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**Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Semester — VI (C.B.S.) Examination**

**MATHEMATICS (Special Theory of Relativity)**

**Optional Paper—2**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 60

**N.B. :** —(1) Solve all the **FIVE** questions.

(2) All questions carry equal marks.

(3) Question No. 1 to 4 have an alternative. Solve each question in full or its alternative in full.

**UNIT—I**

1. (A) Define an inertial frame of reference. Show that the Newton's kinematical equations of motion are invariant under Galilean transformations. 6
- (B) Show that the three dimensional volume element  $dx dy dz$  is not Lorentz invariant but the four dimensional volume elements  $dx dy dz dt$  is Lorentz invariant. 6

**OR**

- (C) Prove that  $\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}$  is invariant under special Lorentz transformations. 6
- (D) Show that Lorentz transformation is simply a rotation in the four dimensional space. 6

**UNIT—II**

2. (A) Obtain the transformation equations for the acceleration of a particle. 6
- (B) Explain the phenomenon of 'time dilation' in special theory of relativity. 6

**OR**

- (C) Obtain the transformation of Lorentz contraction factor  $\left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)^{1/2}$  in the two inertial frames of references. 6
- (D) Deduce the Einstein's velocity addition law from the transformation of particle velocities and prove that the velocity of light is the maximum range of velocity attainable in nature. 6

**UNIT—III**

3. (A) Define symmetric and skew symmetric covariant tensors of order 2. Show that any tensor of the second order may be expressed as the sum of a symmetric tensor and skew symmetric tensor. 6
- (B) Let  $A_{rst}^{pq}$  be a tensor. If  $p = t$ ,  $q = s$ , then show that  $A_{rst}^{pq}$  where the summation convention is employed, is a tensor. What is its rank ? 6

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(C) Define four tensor and show that

$$T'^{11} = a^2 \left\{ T^{11} - \frac{v}{c} T^{14} - \frac{v}{c} T^{41} + \frac{v^2}{c^2} T^{44} \right\}. \quad 6$$

(D) Define timelike, spacelike and lightlike intervals. Prove that there exist an inertial system  $S'$  in which the two events occur at one and the same time if the interval between two events is spacelike. 6

### UNIT—IV

4. (A) Prove that  $m = \frac{m_0}{\left(1 - \frac{u^2}{c^2}\right)^{1/2}}$ , where  $u$  is velocity of body when its mass is  $m$  and  $m_0$  is the rest mass of the body. 6

(B) From the relativistic concept of mass and energy, show that the kinetic energy of the mass  $m$  moving with velocity  $v$  is  $\frac{1}{2} m_0 v^2$ , where  $v \ll c$  and  $m_0$  is the rest mass of the body. 6

### OR

(C) Formulate energy momentum four vector in component form in the space-time of Special Theory of Relativity. 6

(D) State the Maxwell's equations of Electromagnetic theory in vacuum. Show that the electromagnetic field strengths  $\vec{E}$  and  $\vec{H}$  both propagate in vacuum with velocity of light. 6

### Question—V

5. (A) State the postulates on which special theory of relativity is based. 1½
- (B) Discuss the outcome of Michelson-Morley experiment regarding fringe shift and stationary ether. 1½
- (C) Is that the 'simultaneity' absolute in special relativity ? Explain. 1½
- (D) Two electrons move towards each other with equal speed  $0.8c$ . Find their speed relative to each other. 1½
- (E) Define : world line and proper time. 1½
- (F) Prove that kronecker delta is an invariant tensor. 1½
- (G) Define four velocity and four acceleration of a particle. 1½
- (H) Prove that the energy momentum tensor  $T^{ij}$  is symmetric. 1½

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**MATHEMATICS**

**(M<sub>12</sub>: Discrete Mathematics and Elementary Number Theory)**

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**UNIT—I**

1. (A) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a Lattice. For any  $a, b, c \in L$ , prove that :

$$b \leq c \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a * b \leq a * c \\ a \oplus b \leq a \oplus c \end{cases} \quad 6$$

(B) Show that every chain is a distributive Lattice. 6

**OR**

(C) Prove the following Boolean identities :

