

Calculus

Previous year Questions from
2017 to 1992

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2017

1. Integrate the function $f(x, y) = xy(x^2 + y^2)$ over the domain $R: \{-3 \leq x^2 - y^2 \leq 3, 1 \leq xy \leq 4\}$ [10 Marks]
2. Find the volume of the solid above the xy -plane and directly below the portion of the elliptic paraboloid $x^2 + \frac{y^2}{4} = z$ which is cut off by the plane $z = 9$ [15 Marks]
3. If $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy(x^2 - y^2)}{x^2 + y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$
calculate $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$ and $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ at $(0, 0)$. [15 Marks]
4. Examine if the improper integral $\int_0^3 \frac{2x dx}{(1-x^2)^{2/3}}$, exists. [10 Marks]
5. Prove that $\frac{\pi}{3} \leq \iint_D \frac{dx dy}{\sqrt{x^2 + (y-2)^2}} \leq \pi$ where D is the unit disc. [10 Marks]

2016

6. Evaluate: $I = \int_0^1 3 \sqrt{x \log\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)} dx$ [10 marks]
7. Find the matrix and minimum values of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the conditions $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{5} + \frac{z^2}{25} = 1$ and $x + y - z = 0$ [20 marks]
8. Let $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2x^4 - 5x^2y^2 + y^5}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ find a $\delta > 0$ such that $|f(x, y) - f(0, 0)| < 0.01$ whenever $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < \delta$ [15 marks]
9. Find the surface area of the plane $x + 2y + 2z = 12$ cut off by $x = 0, y = 0$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ [15 marks]
10. Evaluate $\iint_R f(x, y) dx dy$, over the rectangle $R = [0, 1; 0, 1]$ where $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x + y, & \text{if } x^2 < y < 2x^2 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$ [15 marks]

2015

11. Evaluate the following limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} \left(2 - \frac{x}{a}\right)^{\tan\left(\frac{\pi x}{2a}\right)}$ [10 Marks]

12. Evaluate the following integral: $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \frac{\sqrt[3]{\sin x}}{\sqrt[3]{\sin x} + \sqrt[3]{\cos x}} dx$ [10 Marks]
13. A conical tent is of given capacity. For the least amount of Canvas required, for it, find the ratio of its height to the radius of its base. [13 Marks]
14. Which point of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ is at the maximum distance from the point $(2,1,3)$ [13 Marks]
15. Evaluate the integral $\iint_R (x-y)^2 \cos^2(x+y) dx dy$ where R is the rhombus with successive vertices as $(\pi, 0), (2\pi, \pi), (\pi, 2\pi), (0, \pi)$ [12 Marks]
16. Evaluate $\iint_R \sqrt{|y-x^2|} dx dy$ where $R = [-1, 1; 0, 2]$ [13 Marks]
17. For the function $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - x\sqrt{y}}{x^2 + y}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$. Examine the continuity and differentiability. [12 Marks]

2014

18. Prove that between two real roots $e^x \cos x + 1 = 0$, a real root of $e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$ lies. [10 Marks]
19. Evaluate: $\int_0^1 \frac{\log_e(1+x)}{1+x^2} dx$. [10 Marks]
20. By using the transformation $x+y=u, y=uv$ evaluate the integral $\iint \{xy(1-x-y)\}^{\frac{1}{2}} dx dy$ taken over the area enclosed by the straight lines $x=0, y=0$ and $x+y=1$. [15 Marks]
21. Find the height of the cylinder of maximum volume that can be inscribed in a sphere of radius a . [15 Marks]
22. Find the maximum or minimum values of $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to the condition $ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 = 1$ and $lx + my + nz = 0$ interpret result geometrically [20 Marks]

