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B. Sc. Degree Examination – Statistics

First Semester – November 2014

MT 1101 – MATHEMATICS FOR STATISTICS

Date:

Time:

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Max: 100 Marks

SECTION A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

(10 × 2 = 20)

1. If $f(x) = x^2 + x - 1$, simplify $f(x + 1) - 3f(x) + 2f(x - 1)$.
2. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x - 1}{x}$.
3. For what values of x is the curve $y = 3x^3$ concave upwards?
4. State Rolle's theorem.
5. Find $\frac{dx}{x^2 + 2x + 5}$.
6. Prove that $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^6 x dx = \frac{5\pi}{32}$.
7. Find $\int x e^x dx$.
8. Find $\int_0^1 x(1-x)^n dx$.
9. What is the value of $\int_0^a \int_0^b xy dy dx$.
10. Find the integral of $\frac{1}{(x+3)(x+4)}$.

SECTION B

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS.

(5 × 8 = 40)

11. Find the differential coefficient of $2x \cos x - x^2 \sin x$ with respect to x .
12. Differentiate $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{1+x^2}-1}{x} \right)$ with respect to $\tan^{-1} x$.
13. If $V = (x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{-1/2}$, show that $\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial z^2} = 0$.
14. Find $\int \frac{x}{x^2+x+1} dx$.
15. Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} \frac{dx}{5+4 \cos x}$.
16. Find the reduction formula for $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^n x dx$ and hence find $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^5 x dx$.
17. Find the value of $\int xy dx dy$ taken over the positive quadrant of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$.
18. Find the series expansion of $\sin x$.

SECTION C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS.

(2 x 20 = 40)

19. a) Differentiate the functions: (i) $\frac{3\operatorname{cosec}x+2}{7+3\cot x}$ (ii) $y = \log(\tan e^x)$.

b) Find the maximum value of $\frac{\log x}{x}$ for positive values of x . (6 + 6 + 8)

20. a) Show that the curve $y = \frac{6x}{x^2+3}$ has three points of inflexion.

b) Evaluate $\int \frac{x}{(x-1)^2(x+2)} dx$ (10 + 10)

21. a) Prove that $\int_0^{\pi/4} \log(1 + \tan x) dx = \frac{\pi}{8} \log 2$.

b) Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi/2} \log \sin x dx$. (10 + 10)

22. If $f(m, n) = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^m x \cos^n x dx$, then prove that $f(m, n) = \frac{m}{m+n} f(m-1, n-1)$ and hence prove that $f(n, n) = \frac{\pi}{2^{n+1}}$.
