



III Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, December 2016  
(CBCS)  
MATHEMATICS  
M302T : Mathematical Methods

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** 1) Answer **any five** questions.  
2) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

1. a) Solve the following integral equation :

$$y(x) = \lambda \int_0^{2\pi} \sin(x+t)y(t)dt$$

- b) Arrive at the integral equation corresponding to the IVP :  $y'' + y = e^x$  ;  
 $y(0) = y'(0) = 0$ . (7+7)

2. a) Solve by Laplace transform the integral equation

$$y(x) = \sin x + 2 \int_0^x \cos(x-t)y(t)dt.$$

- b) Find the Neumann series solution and resolvent kernel for the volterra integral equation.

$$y(x) = (1+x) + \lambda \int_a^x (x-t)y(t)dt. \quad (6+8)$$

3. a) Obtain for small  $x$  the asymptotic form of  $I(x) = \int_x^\infty e^{-t^4} dt$ .

- b) Using the asymptotic series of the integral :  $I(x) = \int_x^\infty \frac{e^{-t}}{t} dt$ , for  $x \rightarrow \infty$   
examine whether the integral is convergent or not. (7+7)



4. a) Find the asymptotic expansion of

$$I(x) = \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} e^{x \cos t} dt \text{ as } x \rightarrow \infty$$

using Laplace method.

- b) Evaluate using Watson's lemma :

$$I(x) = \int_0^{\pi/2} e^{-x \sin t} dt .$$

- c) Find the leading order term of

$$I(x) = \int_0^{\infty} \cos(xt^3 - t) dt \text{ by}$$

stationary phase method.

(5+5+4)

5. a) Derive Adam's predictor-corrector method of fourth-order for solving

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y, (x)) ; y(x_0) = y_0$$

- b) Discuss about absolute or relative stability of Runge-Kutta method of first order.

(10+4)

6. a) Solve by finite-difference method

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + xy = 0, y(0) = 0 \text{ and } y'(1) = 1.$$

$$\text{Choose } \Delta x = \frac{1}{3}.$$

- b) Solve the one-dimensional wave equation  $U_{tt} = U_{xx}$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ ,  $t \geq 0$

$$\text{Subject to } \left. \begin{array}{l} u(x,0) = \sin(\pi x) \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x,0) = 0 \end{array} \right\}, 0 \leq x \leq 1,$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u(0,t) = 0 \\ u(1,t) = 0 \end{array} \right\}, t \geq 0, \text{ by using explicit finite difference method. Choose } \Delta x = \frac{1}{4}$$

and an acceptable value for  $\Delta t$ . Obtain the solution at the second time-level.

(6+8)



7. Discuss the stabilities of the Schmidt explicit method and Crank-Nicolson implicit method applied to the one-dimensional heat equation.

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8. Solve by finite difference method the following BVP :

$$U_{xx} + U_{yy} = 0,$$

Subject to the boundary conditions

$$u(x, 0) = 3x, 0 \leq x \leq 3.$$

$$u(3, y) = 9 - 3y, 0 \leq y \leq 3,$$

$$u(x, y) = x(1 - x) \text{ on } y = 3x, 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$u(x, 3) = 0, 0 \leq x \leq 3.$$

Choose  $\Delta x = \Delta y = 1$  and solve the system of equation by 4 iterations of the Gauss-Seidel method.

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