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MATHEMATICS

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Pass Marks : 32

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for the questions*

Paper : DSE-1.1

(ANALYTICAL GEOMETRY)

1. Answer the following questions :

(a) Write the vertex of the conic
 $(y - 2)^2 = 2(x + 2)$. 1

(b) Write the processes to sketch the
ellipse. 4

(2)

- (c) Find the focus, vertex, equation of directrix and length of the latus rectum of the conic $x = y^2 - 4y + 2$. 4
- (d) Describe the graph of the curve $3(x-2)^2 + 4(y+1)^2 = 12$. Also find its centre and foci. 6

Or

Describe the graph of the hyperbola $x^2 - y^2 - 4x + 8y - 21 = 0$ and sketch its graph.

2. Answer the following questions :

- (a) Write the equation of the tangent to the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$ at the point (x_1, y_1) . 1
- (b) Write True or False : 1
An ellipse is the set of all points in the plane that are equidistant from a fixed line and a fixed point not on the line.
- (c) Suppose that an ellipse has semi-major axis a , semi-minor axis b and foci $(\pm c, 0)$. Then write the expression c in terms of a and b . 1
- (d) Find the equation of the parabola that has its vertex at $(1, 2)$ and focus at $(4, 2)$. Also state the reflection property of the parabola. 6

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- (e) Find the equation of the ellipse with foci $(0, \pm 2)$ and major axis with end-points $(0, \pm 4)$ and also sketch it. 6

Or

Find the equation and sketch the curve of the hyperbola whose foci $(-3, -3)$ and $(3, 3)$.

3. Answer the following questions :

- (a) Write the condition that the quadratic equation $Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 + Dx + Ey + F = 0$ represents ellipse. 1
- (b) Find the new coordinates of the point $(2, 4)$ if the coordinate axes are rotated through an angle $\theta = \pi/6$. 2
- (c) Consider the equation $x^2 - xy + y^2 - 6 = 0$. Rotate the coordinate axes to remove the xy -term. Then identify the type of conic represented by the equation and sketch its graph. 6
- (d) Let an $x'y'$ -coordinate system be obtained by rotating an xy -coordinate system through an angle $\theta = 30^\circ$.
- (i) Find the $x'y'$ -coordinate of the point whose xy -coordinates are $(2, 4)$.

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(ii) Find an equation of the curve

$$2x^2 + 2\sqrt{3}xy = 3$$

in $x'y'$ -coordinates.

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Or

Identify and sketch the curve

$$14x^2 - 4xy + 11y^2 - 44x - 58y + 71 = 0$$

4. Answer the following questions :

(a) Write the equation of the sphere whose end-points of the diameter is given. 1

(b) Write the standard equation of hyperbola of one sheet. 1

(c) Write True or False : 1
Curve of intersection of two spheres is a sphere.

(d) Write the centre and radius of the sphere 2
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2ux + 2vy + 2wz + d = 0$$

(e) Find the equation of the sphere whose centre is (2, -3, 4) and radius is 6 units. 5

(f) Find the equation of the sphere which passes through the points (1, -3, 4), (1, -5, 2), (1, -3, 0) and whose centre lies on the line $x + y + z = 0$. 5

(5)

Or

Find the equation of the sphere of centre at (1, 2, 3) and touching a plane at (2, 1, 3).

5. Answer the following questions :

(a) Find the radius and centre of the circle 5
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - x - y - z - 1 = 0, \quad x + y + z = 0$$

(b) Find the equation of the sphere for which the circle 5
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 10y - 4z - 8 = 0, \quad x + y + z = 3$$

is a great circle.

Or

Find the equations of the spheres which pass through the
$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 2y + 4z - 3 = 0; \quad 2x + y + z - 4 = 0$$

and touch the plane $3x + 4y - 14 = 0$.

6. Answer the following questions :

(a) Show that the plane $2x + y - z = 12$ touches the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 24$ and find its point of contact. 5

(b) Classify and sketch the surface 5
$$9x^2 + 4y^2 + z^2 = 36.$$

Or

Classify and sketch the surface
$$z = x^2 + 4y^2.$$

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Paper : DSE-1.2

(PORTFOLIO OPTIMIZATION)

1. Answer any six of the following questions :
1×6=6

- (a) What is mutual fund?
- (b) Define diversification.
- (c) Write one advantage of Sharpe performance model.
- (d) What is market timing?
- (e) What is beta of a portfolio?
- (f) Define risk-free asset.
- (g) What is the value of correlation between risky asset and risk-free asset?

