy^2\hat{j}$

d. 2

10. The flux leaving any closed surface per unit volume in a vector field \vec{A} is called

a. $\text{grad } \vec{A}$

b. $\text{div } \vec{A}$

c. $\text{curl } \vec{A}$

d. $\text{flux } \vec{A}$

11. Which of the following vectors are perpendicular to each other?

(i) $2\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$, (ii) $10\hat{i} + 8\hat{j} + 12\hat{k}$ and

(iii) $3\hat{i} + 11\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$

a. (i) And (ii)

b. (ii) And (iii)

c. (iii) And (i)

d. None of these

12. If for two vectors \vec{a} and \vec{b} , $|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = |\vec{a} - \vec{b}|$ then angle between \vec{a} and \vec{b} is

a. 0

b. $\frac{\pi}{2}$

c. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

d. $\frac{\pi}{3}$

13. If $\vec{F} = \text{grad}(2x^2 - 3y^2 + 4z^2)$, then $\text{curl } \vec{F}$ is

a. $4x - 6y + 8z$

b. $4x\hat{i} - 6y\hat{j} + 8z\hat{k}$

c. 0

d. 3

14. Order of differential equation whose solution $y = ae^x + be^{2x} + ce^{3x}$ will be
 a. 1
 b. 2
 c. 3
 d. 0

15. $\frac{1}{f(D)}x^m$ will be equal to
 a. $[F(D)]^{-1}x^m$
 b. $F(D)x^m$
 c. $mF(D)x^{m-1}$
 d. $mx^{m-1}[F(D)]^{-1}$

16. What is the wronskian determinant of x^2, x^3
 a. $2x^4$
 b. x^4
 c. $3x^4$
 d. $4x^4$

17. The value of α so $e^{\alpha y^2}$ that is an I.F. of the equation $(e^{\frac{-1^2}{2}} - xy)dy - dx = 0$
 a. -1
 b. 1
 c. $\frac{1}{2}$
 d. $-\frac{1}{2}$

18. General solution of linear differential equation of first order $\frac{dx}{dy} + Px = Q$
 a. $ye^{\int P \cdot dx} = \int Qe^{\int P \cdot dx} dx$
 b. $xe^{\int P \cdot dy} = \int Qe^{\int P \cdot dy} dy + C$
 c. $y = \int Qe^{\int P \cdot dx} dx + C$
 d. $x = \int Qe^{\int P \cdot dy} dy + C$

19. Particular integral of $y'' + 2y' - 3y = e^{2x}$ is
 a. $-\frac{1}{5}e^{2x}$
 b. $\frac{1}{5}e^{2x}$
 c. $\frac{1}{5}$
 d. $-\frac{1}{5}$

20. When $y = f(x) + c g(x)$ is the solution of an ordinary differential equation then
 a. f is called the particular integral (P.I.) and g is called the complementary function (C.F.)
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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

1. a. Show that the volume of the tetrahedron having $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{B} + \vec{C}, \vec{C} + \vec{A}$ as concurrent edges is twice the volume of the tetrahedron having $\vec{A}, \vec{B}, \vec{C}$ as concurrent edges. 5+5=10
b. If four points whose position vectors are a, b, c, d are coplanar, show that $[a b c] = [a d c] + [a d b] + [d b c]$
2. a. Prove that vector products can be expressed as a determinant. 4+4+2
b. Prove that $[a+b, b+c, c+a] = 2[a, b, c]$. =10
c. Prove that work done is a scalar product.
3. a. Find the value of λ , for the differential equation $(xy^2 + \lambda x^2 y)dx + (x+y)x^2 dy = 0$ is exact. 3+4+3
=10
b. Solve $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 6y = \sin 4x$
c. $\frac{dx}{x} = \tan y dy$
4. a. If $u = x + y + z, v = x^2 + y^2 + z^2, w = yz + zx + xy$, prove that $\text{grad } u, \text{grad } v, \text{grad } w$ are coplanar vector. 5+5=10
b. Find the value of n for which the vector $r^n \vec{r}$ is solenoidal, where $r = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$.
5. a. A fluid motion is given by $\vec{v} = (y \sin z - \sin x)\hat{i} + (x \sin z + 2yz)\hat{j} + (xy \cos z + y^2)\hat{k}$. Is the motion irrotational? 4+3+3
=10
b. If $y_1 = e^{-x} \cos x, y_2 = e^{-x} \sin x$ and $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \frac{2dy}{dx} + 2y = 0$ then
(a) Verify that y_1 and y_2 satisfy the given differential equation.
(b) Apply Wronskian test to check that y_1 and y_2 are linearly independent.

6. a. Evaluate $\text{curl}(\text{grad } r^n)$, where $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$. 5+5=10
- b. Find the constant a, b, c , so that $\vec{F} = (x + 2y + az)\hat{i} + (bx - 3y - z)\hat{j} + (4x + cy + 2z)\hat{k}$ is irrotational.
7. a. If \vec{A} is a constant vector and $\vec{R} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$, then prove that $\text{curl}[(\vec{A} \cdot \vec{R})\vec{R}] = \vec{A} \times \vec{R}$ 5+5=10
- b. If $\vec{F} = 2z\hat{i} - x\hat{j} + y\hat{k}$, then evaluate $\iiint \vec{F} dv$, where v is the closed region bounded by the planes $x = 0, y = 0, x = 2, y = 4, z = x^2$ and $z = 2$.
8. a. Solve $(D^2 + 5D + 4)y = 2 - 3x$ 6+4=10
- b. Prove that for every vector field \vec{V} , $\text{div}(\text{curl}\vec{V}) = 0$.

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