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M.A. (ECO) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023

SEMESTER - II

22PECCT2006 - Mathematical Methods for Economics

Total Duration : 2 Hrs. 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions ($6 \times 5 = 30$ Marks)

- Solve the following pairs of simultaneous equation.
 $4x+3y=7$
 $3x-2y=9$
- Explain the various rules of differentiation.
- Find the third Derivative of $Y = 3x^6+2x^4+x^2$.
- Find the Elasticity of Demand, if the demand function $P=100-Q$.
- Write a brief application of Partial Derivatives in Economics.
- Find the Total derivative of $Z=x^2+y^2-3xy$.
- Write the properties of Linearly Homogeneous function.
- Explain the importance of Cobb-Douglas Production Function.

Section C

I - Answer any **TWO** questions ($2 \times 10 = 20$ Marks)

- In an economy of two industries A and B, the data in millions of rupees is given below:

		Buying sector		Final	Total
		A	B	Demand	Output
Selling Sector	A	18	8	10	36
	B	9	24	15	48

Determine the total output, if the final demand changes to 30 for A and 40 for B.

- Investigate the maximum or minimum value of the following function.
 $Z=48-4x^2-2y^2+16x+12y$.
- Find the first and second order partial derivatives of the following function.
 $Z=2x^3+5x^2y+xy^2+y^2$.

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12. Find the production function $P = x^3 + 7x^2 - 12x + 46$, Calculate the marginal production function.

II - Compulsory question ($1 \times 10 = 10$ Marks)

13. Given the following revenue(R) and (C) function for a firm $R = 20q - q^2$ and $c = q^2 + 8q + 2$ find the equilibrium level of output, price, total revenue, Total cost and profit.
