

401/Math(N)

UG/4th Sem/MATH-MJ-T-4/25

U.G. 4th Semester Examination - 2025

MATHEMATICS

[MAJOR]

Course Code : MATH-MJ-T-4

(Differential Equations)

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Full Marks : 60

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.
The notations and symbols have their usual meanings.*

1. Answer any **ten** questions: $2 \times 10 = 20$

a) Convert $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{xy^2 - y}{x}$ into an exact differential equation.

b) Solve $xdx + ydy + \frac{xdy - ydx}{x^2 + y^2} = 0$, given that $y = 1$ when $x = 1$.

c) State Picard's existence and uniqueness theorem.

d) Consider the equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3y^{2/3}, y(0) = 0$.

Show that it has infinitely many solutions.

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- e) Obtain the differential equation of all circles which touch x -axis at the origin.
- f) Verify whether $z = 0$ is an ordinary point or a regular singular point of the differential equation $z^2 \frac{d^2 \omega}{dz^2} + z \frac{d\omega}{dz} + (z^2 - v^2)\omega = 0$,
 v is neither zero nor an integer.
- g) Obtain the singular solution of the differential equation $y - px - \frac{1}{p} = 0$, where $p = \frac{dy}{dx}$.
- h) Show that the solution $y(x)$ of the initial value problem $y' = y + \cos x^2$, $y(0) = 0$ exists for $|x| \leq \frac{1}{2}$.
- i) Find the Wronskian for the set of functions $\{1, x, x^2\}$ on $[-1, 1]$.
- j) Obtain the orthogonal trajectories of the family of hyperbolas $xy = c^2$.
- k) Find the partial differential equation by eliminating a and b from the relation $z = (x^2 + a)(y^2 + b)$.
- l) Solve by Lagrange's method:
 $x^2 p + y^2 q = z^2$

- m) Given $(p^2 + q^2)x = pz$. Obtain Charpit's subsidiary equations.
- n) Determine an integrating factors of the differential equation $(x^3 + y^3)dx - xy^2dy = 0$.
- o) Show that $f(x, y) = xy^2$ satisfies the Lipschitz condition on the rectangle $|x| \leq 1, |y| \leq 1$.

2. Answer any **four** questions: 5 × 4 = 20

- a) Solve by the method of variation of parameters

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = \operatorname{cosec} x.$$

- b) Find the general solution and singular solution

$$\text{of } y = p^2x^4 - px, \left(p = \frac{dy}{dx} \right).$$

- c) Find the general solution of the system of equations

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2x + 2y,$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = x + 3y.$$

d) If y_1 and y_2 are two linearly independent solutions of the equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + P\frac{dy}{dx} + Qy = 0$, where P and Q are continuous functions of x then show that $y_1 \frac{dy_2}{dx} - y_2 \frac{dy_1}{dx} = ce^{-\int P dx}$, where c is a non-zero constant.

e) Show that the equation

$$\sin x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \cos x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y \sin x = 0$$

is exact and solve it completely.

f) Find a complete integral of $(p^2 + q^2)y = qz$ by Charpit's method.

3. Answer any **two** questions:

$$10 \times 2 = 20$$

a) i) Obtain a series solution of the equation

$$(1-x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 0 \text{ near } x = 0.$$

ii) Solve by the method of undetermined

coefficients, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = \sin 2x.$ 5+5

- b) i) Reduce the equation

$y^2(y - xp) = x^4 p^2$, $p = \frac{dy}{dx}$, to Clairaut's form by the substitution $x = \frac{1}{u}$, $y = \frac{1}{v}$ and hence solve the equation.

- ii) Solve the following differential equation

$$(x+1)^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + (x+1) \frac{dy}{dx} = (2x+3)(2x+4).$$

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- c) i) By the use of symbolic operator D , find the solution of the equation

$$\frac{d^4 y}{dx^4} - 4 \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + 6 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 4 \frac{dy}{dx} + y = e^{2x} \cos x.$$

- ii) Solve :

$$\frac{dx}{x(z^2 - y^2)} = \frac{dy}{y(x^2 - z^2)} = \frac{dz}{z(y^2 - x^2)}$$

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- d) i) Find the characteristics of the equation $pq = z$ and hence determine the integral surface which passes through the parabola $x = 0$, $y^2 = z$.

- ii) Solve $(y^3 x - 2x^4)p + (2y^4 - x^3 y)q = 9z(x^3 - y^3)$ by Lagrange's method. 5+5