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B.Sc. MATHEMATICS – V SEMESTER

MID-SEMESTER TEST – AUGUST 2019

MT 5115 – MATHEMATICS V

Answer any Six out of Eight Questions :

(6 x 5 Marks=30 Marks)

1. Prove that $\text{grad}(\text{div } \vec{r}) = \left(\frac{-2}{r^3}\right)\vec{r}$, where $\vec{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$, $r = |\vec{r}|$.

2. If \vec{F} and \vec{G} are vector point functions, prove that

$$\text{curl}(\vec{F} \times \vec{G}) = (\text{div } \vec{G})\vec{F} - (\text{div } \vec{F})\vec{G} + (\vec{G} \cdot \nabla)\vec{F} - (\vec{F} \cdot \nabla)\vec{G}.$$

3. Find constants a and b such that $\vec{F} = (axy + z^3)\hat{i} + (3x^2 - z)\hat{j} + (bxz^2y)\hat{k}$ is irrotational. Also

find a scalar function ϕ such that $\vec{F} = \nabla\phi$.

4. (i) In a ring $(R, +, \cdot)$, prove that $a \cdot 0 = 0$ and $a \cdot (-b) = -(a \cdot b)$, $\forall a, b \in R$.

(ii) Find the zero and unity of the commutative ring $(\mathbb{Q}, \oplus, \square)$, where $a \oplus b = a + b + 1$ and

$$a \square b = a + b + ab, \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Q}. \text{ Show that this ring is an integral domain.}$$

5. Define a subring. Prove that a non-empty subset S of a ring $(R, +, \cdot)$ is a subring of R if and only if

$$S + (-S) = S \text{ and } S \cdot S \subseteq S.$$

6. Solve

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - 6y = 20e^{-2x}$$

7. Solve

$$(5 + 2x)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 6(5 + 2x) \frac{dy}{dx} + 8y = 8(5 + 2x)^2$$

8. Solve

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2$$