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UPES End Semester Examination, December 2023			
Course: Mathematical Physics - I Program: BSc (H) Physics with Research Course Code: PHYS 1011		Semester: I Time : 03 hrs. Max. Marks: 100	
Instructions: Use of scientific calculator is allowed.			
SECTION A (5Qx4M=20Marks)			
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Q1	Express following points in Cartesian coordinates: a) $P(1, 60^\circ, 2)$ b) $T(4, \pi/2, \pi/6)$	4	CO1
Q2	Prove if the following first order differential equation is homogeneous or not: $x \sin \frac{y}{x} dy = \left(y \sin \frac{y}{x} - x \right) dx$	4	CO2
Q3	Given a surface $\varphi(x, y, z) = 2x^2 + xy - z = 0$ Find the unit normal to this surface at $(1, -2, 5)$.	4	CO3
Q4	State Cayley-Hamilton theorem and briefly cite its importance in matrix algebra.	4	CO1
Q5	State Dirac Delta function and list its properties.	4	CO1
SECTION B (4Qx10M= 40 Marks)			
Q6	The radial displacement in a rotating disc at a distance r from the axis is given by $r^2 \frac{d^2u}{dr^2} + r \frac{du}{dr} - u + kr^3 = 0$ where k is a constant. Solve the equation under the following conditions: $u(r = 0) = 0 \text{ \& } u(r = a) = 0$	10	CO2
Q7	(a) Given a function: $f(x, y, z) = e^{xy} + \log(\sin zx) - \frac{1}{yz}$ Find $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}, \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}, \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial z}$ (5 Marks) (b) Solve the following differential equation: (5 Marks) $(3x^2y^4 + 2xy)dx + (2x^3y^3 - x^2)dy = 0$	10	CO3

Q8	<p>A scope probe in the shape of ellipsoid $4x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 = 16$ enters the earth atmosphere and its surface begins to heat. After one hour, the temperature at any point (x, y, z) on the surface is $T(x, y, z) = 8x^2 + 4yz - 16z + 400$. Find the hottest point on the probe surface.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>The pressure P at any point (x, y, z) in space is $P = 400xyz^2$. Find the highest pressure at the surface of a unit sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$.</p>	10	CO3
Q9	<p>(a) Diagonalize the following matrix: (5 Marks)</p> $A = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>(b) Using Cayley-Hamilton theorem, find the inverse of the following matrix: (5 Marks)</p> $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$	10	CO1
<p>SECTION-C (2Qx20M=40 Marks)</p>			
Q10	<p>(a) Calculate the directional derivative of the function $\varphi(x, y, z) = xy^2 + yz^3$ at the point $(1, -1, 1)$ in the direction parallel to the line $\frac{x-1}{2} = \frac{y-3}{-2} = \frac{z}{1}$. (8 Marks)</p> <p>(b) Find the constants a, b, c so that the vector field $\vec{F} = (x + 2y + az)\hat{i} + (bx - 3y - z)\hat{j} + (4x + cy + 2z)\hat{k}$ is irrotational. Find the scalar field such that $\vec{F} = \vec{\nabla}\varphi$ (12 Marks)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <p>(a) Find the directional derivative of $\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}$ at the point $(1, 2, 2)$ in the direction of the outer normal of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$ for $\vec{v} = x^4\hat{i} + y^4\hat{j} + z^4\hat{k}$. (8 Marks)</p> <p>(b) A fluid motion is given by $\vec{V} = (y + z)\hat{i} + (z + x)\hat{j} + (x + y)\hat{k}$. Show that the motion is irrotational and hence find the velocity potential. (12 Marks)</p>	20	CO4
Q11	<p>(a) Find the work done in moving a particle around the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{25} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1, z = 0$</p> <p>Under the field of the force given as $\vec{F} = (2x - y + z)\hat{i} + (x + y - z^2)\hat{j} + (3x - 2y + 4z)\hat{k}$</p>	20	CO4

	<p>Is this field conservative? (8 Marks)</p> <p>(b) Evaluate $\iint \vec{A} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$, where $\vec{A} = 18z \hat{i} - 12\hat{j} + 3y\hat{k}$ and S is the part of the plane $2x + 3y + 6z = 12$ included in the first octant. (12 Marks)</p>		
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