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(Directorate of Distance Education)

(DSB 230) Paper II – MATHEMATICS

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 90

Instructions to Candidates :

Answer any **SIX** full questions of the following choosing at least **ONE** from each Part.

PART – A

1. (a) (i) Find the degree and order of the differential equation
$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 6y + xy = 6 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2.$$
- (ii) Solve $(x^2 + 1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 1.$ **2 + 2**
- (b) Solve : $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6x - 2y - 7}{3x - y + 4}.$ **5**
- (c) Solve : $(1 + x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \tan^{-1} x.$ **6**
2. (a) (i) Solve : $p^2 - 5p - 6 = 0.$
- (ii) Find the general and singular solution of $y = px + \sin^{-1} p.$ **2 + 2**
- (b) Solve : $y - 2px + yp^2 = 0.$ **5**
- (c) Show that the family of parabolas $y^2 = 4a(x + a)$ is self orthogonal. **6**

PART – B

3. (a) (i) Solve : $(D^2 - 7D + 12)y = 0$, where $D = \frac{d}{dx}.$
- (ii) Solve : $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = 0.$ **2 + 2**
- (b) Solve : $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - y = \cos 2x.$ **5**
- (c) Solve : $(D^2 + 3D + 2)y = e^{2x} \sin x$, where $D = \frac{d}{dx}.$ **6**

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4. (a) (i) Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{x - \sin x}{x^3} \right]$.
- (ii) Evaluate : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \left[\frac{2}{x^2 - 1} - \frac{1}{x - 1} \right]$. **2 + 2**
- (b) Verify the Rolle's theorem for the function $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 8$ in $[2, 4]$. **5**
- (c) Expand $\log(\sec x)$ by Maclaurin's expansion upto the term containing x^6 . **6**

PART - C

5. (a) (i) Show that, if every element of a group G is its own inverse, then G is abelian.
- (ii) Find the number of generators of the cyclic group of order 30. **2 + 2**
- (b) List all the subgroups of $(\mathbb{Z}_6, +_6)$. **5**
- (c) State and prove Lagrange's theorem. **6**
6. (a) (i) Solve : $2x - 3 < 5x + 3 < 2x + 3$.
- (ii) Find the inverse of the permutation $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. **2 + 2**
- (b) Find the order of the permutation $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and verify whether it is odd or even. **5**
- (c) State and prove Fermat's theorem. **6**

PART - D

7. (a) (i) Prove that every convergent sequence is bounded.
- (ii) Evaluate : $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n-1} \right)^n$. **2 + 2**
- (b) Prove that the sequence $\{x_n\} = \left\{ \frac{3n+4}{2n+1} \right\}$ is
- (i) monotonically decreasing
- (ii) bounded
- (iii) converges to $\frac{3}{2}$. **5**
- (c) Discuss the behaviour of the sequence $\{x^{1/n}\}$, where $x > 0$. **6**

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8. (a) (i) Test the convergence of the series $1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \dots + n^3 + \dots$.
(ii) Discuss the convergence of the series :

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 6} + \dots$$

2 + 2

- (b) Test the convergence of the series :

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$$1 + \frac{3}{7}x + \frac{3 \cdot 6}{7 \cdot 10}x^2 + \frac{3 \cdot 6 \cdot 9}{7 \cdot 10 \cdot 13}x^3 + \dots, \text{ where } x > 0.$$

- (c) Find the sum of the following series :

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$$1 + \frac{1+2}{2!} + \frac{1+2+2^2}{3!} + \frac{1+2+2^2+2^3}{4!} + \dots$$
