

- (b) Find the points on the curve  $y = x^4 - 6x^3 + 13x^2 = 10x + 5$ , where the tangents are parallel to the line  $y = 2x$  and prove that two of the points have the same tangents. 7

5. (a) Expand  $\tan(x)$  by Maclaurin's theorem as far as  $x^5$  and hence find the value of  $\tan 46^\circ 30'$  up to four decimal places. 7

- (b) Show that the function :

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}; & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0; & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

is continuous at  $(0, 0)$ . 7

### Unit III

6. (a) Find all the asymptotes to the curve :  
 $(x + y)^2(x + y + 2) - x - 9y + 8 = 0$ . 7
- (b) Find the position and the nature of the double points on the curve  
 $x^3 + x^2 + y^2 - x - 4y + 3 = 0$ . 7

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### B.C.A. EXAMINATION

(Main/Reappear Batch 2017 Onwards)

(Third Semester)

MATHEMATICAL FOUNDATIONS—III

BCA-236

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

**Note :** The question paper contains four Units.

Q. No. 1 is compulsory. The student selecting *one* question from each Unit and compulsory question. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) If  $y = (\sin^{-1} x)^2$ , prove that :

$$(1 - x^2)y_2 - xy_1 = 2. \quad 2$$

- (b) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cos x - \log(1+x)}{x^2}$ . 2
- (c) Expand  $\sin(e^x - 1)$  up to and including the term of  $x^4$ . 2
- (d) Define asymptotes and its types. 2
- (e) Define multiple points and its types with the help of diagram. 2
- (f) To prove that for the curve  $p = f(r)$ ,  
 $\rho = r - \frac{dr}{dp}$ . 2
- (g) What are the special point of the curve  
 $\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^{2/3} + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right)^{2/3} = 1$  ? 2

### Unit I

2. (a) Find the derivative  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  of the parametrically defined function  
 $x = t + 2 \sin \pi t$ ,  $y = 3t - \cos \pi t$  at  $t = \frac{1}{2}$ . 7

- (b) Find the  $n$ th derivative of  $\frac{x^2}{(x-1)^3(x-2)}$ . 7

3. (a) (i) If  $y = \sin x + e^x$ , then find out  $\frac{d^3x}{dy^3}$ .

- (ii) If  $x = \ell \times p \left\{ \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{y-x^2}{x^2} \right) \right\}$ , then find out value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . 8

- (b) If  $y = \left[ \log \left( x + \sqrt{1+x^2} \right)^2 \right]$ , prove that :

$$(1+x^2)y_{n+2} + (2n+1)xy_{n+1} + n^2y_n = 0. \quad 6$$

### Unit II

4. (a) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve  $x = \frac{t-1}{t+1}$ ,  $y = \frac{t+1}{t-1}$  at the point  $t = 2$ . 7

7. (a) Find the asymptotes of the curve :

$$r \cos \theta = a \cos 2\theta. \quad 7$$

- (b) Find the points of inflexion of the curve

$$y = (x-2)^6 (x-3)^5. \quad 7$$

#### Unit IV

8. (a) Show that radius of curvature at any point

$$P(x, y) \text{ of the curve } x^{2/3} + y^{2/3} = a^{2/3}$$

$$\text{is given by } \rho^3 = 27axy. \quad 7$$

- (b) Find the center of curvature for the curve

$$x^3 + y^3 = 3axy \text{ at } \left( \frac{3a}{2}, \frac{3a}{2} \right). \quad 7$$

9. (a) Trace the curve  $x^3 + y^3 = 3axy$ . 7

- (b) Trace the curve  $r = a \sin 3\theta$ . 7