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Note: Notations and Terminologies are standard.

Q.1 Choose correct option from given four choices.

[08]

(i) Let  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then

- (a)  $\langle x, y \rangle \geq 0$
- (b)  $\langle x, y \rangle = 0$
- (c)  $\langle x, y \rangle \leq 0$
- (d) none

(ii) Which of the following is true?

- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 0$
- (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x}{x} = 1$
- (c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \cos(\frac{1}{x}) = 0$
- (d) none

(iii) Let  $a = (2, 1)$  and  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined as  $f(x) = x_1 x_2$ . Then  $Df(a) =$

- (a)  $\pi_1 + \pi_2$
- (b)  $2\pi_1 + \pi_2$
- (c)  $\pi_1 + 2\pi_2$
- (d) none

(iv) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be differentiable at  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then which is false?

- (a)  $D_x f(a)$  exists for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- (b)  $f$  is continuous at  $a$
- (c)  $D_j f(a)$  exists for all  $1 \leq j \leq n$
- (d) All are false.

(v) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that  $D_x f(a)$  exists for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then

- (a)  $f$  is continuous at  $a$
- (b)  $D_j f(a)$  exists ( $1 \leq j \leq n$ )
- (c)  $f$  is differentiable at  $a$
- (d) None

(vi) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined as  $f(x) = \sqrt{|x_1 x_2|}$ . Then

- (a)  $f$  is continuous only at origin
- (b)  $f$  is continuous
- (c)  $f$  is differentiable
- (d)  $f$  is differentiable only at origin

(vii) Let  $S$  and  $T$  be  $k$ -tensors on  $V$ . Then

- (a)  $S \otimes T = T \otimes S$
- (b)  $S - T = T - S$
- (c)  $S + T = T + S$
- (d) none

(viii) The dimension of  $\mathcal{T}^4(\mathbb{R}^3)$  is

- (a) 81
- (b) 12
- (c) 64
- (d) 7

Q.2 Attempt any seven.

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- (i) Define Euclidean norm and inner product on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .
- (ii) Prove that  $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$  ( $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ).
- (iii) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  be linear. Prove that  $T$  is continuous.
- (iv) Define  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  as  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x$ . Prove that  $Df(5) = \lambda_{13}$ .
- (v) If  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is differentiable at  $a$ , then prove that each  $f^i$  is differentiable at  $a$ .
- (vi) Define the differentiability of  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  at  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .
- (vii) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $a, x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Show that  $D_{sx} f(a) = s D_x f(a)$  ( $s \in \mathbb{R}$ ).
- (viii) Let  $T : (\mathbb{R}^3)^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $T(x, y) = x_1 + y_2$ . Does  $T \in \mathcal{T}^2(\mathbb{R}^3)$ ? Why?
- (ix) Define tensor product and wedge product.

(P.T.O.)

Q.3

(a) Let  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Prove that  $|\langle x, y \rangle| = \|x\| \|y\|$  iff  $x$  and  $y$  are linearly dependent. [6]

(b) Let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be closed, let  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a bounded function, and let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then prove that the set  $B = \{x \in A : o(f; x) \geq \varepsilon\}$  is closed in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . [6]

OR

(b) Define  $T(x) = (x_1 + x_2, 2x_1 + x_2)$  ( $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ). Find a matrix  $A$  such that  $T(x) = xA$  ( $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ). [6]

Q.4

(a) If a function  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is differentiable at  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then there exists a unique linear transformation  $\lambda : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  such that [6]

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|f(a+h) - f(a) - \lambda(h)\|}{\|h\|} = 0.$$

(b) Let  $f, g : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be differentiable at  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then prove that  $fg$  is differentiable at  $a$ . [6]

OR

(b) State and prove the chain rule. [6]

Q.5

(a) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be differentiable at  $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then  $D_j f^i(a)$  exists for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and for all  $1 \leq j \leq n$ . Moreover, the Jacobian matrix [6]

$$f'(a) = \begin{bmatrix} D_1 f^1(a) & D_2 f^1(a) & \cdots & D_n f^1(a) \\ D_1 f^2(a) & D_2 f^2(a) & \cdots & D_n f^2(a) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ D_1 f^m(a) & D_2 f^m(a) & \cdots & D_n f^m(a) \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Prove that every continuously differentiable function is differentiable. [6]

OR

(b) Find the derivation of  $f(x) = (x_1, \cos(x_2 x_3), x_2)$  at  $a = (0, 1, \pi)$ . [6]

Q.6

(a) Let  $V$  be a vector space with dimension  $n$  and  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . Prove that  $\dim(\mathcal{T}^k(V)) = n^k$ . [6]

(b) Let  $S \in \mathcal{T}^k(V)$  such that  $\text{Alt}(S) = 0$  and  $T \in \mathcal{T}^\ell(V)$ . Prove that  $\text{Alt}(S \otimes T) = 0$ . [6]

OR

(b) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be differentiable. Then prove that [6]

$$\tilde{f}_{1*}(d\pi_i) = \sum_{j=1}^n D_j f^i \cdot d\pi_j \quad (1 \leq i \leq m).$$

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