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**B.E / B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024**

Fourth Semester

**MA18452 – PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND  
COMPUTATIONAL METHODS***(Automobile Engineering)***(Regulation 2018 / 2018A)****TIME: 3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100**

- CO 1** Students will be able to identify and solve partial differential equations analytically.  
**CO 2** Students will be familiar with the application of the Fourier series concept in Boundary value problems.  
**CO 3** Students will be familiar with the techniques of solving algebraic or transcendental equations and linear system of equations.  
**CO 4** Students will acquire the knowledge of Interpolation and Approximation and Curve fitting.  
**CO 5** Students will be aware of solving partial differential equations numerically.

**PART- A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

(Answer all Questions)

	CO	RBT LEVEL
1. Form partial differential equation by eliminating arbitrary constants $a$ and $b$ from $z = ax + by + ab$ .	1	2
2. Solve $p + q = 1$ .	1	3
3. Classify the partial differential equation $u_{xx} + 3u_{xy} + 4u_{yy} + u_x = 0$ .	2	2
4. The ends A and B of a rod 20 cm long have the temperature at $30^\circ C$ and $80^\circ C$ until steady state conditions prevail. Find the steady state temperature.	2	2
5. Find an iterative formula to find $\sqrt{N}$ , where N is a positive number by Newton-Raphson method.	3	2
6. State the sufficient condition for Gauss-Jacobi method to converge.	3	1
7. What is the Lagrange's formula to find $y$ if three sets of values $(x_0, y_0)$ , $(x_1, y_1)$ , and $(x_2, y_2)$ are given?	4	1
8. When Newton's forwarded interpolation formula is used?	4	2
9. Write the finite difference form of $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$ .	5	1
10. Write an explicit formula to solve $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ numerically.	5	1

## PART- B (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)

		Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
11. (a)	(i) Form partial differential equation by eliminating arbitrary functions $f$ and $\varphi$ from $z=f(x+ct)+\varphi(x-ct)$ .	(7)	1	3
	(ii) Solve $(y-z)p-(2x+y)q=2x+z$ .	(7)	1	3
<b>(OR)</b>				
(b)	(i) Find the singular solution of $z=p^2x+q^2y-2\sqrt{pq}$ .	(7)	1	3
	(ii) Solve $(D^3-2D^2D')z=2e^{2x}+3x^2y$ .	(7)	1	3
12. (a)	A tightly stretched string with fixed end points $x=0$ and $x=100$ is initially at rest in its equilibrium position. If it is set vibrating giving each point a velocity $3x(100-x)$ , find the displacement of any point on the string at a distance from one end at any time $t$ .	(14)	2	3
<b>(OR)</b>				
(b)	An infinitely long rectangular plate is of width 10 cm. The temperature along the short edge $y=0$ is given by $u=20x$ for $0 \leq x \leq 5$ . If all the other three edges are kept at zero temperature, find the steady state temperature at point on it.	(14)	2	3
13. (a)	(i) Find by Newton-Raphson method, the root of the equation $e^x=4x$ , correct to three places of decimals.	(7)	3	3
	(ii) Solve the system of equations $x+y+5z=110, 27x+6y-z=85, 6x+15y+2z=72$ using Gauss-Seidel iteration method.	(7)	3	3
<b>(OR)</b>				
(b)	(i) Solve the system of equations $x+3y+3z=16, x+4y+3z=18, x+3y+4z=19$ using Gauss-Jordan method.	(7)	3	3
	(ii) Using Power method to find the dominant Eigenvalue and the	(7)	3	3

corresponding Eigenvector of the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 4 \\ -1 & 4 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$ .

14. (a) (i) Using Lagrange's interpolation formula, find the value corresponding to  $x=10$  from the following table: (7) 4 3

x	5	6	9	11
y	12	1	14	16
		3		

(7) 4 3

- (ii) A third degree polynomial passes through  $(0, 1), (1, -1), (2, -1), (3, 2)$ . Find its value at  $x=4$  using Newton's forward interpolation formula.

(OR)

- (b) (i) Find the cubic function from the following table using Newton's divided difference formula. (7) 4 3

x	0	1	3	4
f(x)	1	4	40	8
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(7) 4 3

- (ii) Apply Newton's backward formula to find a polynomial of degree three which includes the following values of  $x$  and  $y$ .

x	3	4	5	6
y	6	24	60	120

15. (a) Solve the Poisson's equation  $\nabla^2 u = -10(x^2 + y^2 + 10)$  over the square mesh with sides  $x=0, y=0, x=3, y=3$  with  $u=0$  on the boundary and mesh length 1 unit. (14) 5 3

(OR)

- (b) (i) Solve by Crank-Nicolson's method  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{16} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, 0 < x < 1, t > 0,$  (7) 5 3

$u(x,0)=u(0,t)=0, u(1,t)=100t$ . Compute  $u$  for one step with  $h=\frac{1}{4}$ .

(ii) Solve  $4 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$  with boundary conditions

$u(0,t)=u(4,t)=0, u(x,0)=x(4-x)$  and  $u_t(x,0)=0$ .

(7) 5 3

**PART- C (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)**

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

16. Using Gauss-Jordan method find the inverse of the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
(10)	3	3

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