2. Answer any six of the following questions :
4×6=24

- (a) Write a short note on investment objective and investment constraints. 4
- (b) What are the different components of systematic risk? 4
- (c) How would you differentiate risk from uncertainty? 4
- (d) What is the difference between historical and expected returns? Write two measures of mean historical returns. 3+1=4

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- (e) If an investment that costs ₹ 400 and is worth ₹ 500 after being held for two years, find annual holding period return (annual HPR) and annual holding period yield (annual HPY). 2+2=4
- (f) Discuss four different types of risk of an investment. 4
- (g) Calculate the expected rate of return and the risk in terms of variance of the following economic scenarios : 2+2=4

Economic Conditions	Probability	Rate of Return
Strong economy	0.25	0.20
Weak economy	0.25	-0.20
No major change in economy	0.50	0.10

- 3. (a) How can risk of an asset be calculated? 2
- (b) State one-fund theorem. 2
- (c) What do you mean by efficient frontier? 2

4. Answer any two of the following questions :
6×2=12

- (a) Write the assumptions of capital market theory. Explain briefly.
- (b) Discuss some of the disadvantages of Markowitz model.
- (c) In what way two-factor model is better than one-factor model? Justify.

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5. Describe variance and standard variation of returns for a portfolio of investments. 7

Or

Find the covariance of rates of returns of US stocks and US bonds as given below :

2020	US Stock Index (R_i)	US Bond Index (R_j)
January	-3.60	1.58
February	3.10	0.40
March	6.03	-0.85
April	1.58	1.05
May	-7.99	1.71
June	-5.24	1.87
July	7.01	0.68
August	-4.51	2.01
September	8.92	0.02
October	3.81	-0.16
November	0.01	0.70
December	6.68	-1.80

If standard deviations of both scenarios are $\sigma_i = 5.56$ and $\sigma_j = 1.22$, then find the correlation. 4+3=7

6. Write the formula for beta of a portfolio. Interpret beta of 1.20 and 0.70. 1+2=3

7. Answer any three of the following questions : 5×3=15

- (a) Distinguish between capital market line (CML) and security market line (SML).
- (b) State the limitations of Jensen's performance index model.
- (c) Discuss the assumptions of capital asset pricing model (CAPM).
- (d) Discuss the effects of combining securities in portfolio.

8. Describe Treynor portfolio performance measure with example. 7

Or

Consider the following information on three mutual funds P, Q and R, and the market index :

	Mean Return	SD	Beta
P	15%	20%	0.90
Q	17%	24%	1.10
R	19%	27%	1.20
Market Index	16%	20%	1.00

The mean risk-free rate is 10%. Calculate the Treynor's measure and Sharpe measure for the three mutual funds. 4+3=7

Paper : DSE-1.3

(FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS)

1. (a) Write the inverse supply function of the function $30q + 5p = 80$. 1
- (b) Write the revenue, if p is the price and q is the number of quantities sold. 1
- (c) For demand and supply functions, the equilibrium set will always a singleton set. State true or false. 1
- (d) After introduction of excise tax, among the supply and demand functions, write which function remains same. 1
- (e) Write two reasons for introducing excise tax. 2
- (f) Find the solution of the recurrence equation $5y_t = 3y_{t-1} + 6$, given $y_0 = 4$. 4

Or

Show that the present value of an annuity I for N years, given the fixed interest rate r is

$$P = \frac{I}{1+r} + \frac{I}{(1+r)^2} + \frac{I}{(1+r)^3} + \dots + \frac{I}{(1+r)^N}$$

2. Answer any two of the following : $4 \times 2 = 8$

- (a) Describe cobweb model.
- (b) Describe general linear case.
- (c) Determine whether cobweb model predicts stable or unstable equilibrium for the market with supply and demand functions $2p - 3q = 12$ and $2p + q = 20$ respectively.