2013

23. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \left(2x \sin \frac{1}{x} - \cos \frac{1}{x} \right) dx$ [10 Marks]
24. Using Lagrange's multiplier method find the shortest distance between the line $y = 10 - 2x$ and the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ [20 Marks]
25. Compute $f_{xy}(0,0)$ and $f_{yx}(0,0)$ for the function $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy^3}{x+y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0, & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$
Also distance the continuity of f_{xy} and f_{yx} at $(0,0)$. [15 Marks]
26. Evaluate $\iint_D xy dA$ where D is the region bounded by the line $y = x - 1$ and the parabola $y^2 = 2x + 6$. [15 Marks]

2012

27. Define a function f of two real variables in the plane by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^3 \cos \frac{1}{y} + y^3 \cos \frac{1}{x}}{x^2 + y^2} & \text{for } x, y \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$
- Check the continuity and differentiability of f at $(0, 0)$. [12 Marks]
28. Let p and q be positive real numbers such that $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$ show that for real numbers $ab \geq 0$ $ab \frac{a^p}{p} + \frac{b^q}{q}$. [12 Marks]
29. Find the point of local extrema and saddle points of the function f for two variable defined by $f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 63(x + y) + 12xy$ [20 Marks]
30. Defined a sequence s_n of real numbers by $s_n = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(\log(n+i) - \log n)^2}{n+1}$ does $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n$ exist? If so compute the value of this limit and justify your answer [20 Marks]
31. Find all the real values of p and q so that the integral $\int_0^1 x^p \left(\log \frac{1}{x}\right)^q dx$ converges [20 Marks]

2011

32. Find $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{x^2 y}{x^3 + y^3}$ if it exists [10 Marks]
33. Let f be a function defined on \mathbb{R} such that $f(0) = -3$ and $f'(x) \leq 5$ for all values of x in \mathbb{R} How large can $f(2)$ possibly be? [10 Marks]
34. Evaluate:
- (i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$ Where $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 2}, & x \neq 2 \\ \pi, & x = 2 \end{cases}$
- (ii) $\int_0^1 \ln x dx$. [20 Marks]

2010

35. A twice differentiable function $f(x)$ is such that $f(a) = 0 = f(b)$ and $f(c) > 0$ for $a < c < b$ prove that there be is at least one point $\xi, a < \xi < b$ for which $f''(\xi) < 0$ [12 Marks]
36. Dose the integral $\int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{\frac{1+x}{1-x}}$ exist if so find its value [12 Marks]
37. Show that a box (rectangular parallelepiped) of maximum volume V with prescribed surface area is a cube. [20Marks]

38. Let D be the region determined by the inequalities $x > 0, y > 0, z < 8$ and $z > x^2 + y^2$ compute $\iiint_D 2x dx dy dz$. [20 Marks]
39. If $f(x, y)$ is a homogeneous function of degree n in x and y , and has continuous first and second order partial derivatives then show that
- (i) $x \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + y \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = nf$
- (ii) $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = n(n-1)f$ [20 Marks]

2009

40. Suppose the f'' is continuous on $[1, 2]$ and that f has three zeroes in the interval $(1, 2)$ show that f'' has least one zero in the interval $(1, 2)$. [12 Marks]
41. If f is the derivative of some function defined on $[a, b]$ prove that there exists a number $\eta \in [a, b]$ such that $\int_a^b f(t) dt = f(\eta)(b-a)$ [12 Marks]
42. If $x = 3 \pm 0.01$ and $y = 4 \pm 0.01$ with approximately what accuracy can you calculate the polar coordinate r and θ of the point $P(x, y)$ Express your estimates as percentage changes of the value that r and θ have at the point $(3, 4)$ [20 Marks]
43. A space probe in the shape of the ellipsoid $4x^2 + y^2 + 4z^2 = 16$ enters the earth atmosphere and its surface begins to heat. After one hour, the temperature at the point (x, y, z) on the probe surface is given by $T(x, y, z) = 8x^2 + 4yz - 16z + 1600$ Find the hottest point on the probe surface. [20 Marks]
44. Evaluate $I = \iiint_S x dy dz + dz dx + xz^2 dx dy$ where S is the outer side of the part of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ in the first octant. [20 Marks]

