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B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL / MAY 2025

Second Semester

Mechanical Engineering

(Common to Mechanical and Automation Engineering)

24BSMA203 - DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND ITS APPLICATIONS

Regulations - 2024

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART - A (MCO) (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

PART - A (MCQ) (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)			
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	Marks	K-Level	CO
1. What is the order of the differential equation given by $\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = \sin x$?	1	K1	CO1
(a) 0.5 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 0			
2. The nature of roots for differential equation $(D^2 + 9)y = 0$ is	1	K1	CO1
(a) Complex conjugates (b) Real and distinct (c) Real and equal (d) None of the above			
3. How many prior values are required to predict the next value in Milne's method?	1	K1	CO2
(a) One (b) Two (c) Three (d) Four			
4. Modified Euler's formula is	1	K1	CO2
(a) $y_{n+1} = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1})]$ (b) $y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n-1}, y_{n-1})]$ (c) $y_{n+1} = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n-1}, y_{n-1})]$ (d) $y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1})]$			
5. A solution of a partial differential equation which contains as many arbitrary constants as the number of independent variables is called the	1	K1	CO3
(a) singular solution (b) general solution (c) complete solution (d) particular solution			
6. Eliminate the arbitrary constants a and b from the equation $z = ax + by + ab$.	1	K1	CO3
(a) $z = px + qy + pq$ (b) $z = px + qy + p^2$ (c) $z = qx + py + q^2$ (d) $z = qx + py + pq$			
7. Find the complementary function of $(D^2 + DD' - 2D'^2)z = 0$	1	K2	CO4
(a) $z = \phi_1(y + x) + 2\phi_2(y + 2x)$ (b) $z = \phi_1(y + x) - 2\phi_2(y + 2x)$ (c) $z = \phi_1(y + x) + \phi_2(y - 2x)$ (d) $z = \phi_1(y + x) - 2\phi_2(y - 2x)$			
8. Find the particular integral of the non-homogeneous linear partial differential equation $(D - D' - 1)(D - D' - 3)z = e^{2x-y}$ is	1	K2	CO4
(a) $\frac{x}{2}e^{2x-y}$ (b) $-\frac{1}{3}e^{2x-y}$ (c) $-\frac{1}{2}e^{2x-y}$ (d) $\frac{1}{2}e^{2x-y}$			
9. How many boundary conditions are required to solve the two-dimensional heat equation in the steady state condition	1	K1	CO5
(a) 3 (b) 2 (c) 4 (d) 1			

10. The Bender – Schmidt recurrence equation is 1 K1 CO6
- a) $u_{i,j+1} = \frac{1}{2} [u_{i+1,j} + u_{i-1,j}]$
- b) $u_{i+1,j+1} = \frac{1}{2} [u_{i+1,j-1} + u_{i-1,j}]$
- c) $u_{i,j} = \frac{1}{2} [u_{i+1,j+1} + u_{i-1,j}]$
- d) $u_{i,j} = \frac{1}{2} [u_{i+1,j+1} + u_{i-1,j-1}]$

PART - B (12 × 2 = 24 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

11. Solve $(D^2 + 5D + 4)y = 0$. 2 K3 CO1
12. Transform $(x + 2)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - (x + 2) \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 3x + y$ in to differential equation with constant coefficients. 2 K2 CO1
13. Given $y' = x + y$, $y(0) = 1$. Find $y(0.2)$ by Euler's method. 2 K2 CO2
14. Write the Runge-Kutta algorithm of 4th order to solve $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x,y)$ with $y(x_0) = y_0$. 2 K1 CO2
15. Solve $p + q = pq$. 2 K3 CO3
16. Find the complete integral of $pq = xy$. 2 K2 CO3
17. Solve the particular integral of $(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = e^{x-y}$. 2 K3 CO4
18. Find the complementary integral of $(D^4 - D'^4)z = 0$. 2 K2 CO4
19. Classify the nature of the equation $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$. 2 K2 CO5
20. Write all the possible solutions of one-dimensional wave equation. 2 K1 CO5
21. State Schmidt's explicit formula for solving heat flow equation. 2 K1 CO6
22. Write down the Crank – Nicolson formula to solve $u_t = u_{xx}$. 2 K2 CO6

PART - C (6 × 11 = 66 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

23. a) Solve $(D^2 + 4D + 3)y = e^{-x} \sin x + xe^{3x}$. 11 K3 CO1
- OR**
- b) Solve $(D^2 + 4)y = \sec 2x$ by the method of variation of parameters. 11 K3 CO1
24. a) Using the Runge-Kutta method of fourth order solve $\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y^2$ given that $y = 1$ when $x = 0$ at $x = 0.1, 0.2$. 11 K3 CO2
- OR**
- b) Given $\frac{dy}{dx} = xy + y^2$ with $y(0) = 1, y(0.1) = 1.1169$ and $y(0.2) = 1.2773$, solve $y(0.4)$ by Milne's method. 11 K3 CO2
25. a) Solve $z = px + qy + \sqrt{1 + p^2 + q^2}$. 11 K3 CO3
- OR**
- b) Solve $x(y^2 - z^2)p + y(z^2 - x^2)q = z(x^2 - y^2)$. 11 K3 CO3
26. a) Solve $[D^3 - 7DD'^2 - 6D'^3]z = \sin(x + 2y) + e^{2x+y}$. 11 K3 CO4
- OR**
- b) Solve $r + 2s + t + 2p + 2q + z = e^{2x+y}$. 11 K3 CO4

27. a) A tightly stretched string with fixed end points $x = 0$ and $x = l$ is initially at rest in its equilibrium position. If it is set vibrating by giving each point a velocity $kx(l - x)$, Find the displacement of the string at any distance ' x ' from one end at any time ' t '. 11 K3 CO5

OR

- b) An infinitely long plate in the form of an area is enclosed between the lines $x = 0$ and $x = l$. The temperature is zero along the edges $x = 0$, $x = l$ and at $y = \infty$. The edge $y = 0$ is kept at temperature kx . Solve the steady state temperature distribution in the plate. 11 K3 CO5

28. a) Solve $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$, $u(0, t) = 0$, $u(4, t) = 0$, and $u(x, 0) = x(4 - x)$, choosing $h = k = 1$ and using Bender-Schmidt formula find the values up to $t = 5$. 11 K3 CO6

OR

- b) Using Crank–Nicolson's implicit scheme, solve $16 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$, $0 \leq x \leq 1$, $t > 0$, given that $u(x, 0) = 0$, $u(0, t) = 0$, $u(1, t) = 100t$ Compute u for one-time step with $h = \frac{1}{4}$. 11 K3 CO6