3. (a) Define fixed cost. 1

(b) Write one difference between maximum point and a point of inflection. 1

(c) Find the critical points of the function $f(x) = x^3 - 12x^2 + 21x + 12$. 2(d) Find the extreme values of the function $f(x) = x^4 - 8x^3 + 16x^2 - 7$ in the interval $[1, 4]$. 4

4. (a) Write when demand is elastic. 1

(b) If $C(q) = 100 + 20q - 2q^2 + 6q^3$ be the cost function, then find the fixed cost. 2(c) Define break-even point and variable cost. $2+2=4$

- (d) Show that at the startup point, marginal cost is equal to average variable cost. 5

Or

Find the elasticity of demand for the demand function

$$D = \{(q, p) : q(1 + p^2) = 50\}$$

Also find the values of p when the demand is elastic and inelastic.

5. (a) Let

$$f(x, y) = x^3y^2 + x^2y$$

Find

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$$

- (b) Let p_1 and p_2 are the selling prices of two items X and Y . Write the revenue of producing q_1 units of X and q_2 units of Y . 1

- (c) Find the critical point(s) of the profit function

$$I(x, y) = 5x + 24y - 1.5x^2 - 2y^2 + xy - 5$$

- (d) Classify the critical points of the function $f(x, y) = y^3 + 3xy - x^3$ and find the extreme values. 5

Or

A firm produces two goods A and B , with demand functions $x = 12 - p^A$, $y = 18 - p^B$. Firm's cost function is $c(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 + 2xy$. Find the maximum achievable profit.

6. (a) Define portfolio. 1
 (b) Write when a portfolio is called an arbitrage portfolio. 1
 (c) Answer any two questions from the following: 5×2=10

(i) Describe technology matrix.

(ii) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } A^n = \begin{bmatrix} a_n & b_n \\ c_n & d_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \geq 2$. Find recurrence equations for a_n, b_n, c_n, d_n .

- (iii) For input-output model with two industries, the coefficient matrix is

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 & 0.1 \\ 0.2 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine the production schedule x in terms of external demand d .

7. (a) Cash flow may be negative. State true or false. 1
- (b) Write any one form of hedging. 1
- (c) Interest may be called by an another name. Write that name. 1
- (d) Write the meaning of the cash flow stream (-100, 200). 1
- (e) Write the risk aversion principle. 2
8. (a) Write under what type of interest, capital exhibits geometric growth. 1
- (b) If r is the 1-year interest rate, then write 1-year discount factor. 1
- (c) Define effective interest rate. 2
- (d) Find the internal rate of return of the cash flow (-1, 1, 0, 1). 5
- Or
- Describe Macaulay duration.
- (e) Explain callable bonds. 2

- (f) Find the future value of the cash flow stream (-20, 10, 10, 10) when the periods are years and the interest rate is 10%. 3

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Paper : DSE-2.1/2.2/2.3/2.4

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Paper : DSE-2.1

(MATHEMATICAL MODELLING)

Full Marks : 60

Pass Marks : 24

Time : 3 hours

1. (a) Find the value of $\Gamma\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$. 1

(b) Is the point $x=0$ an ordinary point of the equation

$$y'' + x^2 y' + x^{1/2} y = 0? \quad 1$$

(2)

(c) Find the value of $L\{\cosh kx\}$. 2

(d) Find the inverse Laplace transform of

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2(s-a)} \quad 3$$

2. (a) Investigate the nature of the point $t=0$ for the differential equation

$$t^4 y'' + (1 - \cos t)y + (t^2 \sin t)y' = 0 \quad 2$$

(b) Find a power series solution of the differential equation $(x-3)y' + 2y = 0$. Determine the radius of convergence of the resulting series. 4+1=5

3. (a) Use Laplace transforms to solve the initial value problem

$$x'' - x' - 6x = 0; x(0) = 2, x'(0) = -1 \quad 5$$

Or

$$x'' + 8x' + 15x = 0; x(0) = 2, x'(0) = -3$$

(b) Find the Frobenius series solutions of

$$xy'' + 2y' + xy = 0 \quad 6$$

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4. (a) Define 'goal programs'. 1

(b) Use the linear congruence method to generate 10 random numbers using $a=5$, $b=1$ and $c=8$. 2

(c) Why is sensitivity analysis important in linear programming? 3

5. (a) Define feasible solution. 1

(b) Solve the following model algebraically : 4

$$\text{Maximize } 25x + 30y$$

subject to

$$20x + 30y \leq 690$$

$$5x + 4y \leq 120$$

$$x, y \geq 0$$

(c) Explain middle-square method and use it to generate random numbers taking $x_0 = 2041$. Does this method have any drawbacks? Illustrate. 2+3+1=6

6. Answer any three of the following questions : 6×3=18

(a) Using Monte Carlo simulation, write an algorithm to calculate the volume of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \leq 1$ that lies in the first octant, $x > 0$, $y > 0$, $z > 0$.

