

**VIT**

Vellore Institute of Technology

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Continuous Assessment Test - I

Programme Name & Branch: B. Tech

Course Name & Code: Applications of Differential and Difference Equations & MAT2002

Class Number: VL2019201000396, VL2019201000397, VL2019201000398,

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Exam Duration: 90 minutes

Maximum Marks: 50

Answer All the Questions ($5 \times 10 = 50$)1. By using the sine series for $f(x) = 1$ in $0 < x < \pi$, show that

$$\frac{\pi^2}{8} = 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots$$

✓ Compute the first two harmonics of the Fourier series of $f(x)$ given in the following table.

θ	0°	60°	120°	180°	240°	300°	360°
T	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.0

3. Obtain the Fourier series for $y = x$ in $(0, 1)$ and hence show that

$$1 + \frac{1}{3^4} + \frac{1}{5^4} + \frac{1}{7^4} + \dots = \frac{\pi^4}{96}$$

4. Verify the Cayley - Hamilton theorem for the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, show that

$$A^n = A^{n-2} + A^2 - I. \text{ Hence find } A^{50}.$$

5. Reduce the quadratic form $x_1^2 + 3x_2^2 + 3x_3^2 - 2x_2x_3$ to a canonical form by an orthogonal reduction and discuss its nature. Also find the modal matrix.SEARCH VIT QUESTION PAPERS
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