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Complementary Course—CALCULUS, EXPONENTIAL AND LOGARITHMIC FUNCTIONS

(For B.A. Economics)

(2013–2016 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer all questions.
Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. What is $\lim_{x \rightarrow z} (x^4 + 3x)$?
2. If $y = -6x^5$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.
3. Define the term critical point.
4. If $f(x) = e^{g(x)}$, what is $f'(x)$?
5. Find the derivative of $2xe^x$.
6. If $y = (\log x)^2$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.
7. What is $\int a^{kx} dx$?
8. Find $\int \frac{1}{x} dx$.
9. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ for $z = e^x \sin y$.
10. Define income and cross price elasticities of demand.

(10 × 1 = 10)

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Part B

*Answer any **eight** questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

11. Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (5x^2 - 4x + 9)$.
12. Find the derivative of $y = (x+1)^2 (2x+3)$.
13. Test whether $y = 3x^2 - 14x + 5$ increasing, decreasing or remains stationary at $x = 4$.
14. At what rate will money quintuple if compounded continuously for 25 years ?
15. Find the first and second derivative of $y = \log_a 3x$.
16. Evaluate $\int x^{-1/5} dx$.
17. Find $\int (6e^{3x} - 8e^{-2x}) dx$.
18. State fundamental theorem of integral calculus.
19. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ for $z = 5x^3 - 3x^2y^2 + 7y^5$.
20. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ when $z = (x^3 + 7y^2)^4$.
21. If $z = (12x - 7y)^2$ find z_{xy} and z_{yx} .
22. If $z = x^{0.7}y^{0.2}$ find z_{xx} and z_{yy} .

(8 × 2 = 16)





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Part C

Answer any **six** questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.

23. Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ from the equation $3x^4 - 7y^5 - 86 = 0$.
24. Test whether $f(x) = \frac{x-3}{x^2-9}$ continuous at $x = 3$.
25. Find the critical values and relative extrema if any of the function $f(x) = 2x^4 - 16x^3 + 32x^2 + 5$.
26. Find the effective annual interest rate on \$ 100 at 6 percent compounded :
- (a) Semiannually ; and (b) Continuously.
27. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, where $y = \ln \frac{x^3}{(2x+5)^2}$?
28. Find the integral for $y = \int \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + 3x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \right) dx$, given the initial conditions $y = 0$, when $x = 0$.
29. Integrate $\int_0^3 \frac{6x}{x^2+1} dx$.
30. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$, where $z = \frac{6x+7y}{5x+3y}$?
31. A firm producing two goods x and y has the profit function :

$$\pi = 64x - 2x^2 + 4xy - 4y^2 + 32y - 14.$$

Find the profit maximising level of output for each of the two goods and test that the profits are maximised.

(6 × 4 = 24)

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Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

32. (a) Given $f(x) = g(x) \cdot h(x)$, where $g'(x)$ and $h'(x)$ both exist. Prove that :

$$f'(x) = g(x) \cdot h'(x) + h(x) \cdot g'(x).$$

- (b) Maximise the profit π for a firm given total revenue $R = 4000Q - 33Q^2$ and total cost $C = 2Q^3 - 3Q^2 + 400Q + 5000$, assuming $Q > 0$.

33. (a) Find the future value of a principal of \$ 2000 compounded semi annually at 12 percent for 3 years using (i) an exponential function ; (ii) the equivalent natural exponential function.

- (b) Using logarithmic differentiation find the derivative of $g(x) = \frac{(5x^3 - 8)(3x^4 + 7)}{(9x^5 - 2)}$.

34. (a) Evaluate $\int \frac{6x^2 + 4x + 10}{(x^3 + x^2 + 5x)^3} dx$.

- (b) Find the area between the curves $y_1 = x^2 - 4x + 8$ and $y_2 = 2x$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 3$.

35. Optimize $z = 4x^2 + 3xy + 6y^2$
subject to the constraint $x + y = 6$ using the method of Lagrange multipliers.

(2 × 15 = 30)

