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(New Course)

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Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :**
- (1) There are five questions.
 - (2) Attempt all the questions.
 - (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1 Attempt any seven : **14**

- (1) Define : Regular curve.
- (2) Define : Tangent vector field.
- (3) Is the curve $\alpha(t) = (t^3, t^2, 2t)$ regular ? Justify your answer.
- (4) Define : Arc length.
- (5) Define : Unit speed curve.
- (6) Define : The tangent space and the normal space.
- (7) Define : Normal curvature and Geodesic curvature.
- (8) Define : Simple surface.
- (9) Define : Tangent vector to a simple surface.
- (10) Define : Proper cp-ordinate patch.

2 Attempt the following :

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- (a) Define : Reparametrization. If $g : [c, d] \rightarrow [a, b]$ is a reparametrization of a curve segment $\alpha : [a, b] \rightarrow R^3$ then show that the length of α is equal to the length of $\beta = \alpha \circ g$.
- (b) Reparametrize the curve $\alpha(t) = (r \cos t, r \sin t, 0)$ by its arc length and also find its curvature (where $r > 0$).

OR

- (b) Find the arc length of the helix $\alpha(t) = (a \cos t, a \sin t, at \tan \alpha)$.

3 Attempt the following :

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- (a) For the circular helix $\alpha(t) = (r \cos \omega s, r \sin \omega s, h\omega s)$, compute Frenet - Serret appartus (where $\omega = (r^2 + h^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$)

OR

- (a) Show that $\alpha(s) = \left(\frac{(1+s)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3}, \frac{(1-s)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3}, \frac{s}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$ is a unit

speed curve and compute its Frenet - Serret appartus.

- (b) Show that $\alpha(s) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos^{-1} s, s\sqrt{1-s^2}, 1-s^2, 0 \right)$ is a unit speed curve and compute its Frenet - Serret appartus.

4 Attempt the following : 14

- (a) State and prove Frenet - Serret theorem.
- (b) Let $\alpha(s)$ be a unit speed curve whose image lies on a sphere of radius r and centre m then show that $k \neq 0$. Also if $\tau \neq 0$ then $\alpha - m = -\rho N - \rho' \sigma \beta$ and

$$r^2 = \rho^2 + (\rho' \sigma)^2 \quad (\text{where } \rho = \frac{1}{k} \text{ and } \sigma = \frac{1}{\tau}).$$

5 Attempt any two : 14

- (a) If $x : u \rightarrow R^3$ is a simple surface and $f : v \rightarrow u$ is a co-ordinate transformation such that $y = x \circ f$ then prove that
- (i) The tangent plane to the simple surface x at $P = x(f(a, b))$ is equal to the tangent plane to the simple surface y at $P = y(a, b)$.
- (ii) The normal to the surface x at P is same as the normal to the surface y at P except possibly it may have the opposite sign.
- (b) Prove that : The set of all tangent vectors to a simple surface $x : u \rightarrow R^3$ at P is a vector space.
- (c) Find the co-efficient of second fundamental form and Christoffel symbols for the surface

$$x(u^1, u^2) = (u^1, u^2, f(u^1, u^2)).$$