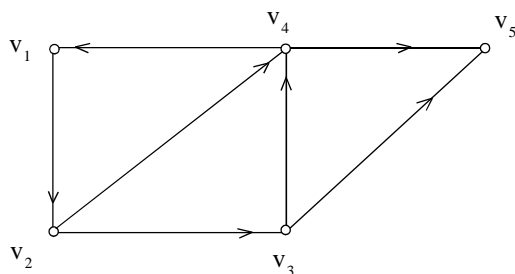
(i)  $a \oplus (a' * b) = a \oplus b$

(ii)  $a * (a' \oplus b) = a * b$

(iii)  $(a * b) \oplus (a * b') = a$

(iv)  $(a * b * c) \oplus (a * b) = a * b. \quad 6$

(D) Find all the indegrees and the outdegrees of the digraph given below. Also find all the elementary cycles of this digraph :



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## UNIT—II

2. (A) Prove that if  $g$  is the greatest common divisor of  $b$  and  $c$  then there exist integers  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  such that  $g = (b, c) = bx_0 + cy_0$ . 6
- (B) Find the greatest common divisor and the least common multiple of 482 and 1687. 6

**OR**

- (C) Prove that if  $p$  is prime then : 6
- $$(p - 1)! \equiv -1 \pmod{p}.$$
- (D) Solve the linear congruence : 6
- $$6x \equiv 15 \pmod{21}.$$

## UNIT—III

3. (A) Let  $p$  be an odd prime and let  $a$  and  $b$  be integers relatively prime to  $p$  i.e.  $(a, p) = 1$  and  $(b, p) = 1$ . Then prove that :

$$\left(\frac{a}{p}\right)\left(\frac{b}{p}\right) \equiv \left(\frac{ab}{p}\right) \quad 6$$

- (B) Determine which of the following congruence are solvable :

- (i)  $x^2 \equiv 5 \pmod{227}$
- (ii)  $x^2 \equiv -5 \pmod{227}$ . 6

**OR**

- (C) Define Jacobi symbol  $\left(\frac{P}{Q}\right)$ , and prove that :

- (i)  $\left(\frac{P}{Q}\right)\left(\frac{P}{Q'}\right) = \left(\frac{P}{QQ'}\right)$
- (ii)  $\left(\frac{P}{Q}\right)\left(\frac{P'}{Q}\right) = \left(\frac{PP'}{Q}\right)$  6

- (D) If  $p$  is an odd positive prime integer, then prove that :

$$\left(\frac{-1}{p}\right) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } p \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ -1, & \text{if } p \equiv -1 \pmod{4} \end{cases} \quad 6$$

### UNIT—IV

4. (A) Find all positive solutions of Diophantine equation  $5x + 3y = 52$ . 6

(B) If  $\langle x, y, z \rangle$  is a primitive Pythagorean triplet, then prove that  $x$  and  $y$  are of opposite parity. 6

### OR

(C) Find all the primitive solutions of  $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$  with the condition  $0 < z < 30$ . 6

(D) If  $\frac{a}{b}$  and  $\frac{a'}{b'}$  are two consecutive terms in a Farey sequence with  $\frac{a}{b}$  to the left of  $\frac{a'}{b'}$ , then prove that  $a'b - ab' = 1$ . 6

### Question—V

5. (A) Draw Hasse-diagram of the set  $P = \{2, 3, 6, 12, 24, 36\}$  with a partial order relation 'divide' in  $P$ .  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(B) Define a complete Lattice.  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(C) Prove that for  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $a|b$  and  $b|c \Rightarrow a|c$ .  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(D) Prove that  $a \equiv b \pmod{m} \Leftrightarrow b \equiv a \pmod{m}$ .  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(E) Show that 4 is quadratic residue (qr) of 7, but 3 is quadratic non residue (qnr) of 7.  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(F) Show that  $\left(\frac{22}{105}\right) = -1$ .  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(G) Define primitive Pythagorean triplet with an example.  $1\frac{1}{2}$

(H) Prove that terms in a Farey Sequence are in monotonically increasing order.  $1\frac{1}{2}$

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**MATHEMATICS (M<sub>12</sub> Differential Geometry)**

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**UNIT—I**

1. (A) Show that osculating plane at any point P ( $x_p, y_p, z_p$ ) is given by

$$\begin{vmatrix} x - x_p & y - y_p & z - z_p \\ \dot{x}_p & \dot{y}_p & \dot{z}_p \\ \ddot{x}_p & \ddot{y}_p & \ddot{z}_p \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad 6$$