2008

45. Find the value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \ln(1-x) \cot \frac{\pi x}{2}$. [12 Marks]
46. Evaluate $\int_0^1 (x \ln x)^3 dx$. [12 Marks]
47. Determine the maximum and minimum distances of the origin from the curve given by the equation $3x^2 + 4xy + 6y^2 = 140$. [20 Marks]
48. Evaluate the double integral $\int_y^a \frac{x dx dy}{x^2 + y^2}$ by changing the order of integration [20 Marks]
49. Obtain the volume bounded by the elliptic paraboloid given by the equations $z - x^2 + 9y^2$ & $z = 18 - x^2 - 9y^2$ [20 Marks]

2007

50. Let $l(x)$ ($x \in (-\pi, \pi)$) be defined by $f(x) = \sin|x|$ is f continuous on $(-\pi, \pi)$ if it is continuous then is it differentiable on $(-\pi, \pi)$? [12 Marks]
51. A figure bounded by one arch of a cycloid $x = a(t - \sin t)$, $y = a(1 - \cos t)$, $t \in [0, 2\pi]$ and the x-axis is revolved about the x-axis. Find the volume of the solid of revolution [12 Marks]
52. Find a rectangular parallelepiped of greatest volume for a given total surface area S using Lagrange's method of multipliers [20 Marks]
53. Prove that if $z = \phi(y + ax) + \psi(y - ax)$ then $a^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = 0$ for any twice differentiable ϕ and ψ is a constant. [15 Marks]
54. Show that $e^{-x}x^n$ is bounded on $[0, \infty)$ for all positive integral values of n using this result show that $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x}x^n dx$ exists. [15 Marks]

2006

55. Find a and b so that $f'(2)$ exists where $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{|x|}, & \text{if } |x| > 2 \\ a + bx^2 & \text{if } |x| \leq 2 \end{cases}$ [12 Marks]
56. Express $\int_0^1 x^m(1-x^n)^p dx$ in terms of Gamma function and hence evaluate the integral $\int_0^1 x^6 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx$ [12 Marks]
57. Find the values of a and b such that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{a \sin^2 x + b \log \cos x}{x^4} = \frac{1}{2}$. [15 Marks]
58. If $z = xf\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) + g\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$ show that $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + 2xy \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$. [15 Marks]
59. Change the order of integration in $\int_x^{\infty} \frac{e^{-y}}{y} dy dx$ and hence evaluate it. [15 Marks]
60. Find the volume of the uniform ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ [15 Marks]

2005

61. Show that the function given below is not continuous at the origin $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } xy = 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } xy \neq 0 \end{cases}$ [12 Marks]
62. Let $R^2 \rightarrow R$ be defined as $f(x, y) = \frac{xy}{\sqrt{(x^2 + y^2)}}$, $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$, $f(0, 0) = 0$ prove that f_x and f_y exist at $(0, 0)$ but f is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$. [12 Marks]
63. If $u = x + y + z$, $uv = y + z$ and $uvw = z$ then find $\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(u, v, w)}$ [15 Marks]

64. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{x^{m-1} + n-1}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx$ in terms of Beta function. [15 Marks]
65. Evaluate $\iiint_V z dv$ where V the volume is bounded below by the cone $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ and above by the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$ lying on the positive side of the y-axis. [15 Marks]
66. Find the x-coordinate of the center of gravity of the solid lying inside the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = 2ax$ between the plane $z = 0$ and the paraboloid $x^2 + y^2 = az$. [15 Marks]

