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B.C.A. (Second Semester - Regular) Examinations, May – 2026

BCA252004 - Linear Algebra

Time: 2 hrs

Maximum: 60 Marks

(The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks)

PART – A

(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)

Q.1. Answer **ALL** questions

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| a. Construct the Truth table for $(p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee q)$. | CO1 | K1 |
| b. Find the Generating function of the infinite series 1,1,1,1 | CO2 | K1 |
| c. Find the value of the Boolean function represented by $F(x, y, z) = xy + \bar{z}$. | CO3 | K2 |
| d. Find a vector in the direction of vector $\vec{a} = \hat{i} - 2\hat{j}$ that has magnitude 7 units. | CO4 | K2 |
| e. The mean and median of a distribution are 28 and 24 respectively.
Find the mode and also find (Mean – Mode). | CO5 | K1 |

PART – B

(10 x5=50 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

Marks	CO #	Blooms Level
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| 2. a. Show that $p \vee (q \wedge r)$ and $(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$ are logically equivalent. | 5 | CO1 | K2 |
| b. Check the tautology $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$. | 5 | CO1 | K3 |
| (OR) | | | |
| c. For sets $A = \{x \mid x \text{ is an integer, } 1 \leq x \leq 6\}$ and $B = \{x \mid x \text{ is an even integer, } 2 \leq x \leq 8\}$, find the set $A - B$, $B - A$, $A \cup B$, $A \cap B$, $A \Delta B$, | 7 | CO1 | K3 |
| d. There are 11 teachers who teach Maths or Physics in a school of these 7 teach only Maths and 3 teach both Maths and physics. How many teachers teach physics? | 3 | CO1 | K2 |
| 3.a. Solve the recurrence relation $a_n = 6a_{n-1} - 9a_{n-2} \quad n \geq 2$, Given $a_0 = -5$ and $a_1 = 3$ | 5 | CO2 | K2 |
| b. Solve the recurrence relation $a_n - 7a_{n-1} + 12a_{n-2} = 5^n$ | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
| (OR) | | | |
| c. Show that the relation $R = \{(a, b) \mid a \equiv b \pmod{n}\}$ is equivalence relation on the set of integers. | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
| d. A total of 1232 students have taken Physics, 879 has taken Chemistry and 114 students have taken Mathematics. Furthermore 103 have taken both Physics and Chemistry, 23 have taken both Physics and Mathematics, 14 have taken both Chemistry and Mathematics. If 20192 students have taken at least one of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics. How many students have taken all three subjects. | 5 | CO2 | K2 |
| 4.a. Show that the set of integers forms a group under addition. | 6 | CO3 | K3 |
| b. Show that the Poset $(\{1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20\}, /)$ is a lattice. | 4 | CO3 | K2 |

(OR)

- c. How many positive integers not exceeding 1000 are divisibility 7 or 11. 4 CO3 K2
- d. Show that the set of Real number R excluding zero forms a group under the binary operation of multiplication. 6 CO3 K3
- 5.a. i. Find the angle between the vectors $\vec{a}$ and $\vec{b} + \vec{c}$. Where $\vec{a} = \hat{i} + \hat{j}$, $\vec{b} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 3\hat{k}$ and $\vec{c} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$. 6 CO4 K2
- ii. Show that divergence of curl is zero.
- b. Find the volume of the tetrahedron whose adjacent edges are given by $(1,1,1), (2, -1,3), (2,1, -1)$. 4 CO4 K3

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- c. Find the directional derivative of $F = x^2 y^2 z^2$ at a point $(1,1,1)$ in the direction of $\vec{a} (1,2,3)$. 5 CO4 K2
- d. Find the angle between two normal surfaces $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 10$ and $x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2 = 15$ at point $P(2,3,4)$. 5 CO4 K3
- 6.a. There are 3 Companies A_1, A_2 and A_3 which products 35%, 35% and 30% of the product and 1%, 2%, 3% products are defective produced by A_1, A_2 and A_3 respectively. If a product is chosen randomly which is defective then what is the probability of that it is produced by Company A_2 . 6 CO5 K2
- b. If $P(A)=0.8$ $P(B)=0.5$, $P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = 0.4$ then Find i. $P(A \cap B)$ ii. $P(A \cup B)$ iii. $P(A|B)$ 4 CO5 K3

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- c. Find the correlation coefficient between x and y for the following data 5 CO5 K2
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| x | 70 | 90 | 80 | 74 | 65 | 83 |
| y | 74 | 84 | 63 | 87 | 78 | 90 |
- d. A survey conducted on 20 households in a locality by a group of students resulted in the following frequency table for the number of family members in a household. Find the Mode. 5 CO5 K3

Family size	1–3	3–5	5–7	7–9	9–11
Number of families	7	8	2	2	1

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