

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAKNAGHAT

TEST -1 EXAMINATION- 2024

Ph.D.-II Semester (Mathematics)

COURSE CODE (CREDITS): 17P1WMA111 (3)

MAX. MARKS: 15

COURSE NAME: DIFFERENTIAL GEOMETRY

COURSE INSTRUCTOR: Pradeep Kumar Pandey

MAX. TIME: 1 Hour

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory.

(b) Marks are indicated against each question in square brackets.

(c) The candidate is allowed to make Suitable numeric assumptions wherever required for solving problems.

1. Compute the 2-form $dx \wedge dy$ in polar coordinates. [2M] [CO1]
2. Find the curvature of the curve $\alpha(t) = \left(t^2, \frac{2}{3}t^3, \frac{1}{4}t^4\right)$ defined for $t \geq 0$. [2M] [CO1]
3. State and prove Frenet-Serret formulae for space curves in \mathbb{R}^3 . [3M] [CO1]
4. Define a regular surface, and prove or disprove that the ellipsoid is a regular surface. [3M] [CO2]
5. Compute the Frenet frame for the curve $\alpha(t) = (a \cos t, a \sin t, b \sin t)$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$. [5M] [CO2]