2004

67. Prove that the function f defined on $[0, 4]$ $f(x) = [x]$ greatest integer $\leq x, x \in [0, 4]$ is integrable on $[0, 4]$ and that $\int_0^4 f(x) dx = 6$. [12 Marks]
68. Show that $x - \frac{x^2}{2} < \log(1+x) < x - \frac{x^2}{2(1+x)} x > 0$. [12 Marks]
69. Let the roots of the equation in $\lambda(\lambda-x)^3 + (\lambda-y)^3 + (\lambda-z)^3 = 0$ be u, v, w proving that $\frac{\partial(u, v, w)}{\partial(x, y, z)} = -2 \frac{(y-z)(z-x)(x-y)}{(u-v)(v-w)(w-u)}$. [15 Marks]
70. Prove that an equation of the form $x^n = \alpha$ where $\frac{ne}{N}$ and $\alpha > 0$ is a real number has a positive root [15 Marks]
71. Prove that $\int \frac{x^2 + y^2}{p} dx = \frac{\pi ab}{4} [4 + (a^2 + b^2)(a^{-2} + b^{-2})]$ when the integral is taken round the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ and p is three length of three perpendicular from the center to the tangent. [15 Marks]
72. If the function f is defined by $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}, & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & , (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$ then show that possesses both the partial derivative at but it is not continuous thereat. [15 Marks]

2003

73. Let f be a real function defined as follow: $f(x) = x, -\leq x < 1$
 $f(x+2) = x, \forall x \in R$ Show that f is discontinuous at every odd integer [12 Marks]
74. For all real numbers x, f(x) is given as $f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x + a \sin x, & x < 0 \\ b(x-1)^2 + x - 2, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$ Find values of a and b for which is differentiable at $x = 0$. [12 Marks]
75. A rectangular box open at the top is to have a volume of 4 Using Lagrange's method of multipliers find the dimension of the box so that the material of a given type required to construct it may be least. [15 Marks]

76. Test the convergent of the integrals (i) $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^3(1+x^2)}$ (ii) $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 x}{x^2} dx$ [15 Marks]
77. Evaluate the integral $\int_0^a \int_{\frac{y^2}{a}}^y \frac{y dx dy}{(a-x)\sqrt{ax-y^2}}$
78. Find the volume generated by revolving by the real bounded by the curves $(x^2 + 4a^2)y = 8a^3$, $2v = x$ and $x = 0$ about the y-axis. [15 Marks]

2002

79. Show that $\frac{b-a}{\sqrt{1-a^2}} \leq \sin^{-1} b - \sin^{-1} a \leq \frac{b-a}{\sqrt{1-b^2}}$ for $0 < a < b < 1$. [12 Marks]
80. Show that $\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-(x^2+y^2)} dx dy = \frac{\pi}{4}$ [12 Marks]
81. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^p \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$ Obtain condition on p such that (i) f is continuous at $x = 0$ and (ii) f is differentiable at $x = 0$ [15 Marks]
82. Consider the set of triangle having a given base and a given vertex angle show that the triangle having the maximum area will be isosceles [15 Marks]
83. If the roots of the equation $(\lambda - u)^3 + (\lambda - v)^3 + (\lambda - w)^3 = 0$ in λ are x, y, z show that $\frac{\partial(x, y, z)}{\partial(u, v, w)} = -\frac{2(u-v)(v-w)(w-u)}{(x-y)(y-z)(z-x)}$. [15 Marks]
84. Find the center of gravity of the region bounded by the curve $\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}} + \left(\frac{y}{b}\right)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1$ and both axes in the first quadrant the density being $\rho = kxy$ where k is constant. [15 Marks]

2001

85. Let be defined on by setting $f(x) = x$ if x is rational and $f(x) = 1 - x$ if is irrational show that is continuous at $x = \frac{1}{2}$ but is discontinuous at every other point. [12 Marks]
86. Test the convergence of $\int_0^1 \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)}{\sqrt{x}} dx$. [12 Marks]
87. Find the equation of the cubic curve which has the same asymptotes as $2x(y-3)^2 = 3y(x-1)^2$ and which touches the axis at the origin and passes through the point $(1,1)$. [15 Marks]
88. Find the maximum and minimum radii vectors of the section of the surface $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = a^2 x^2 + b^2 y^2 + c^2 z^2$ by the plane $lx + my + nz = 0$ [15 Marks]
89. Evaluate $\iiint (x + y + z + 1)^2 dx dy dz$ over the region defined by $x \geq 0, y \geq 0, z \geq 0, x + y + z \leq 1$ [15 Marks]
90. Find the volume of the solid generated by revolving the cardioid $r = a(1 - \cos \theta)$ about the initial line [15 Marks]

