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THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

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Fifth Semester B.Sc. Degree Examination, November 2016

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Core Course: Mathematics – VI

AUMM543: Differential Equations

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

SECTION – A

Answer ALL questions / problems in one or two sentences.

1. Write the general form of a second order linear differential equation.
2. Define an exact differential equation.
3. Find an exact differential equation whose solution is $u = x^2 - y^2$
4. Find A such that the following equation is exact. $(Ax^2y + 2y^2) dx + (x^3 + 4xy) dy = 0$.
5. Find an integrating factor of $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x^2} = x^2$
6. Solve the equation $y'' - y = 0$
7. Define Euler Cauchy equation.
8. Are the functions $x|x|$ and x^2 linearly independent or dependent on $0 \leq x \leq 1$?
9. Find the wronskian W (sinx, cosx).
10. Solve $2y'' - 9y' = 0$.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer any EIGHT questions / problems, not exceeding a paragraph.

11. Solve the initial value problem $x^2y'' - 2xy' + 2y = 0, y(1) = 3, y'(1) = 2$ if x and x^2 form a basis of solution.
12. Solve $y dx - x dy + (x^2 + y^2) dx = 0$

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13. Solve $2y'' + 3y' + 4y = 0$
14. Solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = e^{-x}$, given $y(0) = \frac{3}{4}$
15. Solve the initial value problem $y'' + 5y' + 6y = 0$ given $y(0)=2$ and $y'(0)=3$
16. Solve $(y - x^2)dx + (x^2 \sin y - x)dy = 0$.
17. Solve $2x(y^2 + 1) dx + (x^4 + 1) dy = 0$
18. Solve $(x - 4)y^4 dx - x^3(y^2 - 3) dy = 0$
19. Show that $\cos(x + y)$ is an integrating factor of $ydx + [y + \tan(x + y)]dy = 0$ and solve.
20. Solve $(D^2 + 2D + 1)y = 0$.
21. Verify that $y_p = e^{-3x} - 3e^x$ is a solution of the differential equation $y'' - y = 8e^{-3x}$ and find a general solution.
22. Find the steady state oscillation of the mass spring system governed by the equation $y'' + 2y' + 5y = -13 \sin 3t$.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

SECTION – C

Short essay type problems : Answer any SIX questions.

23. Solve the initial value problem $(2x \cos y + 3x^2 y)dx + (x^3 - x^2 \sin y - y)dy = 0$, given that $y(0) = 2$
24. Find an integrating factor and solve $x^2 y dx - (x^3 + y^3)dy = 0$.
25. Solve $\sec^2 x \tan y dx + \tan x \sec^2 y dy = 0$
26. Solve $ye^x \sin y + (ye^x \cos y + 1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$
27. Solve $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2x+1}{x}y = e^{-2x}$
28. A small body moves on a straight line so that its velocity equals the acceleration. If at $t=0$ the body's distance from the origin is 2 meters and its velocity is 2 meters/sec. What is its distance and velocity at $t=6$ sec.
29. Solve $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = \operatorname{cosec} x$
30. Solve the initial value problem $y'' - 3y' - 4y = 3e^{2x}$ given $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(0) = 0$

31. Find a general solution of $(x^2D^2 - 4xD + 6)y = 7x^4\sin x$.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

SECTION – D

Long essay type problems : Answer any TWO questions.

32. Find the general solution of the differential equation $(x^2 + 1)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2x\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 6(x^2 + 1)^2$, if $y = x$ is a solution of the corresponding homogeneous equation.

33. Using the method of variation of parameters, find the general solution of

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 6\frac{dy}{dx} + 9y = \frac{e^{-3x}}{x^3}$$

34. i) Solve $y^2dx + (3xy - 1)dy = 0$

ii) Solve the initial value problem $(3x + 8)(y^2 + 4)dx - 4y(x^2 + 5x + 6)dy = 0$
Given that $y(1) = 2$

35. Find the general solution of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 2x^2 + e^x + 2xe^x + 4e^{3x}$

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

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