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SECTION - V

Show that the four points with position vectors $4\hat{i} + 5\hat{j} + \hat{k}$, $3\hat{i} + 9\hat{j} + 4\hat{k}$, $-\hat{j} - \hat{k}$ and $4(-\hat{i} + \hat{j} + \hat{k})$ are coplaner.

Prove that :

$$\vec{a} \times d^2b^{-1} - \frac{d^2a^{-1}}{dt^2} \times \vec{b} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\vec{a} \times \frac{d\vec{b}}{dt} - \frac{d\vec{a}}{dt} \times \vec{b} \right)$$

If :

$$\vec{a} = \sin \theta \hat{i} + \cos \theta \hat{j} + \theta \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{b} = \cos \theta \hat{i} - \sin \theta \hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{c} = 2\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

$$\text{find } \frac{d}{d\theta} [\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c})] \text{ at } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

) Find λ, μ, ν so that the vector :

$$(2x + 3y + \lambda z) \hat{i} + (\mu x + 2y + 3z) \hat{j} + (2x + \nu y + 3z) \hat{k}$$

is irrotational.

) Find curl (furl \vec{f}) of the function :

$$\vec{f} = y(x+z)\hat{i} + z(x+y) + x(y+z)\hat{k}.$$

) Define volume integral.

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Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.

Note : Attempt *five* questions in all, selecting *one* question from each Section. Question No. 9 (Section – V) is *compulsory*. All questions carry equal marks.

SECTION – I

1. (a) Show that the vectors :

$$\vec{a} - 2\vec{b} + 3\vec{c}, -2\vec{a} + 3\vec{b} - 4\vec{c} \text{ and } \vec{a} - 3\vec{b} + 5\vec{c} \text{ are coplaner.}$$

(b) Show that :

$$(\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = -2[\vec{a} \vec{b} \vec{c}] \vec{d}$$

2. (a) The necessary and sufficient condition for the vector function \vec{f} of a scalar variable t to have a constant magnitude is $\vec{f} \cdot \frac{d\vec{f}}{dt} = 0$.
- (b) A particle moves along the curve $x = t^3 + 1, y = t^2, z = 2t + 5$, where t is time. Find the components of velocity and acceleration at $t = 1$ in the direction of $\hat{i} + \hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$.

SECTION - II

3. (a) For any vector \vec{a} , show that $\nabla(\vec{a} \cdot \vec{r}) = \vec{a}$, where \vec{r} is the position vector of a point. Hence show that $\text{grad} [\vec{r} \cdot \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}] = \vec{a} \times \vec{b}$.
- (b) Given the curve of intersection of two surfaces $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ and $x + y + z = 1$; Find the tangent line at the point $(1, 0, 0)$.
4. (a) If $\text{div} (\phi(r)\vec{r}) = 0$ where $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$ and $|\vec{r}| = r$, then prove that $\phi(r) = \frac{C}{r^3}$.
- (b) Prove that :

$$\nabla \times (\vec{f} \times \vec{g}) = \vec{f} (\nabla \cdot \vec{g}) - \vec{g} (\nabla \cdot \vec{f}) + \vec{g} (\nabla \cdot \vec{f}) - \vec{f} (\nabla \cdot \vec{g})$$

SECTION - III

5. (a) If u, v, w are orthogonal curvilinear co-ordinates, then $\frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial u}, \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial v}, \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial w}$ and $\nabla u, \nabla v, \nabla w$ are reciprocal system of vectors.

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- (b) If (r, θ, ϕ) are spherical co-ordinates, show $\nabla \phi = \nabla \times (r \text{cosec } \theta \nabla \theta)$.
6. (a) Express the velocity \vec{v} and acceleration \vec{a} of a particle in cylindrical co-ordinates.
- (b) If p, ϕ, z are cylindrical co-ordinates, show $\nabla \phi$ and $\nabla \log p$ are solenoidal.

SECTION - IV

7. (a) A vector field is given by : $\vec{f} = \sin y \hat{i} + x(1 + \cos y) \hat{j}$

Evaluate the line integral $\int \vec{f} \cdot d\vec{r}$ along the curve given by $x^2 + y^2 = a^2, z = 0$;

- (b) Evaluate $\iint \vec{f} \cdot \hat{n} ds$ where $\vec{f} = (x + y^2) \hat{i} + 2yz \hat{k}$ and S is the surface of the plane $2x + y + 2z = 6$ in the first octant.

8. (a) Verify divergence theorem for $\vec{f} = x^2 \hat{i} + y^2 \hat{j} + z^2 \hat{k}$ taken over the cube bounded by $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$.

- (b) Verify Stokes's theorem for $\vec{f} = (2x - y) \hat{i} - yz^2 \hat{j} - y^2 z \hat{k}$ when S is upper hemisphere of the surface of sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ and C its boundary.

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