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- (b) Use the golden-section search method with a tolerance of $t=0.2$ to minimize

$$f(x) = x^2 + 2x, -3 \leq x \leq 6$$

- (c) Use the curve-fitting criterion to minimize the sum of the absolute deviations for the model $y=ax^3$ and data set

$$x : 7 \quad 14 \quad 21 \quad 28 \quad 35 \quad 42$$

$$y : 8 \quad 41 \quad 133 \quad 250 \quad 280 \quad 297$$

- (d) Using simplex method, solve the following problem :

$$\text{Maximize } 3x + y$$

subject to

$$2x + y \leq 6$$

$$x + 3y \leq 9$$

$$x, y \geq 0$$

- (e) Fit the model $y=cx$ to the following data using Chebyshev's criterion to minimize the largest deviation :

$$x : 1 \quad 2 \quad 3$$

$$y : 2 \quad 5 \quad 8$$

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Paper : DSE-2.2

(MECHANICS)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

UNIT—I

1. (a) Define couple moment. A force

$$\vec{F} = (10\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} + 3\hat{k})$$

acts at position $(3, 0, 2)$. At point $(0, 2, -3)$, an equal but opposite force $-\vec{F}$ acts. Calculate the couple moment.

1+2=3

- (b) Show that any number of coplanar couples acting on a body is equivalent to a single couple whose moment is equal to the algebraic sum of moments of the couples.

6

Or

Derive the general equations of equilibrium.

- (c) An electric light fixture weighing 15 N hangs from a point C by two strings AC and BC. The string AC is inclined at 60° to the horizontal and BC at 45° to the horizontal. Draw the free-body diagram and determine forces in the strings AC and BC.

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- (d) A parallel system of forces is such that a 20-N force acts at position $x = 10$ m, $y = 3$ m; a 30-N force acts at position $x = 5$ m, $y = -3$ m; a 50-N force acts at position $x = -2$ m, $y = 5$ m.
- (i) If all forces act along negative z-direction, give the simplest resultant force and its line of action.
- (ii) If the 50-N force acts along positive z-direction and the others act along negative direction, find the resultant. 4+2=6

UNIT—II

2. (a) What do you mean by coefficient of friction? Write down the dimension of coefficient of friction. 2+2=4
- (b) The horizontal position of the 500 kg rectangular block of concrete is adjusted by the 5° wedge under the action of the force P . If the coefficient of friction for both wedge surfaces is 0.30 and the coefficient of friction between horizontal surface and block is 0.60, then determine the least force P required to move the block. 6

Or

A strongbox of mass 75 kg rests on a floor. The static coefficient of friction for the contact surface is 0.20. Calculate the largest force P and highest position h for applying this force that will not allow the strongbox to either slip on the floor or to tip.

- (c) Find the centroid of the area under the half-sine wave. 5
- (d) Show that

$$I_{xx} = \frac{bh^3}{12}, I_{yy} = \frac{b^3h}{12} \text{ and } I_{xy} = \frac{b^2h^2}{24}$$

for the right-angled triangle of base b and height h . 5

- (e) State and prove the theorem of Pappus-Guldinus. 5

UNIT—III

3. (a) Write down the statement of law of conservation of mechanical energy. 2
- (b) Define constant force field. 1

- (c) Given the following conservative force field

$$\vec{F} = (10z + y)\hat{i} + (15yz + x)\hat{j} + \left(10x + \frac{15y^2}{2}\right)\hat{k}$$

Find the force potential. Also, calculate the work done by \vec{F} on a particle going from

$$\vec{r}_1 = 10\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k} \text{ to } \vec{r}_2 = -2\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

4+3=7

Or

Show that the moment of the resultant force on a particle about a point, fixed in an inertial reference, is equal to the time rate of change of moment of the linear momentum of the particle relative to the inertial reference frame. 7

