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B.Tech. First Semester (CE, EE, EC, ME, PI)
Differential Calculus and Differential Equations (MA1C-101)

Mid Term Examination- I
M. M.: 20
Time: 9:30 a.m.- 10:20 a.m. (Shift-I)

NOTE: Attempt all the Questions.

Q1. Check the continuity of the following function at (0,0).

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^4 - y^4}{x^4 + y^4} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{x^4 - y^4}{x^4 + y^4} = \frac{x^4(1 - \frac{y^4}{x^4})}{x^4(1 + \frac{y^4}{x^4})}$$

[5]

Q2. Find the value of k so that the equations $x + ky + 3z = 0$, $4x + 3y + kz = 0$, $2x + y + 2z = 0$ have a non-trivial solution. [5]

Q3. Consider the quadratic form $q(x) = 2x^2 + 2y^2 + 3z^2 + 2xy - 4yz - 4xz$

- a) Find its eigen values and their corresponding eigen vectors. [3]
- b) Find its rank, index and signature. [3]
- c) Find the nature of the given quadratic form. [1]
- d) Find its matrix of transformation. [1]
- e) Find its canonical form. [2]