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**END SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION**  
**JANUARY – 2025**

Semester : 1st (New)

Branch : Common to All

Subject Code : BS – 101

**MATHEMATICS – I**

Full Marks – 60

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions.

**Instructions :**

- (i) Q.Nos. 1, 2 and 3 are compulsory.
- (ii) Answer any *five* questions from the rest.

1. Fill in the blanks :  $1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) The value of  $i^2 + \frac{1}{i^2}$  is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

(b) The value of  $\omega^5 + \omega$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

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(c) The value of  ${}^{10}P_4$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

(d) The first term of  $(2x+y)^5$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

(e) If  $\log_a 16 = -4$ , then a is equal to \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Write True or False : 1×5=5

(a) 1.2, 2.4, 3.6, 4.8, 6, 7.2, 8.4,.....is an A.P. Series.

(b) The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is a diagonal matrix.

(c) When two rows of a determinant are interchanged, the result remains the same.

(d) If  $\tan \theta = c$ , then  $\sin \theta = \frac{c}{\sqrt{c^2 + 1}}$ .

(e)  $\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} + \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

3. Choose the correct answers : 1×5=5

(a) Cosine formula implies :

(i)  $2bc \cos A = c^2 + a^2 - b^2$

(ii)  $2bc \cos A = b^2 + c^2 - a^2$

(iii)  $2bc \cos A = a^2 + b^2 - c^2$

(iv)  $2ac \cos A = c^2 + a^2 - b^2$

(b) The volume of an equilateral prism of side 7 inch and height 2 ft. in cub inch is

(i)  $294\sqrt{3}$  (ii)  $168\sqrt{3}$

(iii) 294 (iv) 1176

(c) The base of a tetrahedron is a

(i) hexagon (ii) pentagon

(iii) square (iv) triangle

(d) The polar co-ordinates of  $(-1, -1)$  are

(i)  $(\sqrt{2}, 45^\circ)$  (ii)  $(\sqrt{2}, 135^\circ)$

(iii)  $(\sqrt{2}, 225^\circ)$  (iv)  $(\sqrt{2}, 315^\circ)$

(e) A(-2, -3), B(-3, 10) and C(4, 11) are three points which can form

(i) a straight line

(ii) an equilateral triangle

(iii) an isosceles triangle

(iv) a scalene triangle.

4. (a) Express in the form  $a + ib$  and find the modulus of  $\frac{3+4i}{7+24i}$ . 3

(b) Express in the polar form : 2  
 $(1+i)(1+2i)(1+3i)$ .

(c) In how many ways the letters of the word MISSISSIPPI may be arranged ? 2

(d) Find the value of  $n$  if  ${}^n P_4 : {}^{n-1} P_3 = 9 : 1$ . 2

5. (a) Evaluate :  $(1+\omega^2+\omega^4+\omega^6)(1+\omega+\omega^3+\omega^5)$ . 2

(b) In how many ways 12 different books can be distributed equally among 3 students ? 2

(c) Find the middle term of  $\left(3x - \frac{x^3}{6}\right)^8$ . 2

(d) Show that : 3

$$x^{\log y - \log z} \times y^{\log z - \log x} \times z^{\log x - \log y} = 1.$$

6. (a) Insert 3 arithmetic means between 6 and 18. 2

(b) Evaluate : 2

$$\log 2 + 16 \log \frac{16}{15} + 12 \log \frac{25}{24} + 7 \log \frac{81}{80}.$$

(c) Find the sum to 30-terms of the series :

$$5 + 8 + 11 + 14 + \dots \quad 2$$

(d) Solve using Crammer's rule : 3

$$4x - 5y + 2z = 0, \quad 2x - 7y + 4z = 0, \quad x + y + z = 6$$

7. (a) If  $a, b, c$  are in AP and  $x, y, z$  are in GP series, then show that :  $x^{b-c} y^{c-a} z^{a-b} = 1$ . 3

(b) Prove that : 3

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ a^2 & b^2 & c^2 \\ a^3 & b^3 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = abc(a-b)(b-c)(c-a).$$

(c) Find the value of  $x, y, z$  and  $t$  where, 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} x+y & y-z \\ 5-t & 7-x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

8. (a) Prove that :  $\frac{\sin \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} + \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} = 2 \operatorname{cosec} \theta$ . 3

(b) Find the value of : 3

$$(i) \sec(-75^\circ) \quad (ii) \cos 285^\circ$$

(c) Prove that : 3

$$\tan^{-1} \frac{x-y}{1+xy} + \tan^{-1} \frac{y-z}{1+yz} + \tan^{-1} \frac{z-x}{1+zx} = 0.$$

9. (a) The following offsets were taken from a survey line to a hedge : 3

distance from survey line (m) :	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
offsets (m) :	2.0	1.8	3	3.4	3.9	1.5	1.2

(b) Three spheres of radii 3 cm, 4 cm and 5 cm are melted to form a new sphere. Find the radius of the new sphere. 3

(c) If  $R$ ,  $r$  and  $h$  be 16 cm, 8 cm and 6 cm respectively of a frustum of a right circular cone, find the volume and the total surface area. 3

10. (a) If two of the vertices of a triangle are (2,7), (6,1) and its centroid is (6,4) , find the third vertex. 2

(b) Change into Cartesian co-ordinate : 2  
 $r^2 \sin 2\theta = 2a^2$

(c) Find the slope and y-intercept of the straight line  $5x + 2y + 3 = 0$ . 2

(d) Find the equation of the straight line passing through the point (2,1) and perpendicular to  $3x + 4y - 1 = 0$ . 3