

B.Sc. Semester - 4 (CBCS) Examination

March/April-2026 [NEW COURSE]

Mathematics-M401(Core)

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

Que.1(A) Answer any two. (10)

- (1) Define: Monotonically increasing sequence. If $\{S_n\}$ is monotonically increasing and bounded above sequence then prove that $\{S_n\}$ is convergent and least upper bound of it, will be the limit of the sequence.
- (2) State and prove Cauchy's first theorem on limits of the sequence.
- (3) Discuss the convergence of the sequence, $S_1 = 4, S_{n+1} = 3 - \frac{2}{S_n}; n \in N$ and find its limit, if exists.

Que.1(B) Answer any one. (04)

- (1) Prove that every convergent sequence is bounded.
- (2) Prove that: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{n} = 1$.

Que.2(A) Answer any two. (10)

- (1) Test the convergence of the series $1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{5} + \frac{x^3}{10} + \dots$
- (2) State Raabe's test and discuss the convergence of the series $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} + \dots$
- (3) Using logarithmic test, test the convergence of series, $\frac{1^2}{4^2} + \frac{5^2}{8^2} + \frac{9^2}{12^2} + \frac{13^2}{16^2} + \dots$

Que.2(B) Answer any one. (04)

- (1) Test the convergence of the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3^{2n}}{2^{3n}}$.
- (2) Define: Alternating series. Show that that the series $1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots$ is convergent.

Que.3(A) Answer any two. (10)

- (1) Let U and V be vector spaces over R . Prove that: $T: U \rightarrow V$ is linear transformation iff $T(\alpha u + \beta v) = \alpha T(u) + \beta T(v); \forall \alpha, \beta \in R, \forall u, v \in U$.
- (2) State and prove rank-nullity theorem for linear transformations.
- (3) If $T: R^3 \rightarrow R^2, T(a, b, c) = (2a + b - c, 3a - 2b + 4c); \forall (a, b, c) \in R^3$ is linear transformation and $B_1 = \{(1,1,1), (1,1,0), (1,0,0)\}, B_2 = \{(1,3), (1,4)\}$ are basis of R^3 and R^2 respectively then find a matrix $[T: B_1, B_2]$.

Que.3(B) Answer any one. (04)

- (1) Prove that linear transformation $T: U \rightarrow V$ is one-one iff $N_T = \{\theta\}$. Where θ is the zero vector of U .
- (2) If $S: U \rightarrow V$ and $T: U \rightarrow V$ are any two linear transformations then show that $S + T: U \rightarrow V, (S + T)(u) = S(u) + T(u); \forall u \in U$ is also a linear transformation.

Que.4(A) Answer any two. (10)

- (1) State and prove Cauchy-Schwartz's inequality for inner product space.
- (2) Using Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization process, obtain orthonormal basis of R^3 with usual inner product from the basis $\{(1,0,1), (1,0,-1), (0,3,4)\}$.
- (3) If u and v are vectors in a real inner product space then prove that:
 $\|u + v\|^2 = \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2$ iff $u \perp v$.

Que.4(B) Answer any one. (04)

- (1) Let V be an inner product space. For $u, v \in V$ and any scalar α , prove that:
(i) $\|\alpha u\| = |\alpha| \|u\|$ (ii) $\|u\| \geq 0, \|u\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow u = \theta$.
- (2) Define: Inner product space. If u and v are vectors in a real inner product space V then prove:
 $(u + v) \cdot w = u \cdot w + v \cdot w$.

Que.5(A) Answer any two. (10)

- (1) Derive the formula for radius of curvature for given parametric equations.
- (2) Find the range of values of x for which the curve
 $y = x^4 - 6x^3 + 12x^2 + 5x + 7$ is concave upwards or downwards. Find the point of inflexion in each case.
- (3) If $y = mx + c$ is an asymptote to the curve $y = f(x)$ then prove that:
 $m = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$ and $c = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} (y - mx)$.

Que.5(B) Answer any one. (04)

- (1) Define: (i) Double point (ii) Conjugate point or isolated point. Find the position and nature of the double points on the following curves:
(i) $(x^2 + y^2)x - ay^2 = 0$ (ii) $y^2 = 2x^2y + x^3y + x^3$.
- (2) Prove that the curvature of circle is constant and equal to the reciprocal of its radius.
