

**M.Sc. 2nd Semester Examination, 2023**

**APPLIED MATHEMATICS**

PAPER – MTM-205

*Full Marks : 40*

*Time : 2 hours*

*The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable*

*(General Theory of Continuum Mechanics)*

1. Answer any *four* questions : 2 × 4

(a) Find the value of Lamé's constants in terms of Young's modulus and Poisson's ratio. 2

- (b) Show that the principal directions of strain at each point in a linearly elastic isotropic body must be coincident with the principal directions of stress. 2

- (c) The stress tensor at a point  $P$  in a continuum body is given by

$$(E_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the Cauchy's stress quadric surface at  $P$ . 2

- (d) The state of stress at a point with respect to cartesian co-ordinate system  $Ox_1x_2x_3$  is given by

$$(T_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 15 & -10 & 0 \\ -10 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 20 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine the stress  $T'_{ij}$  for related to the axes  $Ox'_1x'_2x'_3$  for which the transformation matrix is given by 2

$$(T'_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & 0 & \frac{-4}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{4}{5} & 0 & \frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (e) Show that in two dimensional irrotational liquid motion, stream function  $\psi(x, y)$  and velocity potential  $\phi(x, y)$  satisfy the Laplace's equation and also show that the family of curves  $\phi(x, y) = \text{constant}$  and  $\psi(x, y) = \text{constant}$  cut orthogonally at their point of intersection. 2
- (f) Write down the difference between stream line and path line. 2

2. Answer any *four* questions :

4 × 4

- (a) Find the shearing stress and normal stress on the octahedral plane element through a point  $P$  at which stress matrix is given by 4

$$(T_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (b) Prove that there can not be two different forms of irrotational motion for a given confined mass of liquid whose boundaries have prescribed velocities. 4
- (c) Derive the extensional strain tensor. The strain tensor at a point is given by

$$(E_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Determine the extension of the line element

in the direction of  $\left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$ . 2 + 2

- (d) Establish relation between the strain tensor and strain vector. Define principal strain. 2 + 2
- (e) Derive Navier's equation of motion. 4
- (f) What is the significance of an image. Find the image of a source with respect to a straight line. 2 + 2

3. Answer any *two* questions : 8 × 2

- (a) What is the concept of stress vector ? Prove that the stress vector at a point on any arbitrary plane surface is a linear function of three stress vectors acting on any three mutually perpendicular planes through that point. 2 + 6
- (b) (i) Derive the integral of Euler's Equation of motion when body forces are conservative, pressure is a function of density alone and flow is irrotational. 5

(ii) Show that

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} \tan^2 t + \frac{y^2}{b^2} \cot^2 t = 1$$

is a possible form of boundary surface of a liquid motion. 3

(c) If the equations characterizing the deformation are

$$x_1 = X_1 + \epsilon X_2,$$

$$x_2 = X_2 - \epsilon X_1 + \epsilon X_3$$

$$x_3 = X_3 - \epsilon X_2$$

then determine the Lagrangian and Eulerian finite strain tensors. 8

(d) Define isotropic linear elastic body. Hence, derive its constitutive equation. 2 + 6