



**MAR IVANIOS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)**  
**THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

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**Third Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, November 2016**

**First Degree Programme under CBCSS**

**Complementary Course: Mathematics – III (for Physics)**

**AUMM331.2d: Differential Equations, Theory of Equations and  
Theory of Matrices**

*(for 2014 Admissions – Improvement Only)*

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**SECTION – A**

*Answer ALL questions / problems in one or two sentences.*

1. Solve the differential equation  $xdy + ydx = 0$ .
2. Write the standard form of a second order linear differential equation in two variables.
3. Write the characteristic equation of the differential equation,  $(D^2 + 2D + 1)y = e^x$ .
4. Define rank of a matrix.
5. If 1, 2, 3 are the eigen values of a matrix A then find the eigen values of  $A^t$ .
6. Write the echelon form of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
7. Form a quadratic equation with integer coefficients given that one of whose roots is  $1 + i$ .
8. Find a column basis for the row space of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
9. If 4, 2, 3 are the roots of the equation  $ax^3 + bx + c = 0$ . Find an equation whose roots are  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}$ .
10. Find the number of imaginary roots of the equation  $x^3 + 2x + 3 = 0$ .

**(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)**

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## SECTION – B

Answer any **EIGHT** questions / problems, not exceeding a paragraph.

11. Solve the differential equation  $(1 + x^2) dy + (1 + y^2) dx = 0$ .
12. Solve  $y'' + 9y = e^x$ .
13. Find the condition that the differential equation  $(ax + by) dx + (kx + ly) dy = 0$  is exact.
14. Solve the equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ ,  $y(0) = 4$ ,  $y'(0) = -5$ .
15. Find the reduced form of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .
16. Solve the system of equations  $x + y + z = 0$ ;  $x - y - z = 0$ .
17. Test whether  $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is an eigen vector or not of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .
18. Solve the equation  $x^4 - 2x^3 - 21x^2 + 22x + 40 = 0$ , given that the roots are in arithmetic progression.
19. If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots of the equation  $x^3 - 2x^2 + 3 = 0$ , find the value of  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$ .
20. Solve  $2x^3 + x^2 - 7x - 6 = 0$ , given that difference between two of its roots is 3.
21. Find a quartic equation with integer coefficients having  $1-i$  and  $1 + \sqrt{2}$  as two of its roots.
22. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ , then Show that,  $A^2 + 6A + 5I = 0$ , where  $I$  is the unit matrix of order 2.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

## SECTION – C

Short essay type problems : Answer any **SIX** questions.

23. Solve  $(D^2 - 4D)y = 10\cos x + 5\sin x$ .
24. Solve  $(x^2 + xy)\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + y^2$ .
25. Find a family of curves which are orthogonal to the family of curves  $x^2 + (y-c)^2 = c^2$ .
26. Using Newton – Raphson method, find a real root near 1.5 to four decimal places of the equation,  $2x^3 - 7x^2 - x + 2 = 0$ .
27. Find a positive root of the equation  $x^2 - 3 = 0$  to two places of decimals using bisection method.

28. Solve  $4x^4 - 4x^3 - 25x^2 + x + 6 = 0$ , given that the difference between two of its roots is unity.
29. Test the consistency and solve:  $2x + 3y + z = 6$ ;  $x - y + z = 1$ ,  $3x - y - z = 1$ .
30. Find the eigen vectors of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .
31. Solve  $(D^2 - 3D + 2)y = x + \sin x$ .

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

**SECTION – D***Long essay type problems : Answer any TWO questions.*

32. Show that the equation  $e^{2x} = 25x - 20$  has two real roots and find the larger root correct to four significant figures.
33. Solve the following equations :
- i).  $(x^2D^2 + xD - 4)y = 0$ .
- ii).  $(3x + 2)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3(3x + 2) \frac{dy}{dx} - 36y = 3x^2 + 4x + 7$ .
34. Solve:
- i).  $x^2y'' - xy' + y = \sin(\ln x)$
- ii).  $(D^2 - 3D + 2)y = e^{3x} \sin x$ .
35. Diagonalise the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ , if possible.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

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