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MMT-007 : DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND
NUMERICAL SOLUTIONS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Question No. 1 is *compulsory*. Do any *four* questions out of the remaining questions 2-7. All computations may be kept to 3 decimal places. Use of calculators is *not allowed*.

State whether the following statements are **true** or **false**. Justify your answer with the help of a short proof or a counter example. 2x5=10

1. (a) For the differential equation

$$x^2(x-2)^2 y'' + 3(x-2)y' + (x+7)y = 0,$$

$x=0$, is an irregular singular point.

- (b) If $\int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) dx = 2$, then n is 1.

- (c) The inverse Fourier transform of

$$\frac{1}{(i\alpha + k)^2}, k > 0$$

$$\text{is } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-k\tau} H(\tau) e^{-k(x-\tau)} H(x-\tau) d\tau.$$

where $H(\tau)$ is the Heaviside step function.

- (d) The interval of absolute stability of the Euler's method is $-2 < \lambda h < 0$.
- (e) The function $y(t)$ satisfying the integral equation

$$y(t) = \sin 2t + \int_0^t y(\tau) \sin 2(t-\tau) d\tau \text{ is}$$

$$y(t) = \sqrt{2} \sin \sqrt{2} t.$$

2. (a) Using Laplace transform technique solve the following initial value problem 5

$$y_1'' = y_1 + 3y_2; y_2'' = 4y_1 - 4e^t$$

$$y_1(0) = 2, y_1'(0) = 3; y_2(0) = 1, y_2'(0) = 2.$$

- (b) Prove that 5

$$\int_{-1}^1 x^2 P_{n+1}(x) P_{n-1}(x) dx =$$

$$\frac{2n(n+1)}{(2n-1)(2n+1)(2n+3)}.$$

3. (a) Solve the following differential equation by the power series method about $x=0$: 5

$$x^2 y'' + (x^2 + x)y' + (x - 9) y = 0.$$

- (b) If $f(x) = 3e^{-|2x|} - 4e^{2|x+3|}$, find the Fourier transform of $f(x)$. 2

- (c) Using inverse Fourier cosine transform, find $f(x)$ if 3

$$F_c(\alpha) = \begin{cases} \left(a - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right), & \alpha \leq 2a \\ 0, & \alpha > 2a \end{cases}$$

4. (a) Expand $f(x) = x^2$ in terms of Fourier-Bessel series in the interval $0 < x < 2$, in terms of $J_2(\alpha_n x)$ where α_n are the roots of $J_2(2\alpha) = 0$. 5

- (b) Derive the method 5

$y_{i+1} = a_1 y_i + a_2 y_{i-1} + h b_0 y'_{i+1}$ for solving the initial value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y), y(x_0) = y_0. \text{ Find the truncation}$$

error and the order of the method.

5. (a) Using Crank - Nicholson's method 7

$$\text{solve } u_t = \frac{1}{16} u_{xx}, 0 < x < 1, t > 0$$

$$\text{given } u(x, 0) = 0, u(0, t) = 0, u(1, t) = 50t$$

$$\text{Take } \lambda = \frac{1}{16} \text{ and } h = \frac{1}{4}.$$

- (b) Find the solution of equation 3

$$y'' + \frac{1}{x} y' + \left(1 - \frac{1}{4x^2}\right) y = 0 \text{ in terms of sine}$$

and cosine functions.

6. (a) Construct Green's function for the following boundary value problem : 5

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - k^2 y = e^{3x}, y(0) = y(1) = 0.$$

- (b) Using second order finite difference method 5

with $h = \frac{1}{2}$, obtain the system of equations

for y_0, y_1, y_2 for solving the boundary-value problem :

$$y'' - 5y' + 6y = 3,$$

$$y(0) - y'(0) = -1, y(1) + y'(1) = 1.$$

7. (a) Find $y(0.1)$, $y(0.2)$, $y(0.3)$ from

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 - y, y(0) = 1$$

by using Taylor series method. Hence obtain $y(0.4)$ using Adam-Bashforth method with predictor P and corrector C as follows :

$$P: y_{n+1}^P = y_n + \frac{h}{24} (55y'_n - 59y'_{n-1} + 37y'_{n-2} - 9y'_{n-3})$$

$$C: y_{n+1}^C = y_n + \frac{h}{24} (9y'_{n+1} - 19y'_n - 5y'_{n-1} + y'_{n-2})$$

- (b) Consider a steel plate of size $15 \text{ cm} \times 15 \text{ cm}$. 5
If two of the sides are held at 100°C and the other two sides are held at 0°C , determine the steady state temperature at interior points assuming a grid size of $5 \text{ cm} \times 5 \text{ cm}$. Use five - point formula.
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