

B.Sc. - III CBCS Pattern Semester-V  
**USMT10 - (DSE-II) Mathematics Paper-II (Mechanics)**

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 60

- Notes : 1. Solve all **five** questions.  
2. All questions carry equal marks.

**UNIT – I**

1. a) Find the equations of path & component of accelerations if the velocities of the particle along & perpendicular to radius vector from a fixed origin are  $\lambda r^2$  &  $\mu\theta^2$ . **6**
- b) Prove that : **6**
- i)  $\frac{d\hat{r}}{dt} = \dot{\theta}\hat{e}$
- ii)  $\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\dot{\theta}\hat{r}$

**OR**

- c) A point moves in a curve so that its tangential & normal accelerations are equal, prove that velocity varies as  $e^{\psi}$ . Also if the angular velocity of the tangent is constant, find the curve. **6**
- d) A particle is moving in a parabola with uniform angular velocity about the focus, prove that its acceleration at any point is proportional to the radius of curvature of path at that point. **6**

**UNIT – II**

2. a) Prove that if the forces acting on the particle are conservative the total energy of particle is conserved. **6**
- b) For the system of particles show that  $N = \dot{M}$  where  $N^{(e)}$  is the total external torque &  $M$  is the total angular momentum. **6**

**OR**

- c) Show that the magnitude  $R$  of the position for the center of mass from an arbitrary origin is given by. **6**
- $$M^2 R^2 = M \sum_i m_i r_i^2 - \frac{1}{2} \sum_i m_i m_j r_{ij}^2$$
- d) A particle moves in straight line with constant acceleration  $a$ . If at time  $t = 0$ , the particle position is  $x_0$  & its velocity is  $v_0$  then prove that **6**
- $$v = v_0 + at, \quad x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2 \quad \& \quad v^2 = v_0^2 + 2a(x - x_0)$$

**UNIT – III**

3. a) State & prove D’Alembert principle. 6
- b) Construct the Lagrangian for a particle moving in a space & then deduce the equation of motion. 6

**OR**

- c) Derive the Lagrange’s equations of motion for partly conservative system. 6
- d) Prove that the rate of energy dissipation due to friction is  $2R$ . 6

**UNIT – IV**

4. a) Derive the differential equation for the orbit for a central force field. 6
- b) A particle moves on a curve  $r^n = a^n \cos n\theta$  under the influence of a central force field. Find the law of force. 6

**OR**

- c) State & prove the Kepler’s first law about the motion of the planet. 6
- d) Show that a particle moving under a central force such that  $V = kr^{n+1}$  the virial theorem reduces to  $\overline{2T} = (n+1)\overline{V}$ . 6

5. Solve **any six**:

- a) Define the radial & transverse velocities. 2
- b) Define the curvature & radius of curvature of the curve. 2
- c) Show that  $\dot{M} = 0$ . 2
- d) Define the virtual work. 2
- e) Define the Rayleigh’s dissipation function. 2
- f) Show that the force of constraint does no work in any possible displacement. 2
- g) State the Kepler’s second law. 2
- h) State the virial theorem. 2

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