2000

91. Use the mean value theorem to prove that $\frac{2}{7} < \log 1.4 < \frac{2}{5}$. [12 Marks]
92. Show that $\iint x^{2l-1} y^{2m-1} dx dy = \frac{1}{4} r^{2(l+m)} \frac{\Gamma l \Gamma m}{\Gamma(l+m+1)}$ for all positive values of l and m and laying the circle $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$. [12 Marks]
93. Find the center of gravity of the positive octant of the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ if the density varies as xyz . [15 Marks]
94. Let $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2, & x \text{ is irrational} \\ 1, & x \text{ is rational} \end{cases}$ show that it is not Riemann integrable on $[a, b]$. [15 Marks]
95. Show that $\frac{d^n}{dx^n} \left(\frac{\log x}{x} \right) = (-1)^n \frac{n!}{x^{n+1}} \left(\log x - 1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \dots - \frac{1}{n} \right)$. [15 Marks]
96. Find constant a and b for which $F(a, b) = \int_0^{\pi} \{ \log x - ax^2 + bx^2 \} dx$ is a minimum. [15 Marks]

1999

97. Determine the set of all points where the function $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+|x|}$ is differentiable. [20 Marks]
98. Find three asymptotes of the curve $x^3 + 2x^2y - 4xy^2 - 8y^3 - 4x + 8y - 10 = 0$. Also find the intercept of one asymptote between the other two. [20 Marks]
99. Find the dimensions of a right circular cone of minimum volume which can be circumscribed about a sphere of radius a . [20 Marks]
100. If f is Riemann integral over every interval of finite length and $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$ for every pair of real numbers x and y show that $f(x) = cx$ where $c = f(1)$. [20 Marks]
101. Show that the area bounded by cissoids $x = a \sin^2 t$, $y = a \frac{\sin^3 t}{\cos t}$ and its asymptote is $\frac{3\pi a^2}{4}$. [20 Marks]
102. Show that $\iint x^{m-1} y^{n-1}$ over the positive quadrant of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ is $\frac{a^m b^n}{4} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{m}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{m}{2} + \frac{n}{2} + 1\right)}$. [20 Marks]

1998

103. Find the asymptotes of the curve $(2x - 3y + 1)^2(x + y) - 8x + 2y - 9 = 0$ and show that they intersect the curve again in three points which lie on a straight line. [20 Marks]

104. A thin closed rectangular box is to have one edge n times the length of another edge and the volume of the box is given to be v . Prove that the least surface s is given by $ns^3 = 54(n+1)^2 v^2$ [20 Marks]
105. If $x + y = 1$, Prove that $\frac{d^n}{dx^n}(x^n y^n) = n! \left[y^n - \binom{n}{1}^2 y^{n-1} x + \binom{n}{2}^2 y^{n-2} x^2 + \dots + (-1)^n x^n \right]$ [20 Marks]
106. Show that $\int_0^\infty \frac{x^{p-1}}{(1+x)^{p+q}} dx = B(p, q)$ [20 Marks]
107. Show that $\iiint \frac{dx dy dz}{\sqrt{(1-x^2-y^2-z^2)}} = \frac{\pi^2}{8}$ Integral being extended over all positive values of x, y, z for which the expression is real. [20 Marks]
108. The ellipse $b^2 x^2 + a^2 y^2 = a^2 b^2$ is divided into two parts by the line $x = \frac{1}{2} a$, and the smaller part is rotated through for right angles about this line. Prove that the volume generated is $\pi a^2 b \left\{ \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} - \frac{\pi}{3} \right\}$ [20 Marks]