(B) State and prove Frenet Serret formulae. For the space curve  $\vec{r} = \vec{r}(s)$ ; where  $s$  is the length of the arc of a curve measured from a fixed point A on it to a point P on it. 6

**OR**

(C) Prove necessary and sufficient condition for a curve to be a helix is that  $T/K$  is constant. 6

(D) Find  $\bar{\tau}$ ,  $\bar{\kappa}$ ,  $\bar{\nu}$  for the twisted curve  $x = 3t$ ,  $y = 3t^2$ ,  $z = 2t^3$  at a point  $t = 1$ . 6

**UNIT—II**

2. (A) Find the equation of the involute of the circular helix.

$$\vec{r} = [a \cos t, a \sin t, bt]. \quad 6$$

(B) Prove that the length of the evolute is equal to the difference in the values of the radii of curvature at the end points on the curve C. 6

**OR**

(C) Find the envelopes of the plane

$$[x/(a + u)] + [y/(b + u)] + [z/(c + u)] = 1$$

where  $u$  is the parameter, and determine the edge of regression. 6

(D) Show that the line given by  $y = tx - t^2$ ,  $z = t^3 y - t^6$  generates a developable surface. 6

### UNIT—III

3. (A) Derive :

(i) The First Fundamental form

$$ds^2 = E du^2 + 2F dudv + G dv^2,$$

where  $E = \bar{r}_1^2$ ,  $F = \bar{r}_1 \cdot \bar{r}_2$ ,  $G = \bar{r}_2^2$  and

(ii) The second fundamental form

$$L du^2 + 2M dudv + N dv^2,$$

where  $L = \bar{N} \cdot \bar{r}_{11}$ ,  $M = \bar{N} \cdot \bar{r}_{12}$ ,  $N = \bar{N} \cdot \bar{r}_{22}$ .

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(B) Taking  $x, y$  as parameters, calculate the fundamental magnitudes and the normal to the surface  $2z = ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2$ .

6

OR

(C) Obtain Gauss's formulae for  $\bar{r}_{11}, \bar{r}_{12}, \bar{r}_{22}$  where  $\bar{r}$  is the position vector of any point on a surface and suffixes 1 and 2 denotes differentiation with regard to  $u$  and  $v$  respectively.

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(D) Show that the curvature  $K$  at any point  $P$  of the curve of intersection of two surfaces is given by  $K^2 \sin^2 \alpha = K_1^2 + K_2^2 - 2K_1 K_2 \cos \alpha$ , where  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  are normal curvatures of the surfaces in the direction of the curve at  $P$ , and  $\alpha$  is the angle between their normals at that point.

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### UNIT—IV

4. (A) Prove that the curves of the family  $v^3 = cu^2$  are geodesics on a surface with metric :

$$v^2 du^2 - 2uv dudv + 2u^2 dv^2,$$

( $u > 0, v > 0$ ).

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(B) Obtain the differential equation of geodesic on a surface of revolution  $Z = f(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})$  and deduce that on a right cylinder the geodesics are helices.

6

OR

(C) If the Gaussian curvature  $K$  of a surface is continuous on a simply connected region  $R$  enclosed by a closed curve  $C$ , composed of  $n$  smooth arcs making at the vertices exterior angles  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$  then prove

$$\iint_R K dS = 2\pi - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i - \int_e K_g dS$$

where  $K_g$  represents the geodesic curvature of the arcs,  $dS$  is the element of area of  $S$ .

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(D) If two families of geodesics on a surface intersects at a constant angle, prove that the surface has zero Gaussian Curvature.

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### Question—V

5. (A) Define curvature and torsion of the curve. 1½
- (B) Define Helix. 1½
- (C) State fundamental theorem of space curves. 1½
- (D) Prove that the Locus of the centre of curvature is an evolute only when the curve is plane. 1½
- (E) Define Gaussian curvature of a surface at any point P. 1½
- (F) Prove that, if  $\theta$  is the angle at the point  $(u, v)$  between the two directions :  

$$Pdu^2 + 2Q dudv + R dv^2 = \theta$$
, then  

$$\tan \theta = 2H^2 (Q^2 - PR)^{1/2} / (ER - 2FQ + GP).$$
 1½
- (G) Write canonical equations for geodesics. 1½
- (H) Define geodesic polar coordinates for the geodesic metric  $ds^2 = du^2 + G(u, v) dv^2$ . 1½