

**M.Sc. (MATHEMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS  
IN COMPUTER SCIENCE)**

**M.Sc. (MACS)**

**Term-End Examination**

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**MMT-007 : DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS  
AND NUMERICAL SOLUTIONS**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

*(Weightage : 50%)*

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**Note :** Question no. 1 is **compulsory**. Do any **four** questions out of questions no. 2 to 7. Use of calculators is **not** allowed. All computations may be kept to three decimal places.

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1. State, whether the following statements are *true* or *false*. Justify your answer with the help of short proof or a counter example. 5×2=10

(a) In the Crank – Nicolson method, the partial differential equation  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$  is replaced by the finite-difference equation

$$(1 + r) u_{i,j+1} = u_{i,j} + \frac{1}{2} r (u_{i-1,j+1} +$$

$$u_{i+1,j} + u_{i+1,j+1} + u_{i-1,j} - 4u_{i,j}),$$

where  $r = k/h^2$  and  $k$  and  $h$  are mesh spaces in dimension of  $t$  and  $x$  respectively.

$$(b) \quad \mathcal{L} \left[ \int_0^t (t-z)^2 \sin z \, dz \right] = \frac{2}{s^2(s^2 + 1)},$$

where  $\mathcal{L}$  denotes Laplace transform.

(c) If  $P_n(x)$  is a Legendre's function, then

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} P_0(x) \, dx = 0$$

(d) The interval of absolute stability of the Runge – Kutta method

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + \frac{1}{2}(k_1 + k_2), \quad k_1 = h f(x_i, y_i), \\ k_2 = h f(x_i + h, y_i + k_1) \text{ is } -2 < \lambda h < 0.$$

(e) The Lipschitz constant for the function  $f(x, y) = x^2 |y|$ , defined on  $|x| \leq 1, |y| \leq 1$  is equal to 1.

2. (a) Find a series solution near  $x = 0$  of the differential equation

$$9x(1-x)y'' - 12y' + 4y = 0. \quad 5$$

(b) Using Laplace transform, solve the differential equation  $ty'' + y' + ty = 0$  with  $y(0) = 2, y'(0) = 0$ . 5

3. (a) If  $H_n$  is a Hermite polynomial of degree  $n$ , then show that

$$H_n'' = 4n(n-1)H_{n-2}. \quad 3$$

- (b) Evaluate

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}[\cot^{-1}s],$$

where  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}$  denote inverse of Laplace transform. 2

- (c) Solve the initial-value problem

$$y' = x^2 + \sqrt{y} + 1, \quad y(0) = 1$$

upto  $x = 0.4$  using the predictor-corrector method

$$P: y_{n+1}^{(p)} = y_n + \frac{h}{2}(f_n - f_{n-1})$$

$$C: y_{n+1}^{(c)} = y_n + \frac{h}{12} [5f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1}^{(p)}) + 8f_n - f_{n-1}]$$

with step length  $h = 0.2$ . Compute the starting value using Euler's method and perform two corrector iterations per step. 5

4. (a) Determine the appropriate Green's function by using the method of variation of parameters for the boundary value problem

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = e^{3x} \sin 2x \quad \text{with } y'(0) \geq 0, y(1) = 0. \quad 5$$

- (b) Using Fourier integral transform, solve

$$\frac{\partial^4 z}{\partial x^4} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0 \quad (-\infty < x < \infty, y > 0)$$

satisfying the conditions (i)  $z = f(x)$ ,  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0$

on  $y = 0$ , (ii)  $z$  and its partial derivatives tend to zero as  $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$ .

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5. (a) Solve the boundary value problem

$y'' - 5y' + 3y = 0$  with  $2y(0) - y'(0) = 1$  and  $y(1) + y'(1) = 2$ , using second order finite difference method with  $h = \frac{1}{2}$ .

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(b) Solve  $\left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - y\right) \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y\right)^2 = 0$ .

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- (c) Find the Fourier transform of the function  $f(x)$  defined on  $]-\infty, \infty[$ , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & -l < x < 0 \\ 2, & 0 < x < l \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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6. (a) Find the interval of absolute stability for 3<sup>rd</sup> order Taylor Series Method to solve the initial boundary value problem

$$y' = \lambda y, \quad y(x_0) = y_0.$$

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- (b) Find the solution of  $\nabla^2 u = 0$  in  $R$  subject to the boundary conditions  $u(x, y) = x + y$  on  $\Gamma$ , where  $R$  is the square  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq y \leq 1$  using the five point formula. Assume that step length is  $h = \frac{1}{3}$  along the axis. 7

7. (a) For the explicit scheme

$$u_i^{n+1} = u_i^n + \lambda[u_{i+1}^n - 2u_i^n + u_{i-1}^n],$$

$\lambda = k/h^2 = \frac{1}{6}$ , solve the parabolic equation

$u_t = u_{xx}$ , using Schmidt method. 3

- (b) Find an approximate value of  $y(1.2)$  for initial value problem  $y' = x^2 + y^2$ ,  $y(1) = 2$  using the Adams – Moulton third order method

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + \frac{h}{12} [5 f_{i+1} + 8 f_i - f_{i-1}]$$

with  $h = 0.1$ . Calculate the starting values using third order Taylor series method. 7