1997

109. Suppose $f(x) = 17x^{12} - 124x^9 + 16x^3 - 129x^2 + x - 1$ determine $\frac{d}{dx}(f^{-1})$ if $x = -1$ it exists. [20 Marks]
110. Prove that the volume of the greatest parallelepiped that can be inscribed in the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ is $\frac{8abc}{3\sqrt{3}}$ [20 Marks]
111. Show that the asymptotes of the curve $(x^2 - y^2)(y^2 - 4x^2) + 6x^3 - 5x^2 y - 3xy^2 + zy^3 - x^2 + 3xy - 1 = 0$ again in eight points which lie on a circle of radius 1. [20 Marks]
112. An area bounded by a quadrant of a circle of radius a and the tangent at its extremities revolve about one of the tangent Find the volume so generated. [20 Marks]
113. Show how the changes of order in the integral $\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty e^{-xy} \sin x dx dy$ leads to the evaluation of $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ hence evaluate it. [20 Marks]
114. Show that in $\sqrt{n} \sqrt{n + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2^{2n-1}}$ where $n > 0$ and \sqrt{n} denote gamma function. [20 Marks]

1996

115. Find the asymptotes of all curves $4(x^4 + y^4) - 17x^2 y^2 - 4x(4y^2 - x^2) + 2(x^2 - 2) = 0$ and show that they pass through the point of intersection of the curve with the ellipse $x^2 + 4y^2 = 4$. [20 Marks]
116. Show that any continuous function defined for all real x and satisfying the equation $f(x) = f(2x+1)$ for all x must be a constant function. [20 Marks]
117. Show that the maximum and minimum of the radii vectors of the section of the surface $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^2 \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2}$ by the plane $\lambda x + \mu y + \nu z = 0$ are given by the equation $\frac{a^2 \lambda^2}{I - a^2 r^2} + \frac{b^2 \mu^2}{I - b^2 r^2} + \frac{c^2 \nu^2}{I - c^2 r^2} = 0$. [20 Marks]

118. If $u = f\left(\frac{x}{a}, \frac{y}{b}, \frac{z}{c}\right)$ prove that $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + z \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = 0$ [20 Marks]
119. Evaluate $\int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \frac{r^{-y}}{y} dx dy$. [20 Marks]
120. The area cut off from the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ by chord joining the vertex to an end of the latus rectum is rotated through four right angle about the chord. Find the volume of the solid so formed. [20 Marks]

1995

121. If g is the inverse of f and $f'(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^3}$ prove that $g(x) = 1[g(x)]^3$ [20 Marks]
122. Taking the n th derivative of $(x^n)^2$ in tow different ways show that $1 + \frac{n^2}{1^2} + \frac{n^2}{1^2 2^2} + \frac{n^2(n-1)^2}{1^2, 2^2, 3^2} + \dots$ to $(n+1)$ term $= \frac{(2n)!}{(n!)^2}$ [20 Marks]
123. Let $f(x, y)$ which possesses continuous partial derivatives of second order be a homogeneous function of x and y off degree n prove that $x^2 f_{xx} + 2xy f_{xy} + y^2 f_{yy} = n(n-1)f$. [20 Marks]
124. Find the area bounded by the curve $\left(\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9}\right) = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{9}$. [20 Marks]
125. Let $f(x), x \geq 1$ be such that the area bounded by the curve $y = f(x)$ and the lines $x = 1, x = b$ is equal to $\sqrt{1+b^2} - \sqrt{2}$ for all $b \geq 1$ does f attain its minimum? If so what is its values? [20 Marks]
126. Show that $\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{2}{n}\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{n}\right)\dots\Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right) = \frac{(2\pi)^{n-1}}{\sqrt{n} \cdot 2}$. [20 Marks]

