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MATHEMATIC

Differential Geometry

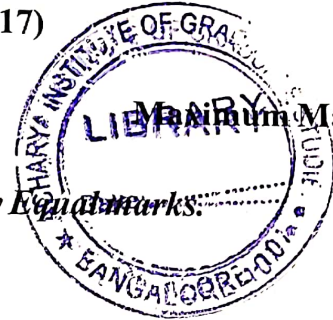
(CBCS Scheme Repeater Y2K17)

Paper - M301 T

Time : 3 Hours

Instructions to Candidates :

Answer any Five questions. All questions carry Equal marks.



Maximum Marks : 70

1. a) Define :
- a tangent vector to E^3
 - a vector field on E^3
 - Directional derivative in E^3
- Further, if $v = (2, -1, 3)$ and $p = (2, 0, -3)$. Then compute the directional derivative $v_p[f]$ for the functions :
- $f = y^2z$
 - $f = x^7$
 - $f = e^x \cos y$
- b) Define a curve in E^3 . Let α be a curve in E^3 and let f be a differentiable function on E^3 . Then show that $\alpha'(t)[f] = \frac{d(f(\alpha))}{dt}(t)$
- c) Let $v = (1, 2, -3)$ and $p = (0, -2, 1)$. Evaluate the following 1-forms on the tangent vector up.
- $y^2 dx$
 - $zdy - ydz$
 - $(z^2 - 1) dx - dy + x^2 dz$
- (5+4+5)
2. a) Let ϕ and ψ be two 1-forms. Then prove the Leibnizian formula : $d(\phi \wedge \psi) = d\phi \wedge \psi - \phi \wedge d\psi$.
- b) Let $F = (f_1, f_2, \dots, f_m)$ be a mapping from E^n to E^m . If v is a tangent vector to E^n at p , then prove that $F_*(v) = (v[f_1], v[f_2], \dots, v[f_m])$ at $F(p)$.
- (c) For any three 1-forms $\phi_i = \sum_j f_{ij} dx_j$ ($1 \leq i \leq 3$), Prove

$$\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2 \wedge \phi_3 = \begin{vmatrix} f_{11} & f_{12} & f_{13} \\ f_{21} & f_{22} & f_{23} \\ f_{31} & f_{32} & f_{33} \end{vmatrix} dx_1 dx_2 dx_3$$

(6+4+4)

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3. a) If α is a regular curve in E^3 , then prove that there exists a reparametrization β of α such that β has unit speed. Further, show that a helix given by

$$\beta(s) = \left(a \cos \frac{s}{c}, a \sin \frac{s}{c}, b \frac{s}{c} \right), \text{ where } c^2 = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \text{ \& } a > 0, \text{ has a unit speed.}$$

- b) If α is a regular curve with curvature function $k > 0$ and torsion function C , then show that α is a cylindrical helix if and only if the ratio c/k is constant.
- c) If α is a regular curve in E^3 , then show that

$$T = \alpha' / \|\alpha'\|, \quad N = B \times T, \quad B = \alpha' \times \alpha'' / \|\alpha' \times \alpha''\|.$$

$$K = \|\alpha' \times \alpha''\| / \|\alpha'\|^3, \quad C = (\alpha' \times \alpha'').\alpha''' / \|\alpha' \times \alpha''\|^2 \quad (5+4+5)$$

4. a) Consider the tangent vector $v = (1, -1, 2)$ at a point $p = (1, 3, -1)$. compute $\nabla_v W_1$ where

i) $W = x^2 u_1 + y u_2$

ii) $W = x u_1 + x^2 u_2 - z^2 u_3.$

- b) If F is an isometry of E^3 such that $F(o) = O$, then show that F is an orthogonal transformation.

c) If $c = \begin{bmatrix} -2/3 & 2/3 & -1/3 \\ 2/3 & 1/3 & -2/3 \\ 1/3 & 2/3 & 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{cases} p = (3, 1, -6) \\ q = (1, 0, 3) \end{cases}$ show that C is orthogonal then compute $c(p)$

and $c(q)$. Further, check that $c(p), c(q) = p.q$.

(4+5+5)

5. a) Let f be a real valued differentiable function on a non-empty open set D of E^2 , then prove that the function $X : D \rightarrow E^3$ defined by $X(u, v) = (u, v, f(u, v))$ is a proper patch in E^3 .

- b) Let $X : E^2 \rightarrow E^3$ defined by $X(u, v) = (u + v, u - v, x)$ show that X is a proper patch and that image of X is a surface M such that $z = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{4}$, where $(x, y, z) \in \text{Ex}(D)$ and $(u, v) \in D \subseteq E^2$.

- c) Show that every cylinder in E^3 is a surface in E^3 .

(5+5+4)



6. a) Let X be a mapping from a non-empty open set D of E^2 to E^3 . Show that X is regular if and only if the x, v - parameter partial derivatives $X_x(d)$ and $X_v(d)$ are linearly independent for all $d \in D$.
- b) Let P be a point of a surface in E^3 and X be a patch in M such that $X(u_0, v_0) = p$. Prove a tangent vector v at a point P is tangent to M if and only if v can be written as a linear combination of $X_u(u_0, v_0)$ and $X_v(u_0, v_0)$. (7+7)
7. a) Let ϕ be a 1-form on a surface M . If X and Y are the patches in M defined on D and E respectively, then prove that $dx\phi = dy\phi$ on the overlap of $x(D)$ and $Y(E)$.
- b) Let $F: M \rightarrow N$ be a mapping of surfaces and let ξ and η be forms on N . Then prove the following:
- i) $F^*(\xi \wedge \eta) = F^*\xi \wedge F^*\eta$
- ii) $F^*(d\xi) = d(F^*\xi)$ (7+7)
8. a) Define a shape operator, for each point of a surface M in E^3 , Further, Show that the shape operator is a linear operator $S_p: T_p(m) \rightarrow T_p(m)$ on the tangent plane of M at a Point P .
- b) With usual notation prove:
- a) $K(x) = \frac{Ln - m^2}{EG - F^2}$
- b) $H(x) = \frac{Gl + En - 2Fm}{2(EG - F^2)}$
- c) Compute Gaussian Curvature K and mean Curvature H of helicoid $X(u, v) = (u \cos v, u \sin v, bv), b \neq 0$. (5+5+4)

