



II Semester M.Sc. Examination, June/July 2015
(CBCS)

MATHEMATICS

208 SC : Mathematical Modelling and Numerical Analysis - I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

*Instructions : Answer any five full questions.
All questions carry equal marks.*

1. a) Using a block diagram explain in detail the steps involved in mathematical modeling of a system. 6
b) Show that the spring-mass-dashpot system and the LCR circuit are governed by the same differential equations with coefficients being different. 8
2. a) Derive the one-dimensional wave equation for vibrations of a string without damping. 6
b) Explain the connection between parabolic and hyperbolic equations and the elliptic equation. Further, explain in general terms the nature of the problem and solution of these equations. 8
3. a) Show that the fixed point iterative method has linear convergence. Explain the Aitken Δ^2 -process of accelerating the convergence of the linear iterative method. 7
b) Elaborate on the Sturm sequence method to identify the number of real roots of the algebraic equation $f(x) = 0$. 7
4. a) Prove or disprove that the Newton-Raphson method for finding a simple root of $f(x) = 0$ has quadratic convergence. 7
b) Find an estimate of the small real root of $\sin x = 1 - x$ by Ramanujan's method. 7
5. a) Explain partial and complete pivoting strategies. Solve the system using the Gauss elimination method.
 $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 6; 3x_1 + 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 20; 2x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 = 13$ 8
b) Solve using the Doolittle method:
 $2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = -1; 3x_1 + 3x_2 + 9x_3 = 0; 3x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 = 4$. 6



6. a) Develop the Thomas algorithm to solve an $(n \times n)$ tridiagonal system of

equations and hence solve $[A/B] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 9

- b) Solve using the Newton-Raphson method $y \cos(xy) + t = 0$,
 $\sin(xy) + x - y = 0$. $(x_0, y_0) = (1, 2)$. (Perform one iteration). 5

7. a) Derive Hermite interpolation formula for the given data
 $\{x_i, f(x_i), f'(x_i), i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n\}$. 5

- b) Show that the Lagrange interpolating polynomial is unique and also find the
 truncation error involved in Lagrange interpolation. 5

- c) Obtain the rational approximation of the form $\frac{a_0 + a_1x}{1 + b_1x}$ to e^x . 4

8. a) Establish Gauss-Legendre three point quadrature formula and hence evaluate

$\int_{-1}^1 (1-x^2)^{3/2} \cos x \, dx$ 5

- b) Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} \cos x \, dx$ using Gauss-Chebyshev two and three points
 formulas. 6