

3 HRS

100 MARKS

- Note: 1) All questions are compulsory.
 2) Use of non- programmable calculator is allowed.
 3) Draw figures wherever necessary.
 4) Symbols have their usual meanings unless mentioned.

Q.1 (A) Select the correct option

12

- i) The minimum number of non co-planar vectors, of unequal magnitudes which can be added so that their resultant is equal to zero, is
 (a) 1 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4
- ii) Which of the vector fields is solenoidal?
 (a) $\hat{x} - \hat{z}$ (b) $\hat{x} - 2\hat{y} + \hat{k}$
 (c) $3\hat{x} - 2\hat{y} - \hat{z}$ (d) $\hat{x} - \hat{z}$
- iii) The differential equation $y'' + xy' + x^2 y^2 = x^3$ is,
 (a) Linear (b) Homogeneous (c) Second order (d) Second degree
- iv) In an LCR circuit with a D.C. source, the voltage across the resistance may,
 (a) Continuously Oscillate
 (b) Be Constant in time
 (c) Oscillate initially with decreasing amplitude
 (d) Linearly increase with time
- v) The periodic time of two oscillators are T and $5T/4$ respectively. Both oscillators starts their oscillation simultaneously from the mid point of their path of motion. When the oscillator having periodic time T completes one oscillation, the phase difference between the two oscillators will be,
 (a) 90° (b) 112° (c) 72° (d) 45°
- vi) A metal wire having linear mass density 10 gm/m is passed over two supports separated by a distance of 0.25 m. The wire is kept in tension by suspending a 10 kg mass. The midpoint of the wire passes through a magnetic field provided by magnets and an a.c. supply having a certain frequency is passed through the wire. If the wire starts vibrating with its resonant frequency, what is the frequency of a.c. supply? ($g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$)
 (a) 50Hz (b) 100Hz (c) 200Hz (d) 250Hz

(B) Answer in one sentence :

03

- i) What vector does the gradient of a scalar function represent?
- ii) How many linearly independent solutions can a linear second order inhomogeneous differential equation have?
- iii) What is a dispersive medium?

05

(C) Fill in the blanks.

- If the scalar triple product of three vector is zero then we can say that the three vectors are _____.
- If $|\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}| = |\mathbf{A}|$, then $\mathbf{B} \cdot (2\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B})$ equals _____.
- If the characteristic equation for a linear second order homogeneous differential equation, with constant coefficients has two equal roots - say 'a' - , then the most general solution of the given differential equation will be of the form _____.
- When two mutually perpendicular simple harmonic motions having the same angular frequency and amplitude but having a phase difference of π^c are simultaneously superimposed the trajectory of the resulting motion will be a _____.
- Waves given out by a point source of light have a _____ wavefront.

Q.2 (A) Attempt any one.

08

- Find $\vec{A} \times (\vec{B} \times \vec{C})$, if $\vec{A} = 2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\vec{B} = \hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$, $\vec{C} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$
- Find $\vec{A} \cdot (\vec{B} \times \vec{C})$, if $\vec{A} = 2\hat{i} - 5\hat{j} - \hat{k}$, $\vec{B} = \hat{i} - 5\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$, $\vec{C} = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j} - 4\hat{k}$

(B) Attempt any one

08

- Find the derivative of $\phi = 4xz^2 - x^2y^2z$ at (2, -1, 2) in the direction of vector $2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$
- Show $\vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{A}) = 0$, for $\vec{A} = x^2y\hat{i} - y^2z\hat{j} + z^2x\hat{k}$

(C) Attempt any one.

04

- The diagonals of a parallelogram are

$$\vec{A} = 3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} - \hat{k} \text{ and } \vec{B} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 6\hat{k}$$

Show that the parallelogram is a rhombus and find the length of its side.

- Find $\vec{\nabla} r^3$, $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$

Q.3 (A) Attempt any one.

08

- Solve for y(x) given, $x(x^2 + 2y^2)dx + y(2x^2 + y^2)dy = 0$
- Obtain a solution for a general linear inhomogeneous first order differential equation.

(B) Attempt any one.

08

- Solve the differential equation:-
 $y'' + 3y' + 2y = e^{-x}$

- Solve:- $\ddot{y} + 2d\dot{y} + K^2y = 0$ ($K > 0$)

Discuss the solution for : i) $d < K$ ii) $d = K$ iii) $d > K$.

- (C) Attempt any one. 04
- Solve:- $y' = y^2$ for $y(0) = 1$
 - Obtain the solution for the harmonic oscillator differential equation.

- Q.4 (A) Attempt any one. 08
- Obtain the trajectory of a particle on which two parallel simple harmonic motions having different angular frequencies are simultaneously superimposed.
 - Show that a small disturbance on a string tied between two rigid supports, travels along the string as a wave. Hence deduce the speed of the wave?

- (B) Attempt any one. 08
- Explain normal modes of vibration of a string.
 - Obtain an expression for the group velocity of a collection of waves traveling in a medium.

- (C) Attempt any one. 04
- The end of a string at $z = 0$ is driven harmonically at frequency 10 Hz and with amplitude 1cm. The velocity of the resulting wave is 5 meter/sec. What is the velocity of a point at a distance $z = 3.25$ m, when the velocity at $z = 0$ is zero?
 - Check if the following functions are solutions of the wave equation:

a) $\sin^2(x) \cdot \cos(3t)$

b) $\frac{1}{(5x - 2t)^2}$

- Q.5 Attempt any four 20
- Find the angle between, $4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$ & $3\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$
 - Given $\phi(x, y, z) = x^2 y^3 z$ find $\vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \phi)$

- Derive an expression for current in a L-R circuit connected to a D.C. source.
- Check if the following differential equation is exact,

$$(4x^3 + 6xy + y^2) \frac{dx}{dy} = -(3x^2 + 2xy + 2)$$

- What are Lissajous patterns?
- Find the trajectory of a particle subjected simultaneously to two mutually perpendicular S.H.M.'s given by,

a) $x = A \sin(\omega t)$

b) $y = B \sin(\omega t + \pi)$.
