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B.E. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING EXAMINATION 2025
Second Year First Semester
Mathematics -III

Full Marks -100

(50 Marks for each Part)

Time : 3 hr

Use Separate Answer scripts for each group.
Answer any five questions.

PART I (50 Marks)

Answer Question No 1 and any four from the followings.

1. What is the necessary condition for a first order first degree differential equation to be exact? 2
2. Solve the following differential equations (any two):
 - (i) $(x^4 + y^4)dx - xy^3dy = 0$
 - (ii) Show that the equation $(x^3 - 3x^2y + 2xy^2)dx - (x^3 - 2x^2y + y^3)dy = 0$ is exact and find the solution.
 - iii) $y = 2px + p^3y^2$, where $p = \frac{dy}{dx}$ [CO4] 6 + 6
3. (i) Solve the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = 4\tan 2x$ by method of variation of parameter.
(ii) $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4x \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = \log x^2$ [CO4] 6 + 6
4. Show that $x = 0$ is a regular singular point of $(2x + x^3) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - 6xy = 0$ and find the series solution of the equation near the point $x = 0$. [CO4] 2+10
5. (i) Find the general solution of the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^3} - 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + y = x^2 e^{3x}$ [CO4]
(ii) Solve the differential equation $\frac{y-z}{yz}p + \frac{z-x}{zx}q = \frac{x-y}{xy}$ [CO6] 6 + 6
6. Solve the following differential equations where $p = \partial z / \partial x, q = \partial z / \partial y$:
 - (i) $z(x+y)p + z(x-y)q = x^2 + y^2$
 - (ii) $y^2p - xyq = x(z-2y)$ [CO6] 6 + 6
7. A string is stretched and fastened to two points $x = 0$ and $x = l$ apart. Motion is started by displacing the string into the form $y = f(x)$ from which it is released at time $t = 0$. Derive the governing partial differential equation and state initial and boundary conditions. Find the displacement of any point on the string at a distance of x from one end at time t . [CO5, CO6] 4+8

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PART II (50 Marks)

- 1 (i) Determine the subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3$ spanned by the vectors $\alpha = (1, 2, 3)$ and $\beta = (3, 1, 0)$. Examine by
 - (a) $\gamma = (2, 1, 3)$ is in the subspace.
 - (b) $\delta = (-1, 3, 6)$ is in the subspace.
 (ii) Prove that the set $S = \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1)\}$ is a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3$
 [CO1] 6+4
- 2 (i) Intersection of two subspaces of a vector space V over a field F is a subspace of V .
 (ii) For what value of k does the set $S = \{(k, 1, 1), (1, k, 1), (1, 1, k)\}$ form a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3$
 (iii) Prove the vectors $\{(1, 2, 2), (2, 1, 2), (2, 2, 1)\}$ is linearly independent in $\mathbb{R}^3$
 [CO2] 3+4+3
- 3 (i) Find rational canonical form corresponding to the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -4 & 85 \\ 1 & 4 & -30 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$
 (i) Find the Jordan canonical form J of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ [CO1] 5+5
- 4 (i) Let A be a 5×5 matrix with characteristics polynomial $(x - 1)^3(x - 2)^2$ and minimal polynomial $(x - 1)^2(x - 2)$. What will be the possible Jordan canonical form of A .
 (ii) Consider the matrices $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ then prove that B is the Jordan canonical form of A [CO1] 5+5

- 5 (i) Suppose the mapping $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x, y) = (x + y, x)$. Show that T is linear operator.
- (ii) Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear operator defined by $T(x, y) = (2x + 3y, 4x - 5y)$. Find the matrix representation of T relative to the basis $S = \{u_1, u_2\} = \{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$. [CO3] 5+5
- 6 (i) Find the eigen value of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.
- (ii) Find the minimal polynomial $m(t)$ of the matrix $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -5 \\ 3 & 7 & -15 \\ 1 & 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$. [CO2] 5+5
- 7 (i) State and prove Cauchy-Schwartz inequality.
- (ii) If v_1 and v_2 are eigenvectors of a normal operator T on an inner product space V with respect to eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2 respectively, then prove that v_1 and v_2 are orthogonal. [CO1] 7+3