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127. $f(x)$ is defined as follows: $f(x) = \begin{cases} f \frac{1}{2}(b^2 - a^2) & \text{of } 0 < x \leq a \\ \frac{1}{2}b^2 - \frac{x^2}{6} - \frac{a^2}{3x} & \text{of } a < x \leq b \\ \frac{1}{3} \frac{b^3 - a^3}{x} & \text{of } x > b \end{cases}$ prove that $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ are continuous but $f'(x)$ is discontinuous. [20 Marks]
128. If α and β lie between the least and greatest values of a, b, c prove that $\begin{vmatrix} f(a) & f(b) & f(c) \\ \phi(a) & \phi(b) & \phi(c) \\ \psi(x) & \psi(b) & \psi(c) \end{vmatrix} = K \begin{vmatrix} f(a) & f'(\alpha) & f(\beta) \\ \phi(a) & \phi'(\alpha) & \phi(\beta) \\ \psi(x) & \psi'(\alpha) & \psi(\beta) \end{vmatrix}$ where $K = \frac{1}{2}(b-c)(c-a)(a-b)$ [20 Marks]
129. Prove that all rectangular parallelepipeds of same volume, the cube has the least surface [20 Marks]
130. Show that means of beta function that $\int_f^z \frac{dx}{(z-x)^{1-\alpha}(x-t)^\alpha} = \frac{\pi}{\sin \pi\alpha} (0 < \alpha < 1)$. [20 Marks]

131. Prove that the value of $\iiint \frac{dxdydz}{(x+y+z+1)^3}$ taken over the volume bounded by the co-ordinate planes and the plane $x+y+z=1$ is $\frac{1}{2} \left(\log 2 - \frac{5}{8} \right)$. [20 Marks]
132. The sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ is pierced by the cylinder $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 - y^2)$ prove by the cylinder $(x^2 + y^2)^2 = a^2(x^2 - y^2)$ is $\frac{8a^3}{3} \left[\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \right]$ [20 Marks]

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133. Prove that $f(x) = x^2 \sin \frac{1}{x}, x \neq 0$ and $f(x) = 0, x = 0$ for is continuous and differentiable at $x = 0$ but its derivative is not continuous there. [20 Marks]
134. If $f(x), \phi(x), \psi(x)$ have derivative when $a \leq x \leq b$ show that there is a values c of x lying between a and b such that $\begin{vmatrix} f(a) & \phi(a) & \psi(a) \\ f(b) & \phi(b) & \psi(b) \\ f(c) & \phi(c) & \psi(c) \end{vmatrix} = 0..f$ [20 Marks]
135. Find the triangle of maximum area which can be inscribed in a circle [20 Marks]
136. Prove that $\int_0^\infty e^{-ax^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{2\sqrt{a}} (a > 0)$ deduce that $\int_0^\infty x^{2n} e^{-x^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{2^{n+1}} [1.3.5... (2n-1)]$ [20 Marks]
137. Defined Gamma function and prove that $\Gamma \left(n + \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{2^{2n-1}} \Gamma(2n)$ [20 Marks]
138. Show that volume common to the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ and the cylinder $x^2 + y^2 = ax$ is $\frac{2a^2}{9} (3\pi - 4)$. [20 Marks]

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139. If $y = e^{ax} \cos bx$ prove that $y_2 - 2ay_1 + (a^2 + b^2)y = 0$ and hence expand $e^{2x} \cos bx$ in powers of x Deduce the expansion of e^{ax} and $\cos bx$. [20 Marks]
140. If $x = r \sin \theta \cos \phi, y = r \sin \theta \sin \phi, z = r \cos \theta$ then prove that $dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2 = dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2$. [20 Marks]
141. Find the dimension of the rectangular parallelepiped inscribed in the ellipsoid $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1$ that has greatest volume [20 Marks]
142. Prove that the volume enclosed by the cylinders $x^2 + y^2 = 2ax, z^2 = 2$ axis $128a^3 / 15$ [20 Marks]
143. Find the centre of gravity of the volume formed by revolving the area bounded by the parabolas $y^2 = 4ax$ and $x^2 = 4by$ about the x -axis [20 Marks]
144. Evaluate the following integral in terms of Gamma function $\int_1^{+1} (1+x)^p (1-x)^q dx, [p > -1, q > -1]$ and prove that $\Gamma \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) \Gamma \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \pi$ [20 Marks]