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End Semester Examination, 1st Semester, 2023
Academic Year 2023-24 (Odd Semester)
School of Physical Science, Department Physics
Programme Name: B. Sc. Honors with Research Physics 1st Sem
Course Code: Mathematical Physics 1 (PHC-101)

Time Allowed 2.0 Hours

Maximum Marks: 30

Note: All questions are compulsory and marks are indicated in front of each section.

SECTION: A

(Very Short Answer Type Questions; 1×6 = 6)

Q1. State the order and degree of the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 0$

- A. order 2 degree 1
- B. order 2 degree 2
- C. order 1 degree 1
- D. none of the above

Q2. Spherical co-ordinates of the system are

- A. x, y, z
- B. r, θ , ϕ
- C. s, ϕ , z
- D. r, θ , z

Q3. Variance for the Binomial probability distribution

- A. npq
- B. np
- C. nq
- D. pq

Q4. If p is the probability of success, then probability of failure q is

- A. 1+ p
- B. 1- p
- C. 2p
- D. 0

Q5. Write down the mathematical statement of Stoke's theorem.

Q6. If the mean and variance of a binomial distribution are 5 and 4 respectively then find the value of n.

SECTION: B

(Short Answer Type Questions; 3×4=12)

Q1. Prove that mean of Binomial distribution is greater than its variance.

Q2. A coin is tossed three times. Find the probability of the occurrence of heads.

Q3. If a vector field is $\vec{V} = xy^2 \hat{i} + 2y x^2 z \hat{j} - 3yz^2 \hat{k}$. Is this field is Irrotational?

SECTION: C

(Long Answer Type Questions; 2×6=12)

Q1. Define the Dirac delta function and write down the principle properties of the Dirac delta function.

Q2. Verify the Divergence theorem, given that $F = 4xz \hat{i} - y^2 \hat{j} + yz \hat{k}$ and S is the surface of the cube bounded by the planes $x = 0, x = 1, y = 0, y = 1, z = 0, z = 1$.