4. (a) State and prove Chasles' theorem. 7

- (b) A cylinder of radius R rotates about its own axis with an angular speed ω . If the total mass is M , show that the kinetic energy is

$$\frac{1}{4}MR^2\omega^2 \quad 6$$

- (c) Establish the relation between acceleration vectors of a particle for two systems of references moving arbitrarily relative to each other. 6
- (d) Derive the moment of momentum equation for a single particle. 6

Paper : DSE-2.3

(NUMBER THEORY)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

1. (a) Exhibit a complete residue system modulo 7 consisting of multiples of 3. 2
- (b) If $\tau(n) = 2$, then what conclusion can be drawn for the number n ? 1
- (c) Write the values of $\mu(49)$ and $\left[-\frac{1}{3}\right]$. 2
- (d) How many primitive roots of 9 are there? 1

(e) Find the value of the Legendre symbol

$$\left(\frac{2}{17}\right)$$

1

(f) What do you understand by primitive root of an integer n ?

1

2. (a) Find the solutions in positive integers for any one of the following :

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(i) $18x + 5y = 48$

(ii) $15x + 7y = 111$

(b) Prove that $a^{21} \equiv a \pmod{15}$ for all a .

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3. Answer any two of the following : $5 \times 2 = 10$

(a) Arrange the integers 2, 3, 4, ..., 21 in pairs a and b that satisfy

$$ab \equiv 1 \pmod{23}$$

(b) Solve the following simultaneous congruences :

$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{7}$$

$$x \equiv 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 3 \pmod{13}$$

(c) State and prove Wilson's theorem. Is the converse of Wilson's theorem true?

4. (a) What is meant by number theoretic function? When is it said to be a multiplicative function?

1+1=2

(b) Find the value of $\tau(900)$.

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(c) Prove that the Mobius μ function is a multiplicative function.

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(d) Prove that for a prime p

$$\phi(p^k) = p^k \left(1 - \frac{1}{p}\right)$$

Hence find $\phi(32)$.

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5. Answer any three of the following : $5 \times 3 = 15$

(a) For each positive integer $n \geq 1$, prove that

$$n = \sum_{d|n} \phi(d)$$

(b) State and prove Mobius inversion formula.

- (c) For $n > 1$, prove that the sum of the positive integers less than n and relatively prime to n is

$$\frac{1}{2} n \phi(n)$$

- (d) If $\gcd(m, n) = 1$, then prove that the set of positive divisors of mn consists of all products $d_1 d_2$ where $d_1 | m$, $d_2 | n$ with $\gcd(d_1, d_2) = 1$.

6. (a) Write the conditions for which an integer n fails to have primitive root. 2

- (b) Define the words 'plaintext' and 'ciphertext'. 2

- (c) Determine whether 2 is quadratic residue or non-residue of 13. 3

- (d) Find a Pythagorean triple of the form $16, y, z$. 2

- (e) Let p be an odd prime and $(a, p) = 1$. Prove that

$$\left(\frac{a}{p}\right) \equiv a^{(p-1)/2} \pmod{p} \quad 3$$

7. Answer any *three* of the following : $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Solve :

$$x^2 + 7x + 10 \equiv 0 \pmod{11}$$

- (b) If order of a modulo $p = 3$, where p is prime, then show that order of $(a+1)$ modulo p is 6.

- (c) If p is an odd prime, then there are precisely $\frac{(p-1)}{2}$ quadratic residues and $\frac{(p-1)}{2}$ quadratic non-residues of p .

Prove it.

- (d) Solve :

$$x^2 \equiv 7 \pmod{3^3}$$

- (e) Prove that there are infinitely many primes of the form $8k-1$.

Paper : DSE-2.4

(BIOMATHEMATICS)

Full Marks : 80

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UNIT—I

1. Answer any two of the following questions :
 $7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$

(a) A population is originally 100 individuals, but because of the combined effects of births and deaths, it triples each hour.

(i) Make a table of population size for $t=0$ to 5, where t is measured in hours.

(ii) Give two equations modeling the population growth by first expressing P_{t+1} in terms P_t and then expressing ΔP in terms of P_t .

(iii) What can you say about the birth and death rates for this population?

