Test Mathematics B.Sc.

Method (Chap 3,4), Calculus (Chap 1, Ex. 2.1,2.2,2.3.2.5) You can skip definitions; these are to make strong concepts.

Total Marks: 100

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Q. 1(i) Define the greatest integer function.

Evaluate $\lim_{x\to 0} x\left[\frac{1}{x}\right]$, [...] denotes the greatest integer function.

(ii) Define the continuity of a function at a point.

Find constants a and b such that the function f defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 & \text{if } x < -1 \\ ax + b & \text{if } -1 \le x < 1 \\ x^2 + 2 & \text{if } x \ge 1 \end{cases}$$

is continuous for all x.

Q. 2(i) Prove that every differentiable function is continuous. What can you say about the converse. Justify?

(ii) Show that

$$\frac{d^n}{dx^n} \left(\frac{\ln x}{x}\right) = \frac{(-1)^n n!}{x^{n+1}} \left[\ln x - 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} - \dots - \frac{1}{n}\right]$$

Q.3(i) What is a differentiable function.

If $f(x) = (\sin x)^{\cos x} + (\cos x)^{\sin x}$, find f'(x) where $\sin x > 0, \cos x > 0$

(ii) Define error, relative error and percentage error.

The percentage error in measuring the edge of a cube is 2%. Find the percentage error in computing the volume of the cube.

Q. 4(i) Define pivot element, pivot column, and echelon form of a matrix. Find the rank of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix}
1 & 3 & 7 \\
2 & 3 & 8 \\
0 & 1 & 2 \\
4 & 0 & 4
\end{pmatrix}$$

(ii) What is the difference between a diagonal and a scalar matrix? Prove that the inverse of a diagonal matrix is a diagonal matrix.

Q. 5(i) what is the consistency criteria for a system of linear equations. Is the following system consistent, if so find the solution?

$$x + y = 0$$

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

$$x - 2y - z = 3$$

(ii) Define inverse of a matrix. Find the inverse of the following matrix using Gauss Jordan Elimination method

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 4 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Q. 6(i) Define a symmetric and a skew symmetric matrix. Prove that if a matrix is skew symmetric then all of its diagonal entries are zero. (ii) When we can multiply two matrices?

 $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Compute
$$(2 - A)(3 - A)(3 - A)(-1 - A)$$
, where $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 9 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

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