

B.Sc.- Physics(Hons) / III
(Mathematical Physics - III)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Question No. 1 is **compulsory** & attempt **four** other questions, choosing at least one from each section.

Q 1 Answer any *four* : $4 \times 2\frac{1}{2} = 10$

(a) Solve

$$2x + 3y - 2z = 5$$

$$x - 2y + 3z = 5$$

$$4x - y + 4z = 1$$

(b) Show that if the Fourier transform of a real function $f(t)$ is real, then $f(t)$ is an even function of t , and if the Fourier transform of a real function $f(t)$ is purely imaginary, then $f(t)$ is an odd function of t .

(c) Find

$$L^{-1}\left\{\ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{s}\right)\right\}$$

(d) Write u as a linear combination of the polynomials $v = 2t^2 + 3t - 4$ and $w = t^2 - 2t - 3$ where $u = 4t^2 - 6t - 1$.

(e) Find the Fourier transform of the shifted impulse function $\delta(t - t_0)$

Section A

Q 2 (a) Show that the polynomials $(1-t)^3$, $(1-t)^2$, $(1-t)$ and 1 generate the space of polynomials of degree ≤ 3 . 4

(b) Let U and W be the subspaces of \mathbf{R}^4 generated by 3, 3
 $\{(1, 1, 0, -1), (1, 2, 3, 0), (2, 3, 3, -1)\}$ and $\{(1, 2, 2, -2), (2, 3, 2, -3), (1, 3, 4, -3)\}$
 respectively. Find (i) $\dim(U + W)$, (ii) $\dim(U \cap W)$.

Q 3 (a) Let W be the space generated by the polynomials
 $u = t^3 + 2t^2 - 2t + 1$, $v = t^3 + 3t^2 - t + 4$ and $w = 2t^3 + t^2 - 7t - 7$
 Find a basis and the dimension of W . 6

- (b) Find the coordinate vector of $v = (4, -3, 2)$ relative to the basis $\{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$. 4

Section B

- Q 4** Find the rank of matrix A where: 10

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Q 5** (a) Let u, v and w be independent vectors. Show that $u + w, u - w$ and $u - 2v + w$ are also independent. 4
- (b) Determine whether or not the vector $v = (2, -5, 4)$ belong to the subspace of R^3 spanned by $\alpha_1 = (2, -1, 1)$ and $\alpha_2 = (1, -3, 2)$. 6

Section C

- Q 6** (a) Find the Fourier transform of the function $f(t) = e^{-|t|}$. 6
- (b) Find 4

$$L\left\{\frac{1 - e^{-t}}{t}\right\}$$

- Q 7** (a) A particle is executing simple harmonic oscillations expressed by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2x(t)}{dt^2} + \omega^2x(t) = 0$$

with the initial conditions at $t = 0$:

$$x(0) = 0 \quad \frac{dx(t=0)}{dt} = 0$$

where ω is a constant. Using the method of Laplace transforms find the equation of motion of the particle. 6

- (b) Use convolution to find 4

$$f(t) = F^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{(1 + j\omega)^2}\right]$$