(b) In the early stages of the development of a frog embryo, cell division occurs at a fairly regular rate. Suppose you observe that all cells divide, and hence

the number of cells double, roughly every half-hour.

(i) Write down an equation modeling this situation. You should specify how much real-world time is required by an increment of 1 in t and what the initial number of cells is.

(ii) Produce a table and graph of the number of cells as a function of t .

(c) Obtain a simple prey-predator model explaining in detail the assumptions taken. Also find the equilibrium positions.

UNIT—II

2. Answer any two of the following questions :
 $7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$

(a) Consider the SI epidemic model. If the contact rate is 0.001 and the number of susceptibles is 2000 initially, determine—

(i) the number of susceptibles left after 3 weeks;

(ii) the density of susceptible when the rate of appearance of new cases is a maximum;

- (iii) the time (in week) at which the rate of appearance of new cases is a maximum;
- (iv) the maximum rate of appearance of new cases.
- (b) In an SIS model, if the infection is spread only by a constant number of carriers, then show that

$$I(t) = \left(I_0 - \frac{\alpha CN}{\alpha C + \beta} \right) e^{-(\alpha C + \beta)t} + \frac{\alpha CN}{\alpha C + \beta}$$

where I and C are the number of infectives and carriers; N is total population; α and β are contact rate and susceptible rate respectively; I_0 is the infectives at $t=0$.

- (c) Let x and y respectively denote the proportion of susceptibles and carriers in a population. Suppose the carriers are identified and removed from the population at a rate β , so that

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \beta y$$

Suppose also that the disease spreads at a rate proportional to the product of x and y , thus

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\alpha xy$$

- (i) Determine the proportions of carriers at any time t , where $y(0) = y_0$.
- (ii) Use (i) above to find the susceptibles at time t , where $x(0) = x_0$.
- (iii) Find the proportion of population that escapes the epidemic.

UNIT—III

3. Answer any two of the following questions :

$$7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$$

- (a) Consider the competition models for two species with populations N_1 and N_2

$$\frac{dN_1}{dt} = r_1 N_1 \left(1 - \frac{N_1}{K_1} - b_{12} \frac{N_2}{K_1} \right)$$

$$\frac{dN_2}{dt} = r_2 N_2 \left(1 - b_{21} \frac{N_1}{K_2} \right)$$

where only one species N_1 has limited carrying capacity. Investigate their stability and sketch the phase-plane trajectories. [Here, K_1 , K_2 are carrying capacities; r_1 , r_2 are linear birth rates of the populations N_1 and N_2 respectively; b_{12} , b_{21} measure the competitive effects of N_2 on N_1 and N_1 on N_2 respectively.]

$$4 + 3\frac{1}{2} = 7\frac{1}{2}$$

- (b) What is Routh-Hurwitz criterion? Explain with reference to multiple species communities. $2+5\frac{1}{2}=7\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) Discuss bifurcation and limit cycle with respect to any biological model. $7\frac{1}{2}$

UNIT—IV

4. Answer any two of the following questions : $7\frac{1}{2}\times 2=15$

(a) Write a short note on any one of the following :

- (i) One-species model with diffusion
(ii) Two-species model with diffusion

(b) For a blood vessel of constant radius R , length L and driving force $P=p_1-p_2$, show that the average velocity of the flow is equal to half of the maximum velocity and the resistance is

proportional to $\frac{L}{R^4}$.

(c) Consider arterial blood viscosity $\mu=0.027$ poise.

If the length of the artery is 2 cm, radius 8×10^{-3} cm and $P=p_1-p_2=4\times 10^3$ dynes/cm², then find—

- (i) $q_z(r)$ and the maximum peak velocity of blood;

(ii) the shear stress at the wall.

(Here q_z denotes velocity along z -axis, p_1 and p_2 denote pressure at two ends of the artery.)

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5. Answer any two of the following questions : $10\times 2=20$

(a) Let D & d and W & w respectively denote allele for tall & dwarf and round & wrinkled seeds of peas. Find the outcome of the product $DdWw\times ddWw$ using Punnett square or using probability. Also find the probability that the progeny of $DdWw\times ddWw$ is dwarf with round seeds. $6+4=10$

(b) Explain in detail the Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium, mentioning the assumptions considered for the equilibrium.

(c) Compare and contrast stage structure model with age structure model.
