

THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

MATHEMATICS

GMAT3B03T: GEOMETRY AND VECTOR CALCULUS

Time: 2 ½ Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries two marks.
(Ceiling 25 Marks)

1. Find the foci and vertices of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1$.
2. Find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ if $x = \sqrt{t}; y = t$.
3. Find an equation of the tangent line to the curve $x = e^{2t}; y = \log t$ at $t=1$.
4. Plot the point $(2, \frac{\pi}{2})$ in the $r\theta$ -plane.
5. Find the area of the region enclosed by the lemniscate $r^2 = 4 \cos 2\theta$.
6. Find the polar coordinate of the point $(-1, 1)$ in Cartesian coordinate.
7. Find the angle between the 2 planes defined by
 $3x - y + 2z = 1$ and $2x + 3y - z = 4$
8. Find the distance between the point $(3, 1, 2)$ and the plane $2x - 3y + 4z = 7$.
9. Sketch the graph of the cylinder $y^2 + z^2 = 1$.
10. Find an equation in spherical coordinates for the paraboloid with rectangular equation $4z = x^2 + y^2$.
11. Find the domain of the vector function $r(t) = ti + \frac{1}{t}j$.
12. Find the speed of the particle with position vector $r(t) = e^t i + e^{-t} j$ at $t=0$.
13. Find $T(t)$, where $r(t) = ti + 2t^2 j$ at $t=1$.
14. Find the domain of the function $f(x, y) = x + 3y - 1$.
15. Determine whether the function $f(x, y) = \frac{2xy}{2x+3y-1}$ is continuous.

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries five marks.
(Ceiling 35 Marks)

16. Find the points on the cardioid $r = 1 + \cos\theta$ where the tangent lines are horizontal and where the tangent lines are parallel.
17. Find the area of the region that lies outside the curve $r = 1 - \sin\theta$ and inside the curve $r=1$.
18. Find the equation of the plane containing the points $(3, -1, 1); (1, 4, 2)$ and $(0, 1, 4)$
19. Find the parametric equation and symmetric equation for the line passing through the points $(-3, 3, 2)$ and $(2, -1, 4)$.
20. Find the parametric equation for the tangent line to the helix with parametric equation $x = 3 \cos t;$
 $y = 2 \sin t; z = t$ at $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$.
21. Find the curvature of a circle of radius a .
22. Find the centre, vertices, foci and asymptotes of the hyperbola $3x^2 - 4y^2 - 8y - 16 = 0$.
23. Describe the level curves of the function $f(x, y, z) = 2x + 4y - 3z + 1$.

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SECTION C: Answer any two questions. Each carries ten marks.

24. (a) Let P be a fixed point on the rim of a wheel. If the wheel has radius a and is allowed to roll along the X- axis without slipping, find the parametric equation of the cycloid.

(b) Find the length of the curve defined by the parametric equation $x = 2t^2; y = 3t^3; 0 \leq t \leq 1$

25. (a) Identify and sketch the surface $12x^2 - 3y^2 + 4z^2 + 12 = 0$.

(b) Find the parametric equation for the line of intersection of the planes defined by $3x - y + 2z = 1$ and $2x + 3y - z = 4$.

26. (a) Find a vector function that describes the curve of intersection of the cylinder

$$4z = x^2 + y^2 = 4 \text{ and the plane } x + y + 2z = 4$$

(b) Find the arc length function $s(t)$ for the curve $r(t) = 4\sin t \mathbf{i} + 4\cos t \mathbf{j} + 3t \mathbf{k}; t \geq 0$

27. (a) Show that the function $u(x, y) = e^x \cos y$ is harmonic in the xy - plane.

(b) Find the differential of the function $z = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)