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**Unit I – Partial Differential Equations**

**1.** Form PDE of  $z = ax + a^2y^2 + b$  by eliminating arbitrary constants

(a)  $q = 2p^2y$       (b)  $q = 2py$       (c)  $p = 2q^2y$       (d)  $p = 2qy$

**Solution:**

Given  $z = ax + a^2y^2 + b$  -----(1)

Differentiate (1) partially with respect to  $x$  and  $y$ ,

$$p = a \quad \text{---} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$q = 2a^2y \quad \text{---} \rightarrow (3)$$

Substituting (2) in (3) we get  $q = 2p^2y$  which is the required PDE.

**2.** Form PDE of  $2z = (ax + y)^2 + b$ , by eliminating arbitrary constants

(a)  $px + qy = p^2$     (b)  $py + qx = q^2$     (c)  $px + qy = q^2$     (d)  $p^2x + q^2y = q^2$

**Solution:**

Given  $2z = (ax + y)^2 + b$  -----(1)

Differentiate (1) partially with respect to  $x$  and  $y$ ,

$$2p = 2a(ax + y) \quad \text{---} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$2q = 2(ax + y) \quad \text{---} \rightarrow (3)$$

Dividing (2) by (3) we get  $\frac{p}{q} = a$  substituting in (3) we get

$px + qy = q^2$  which is the required PDE.

**3.** Form PDE of  $z = axe^y + \frac{a^2 e^{2y}}{2} + b$ , by eliminating arbitrary constants

(a)  $p = xq + p^2$     (b)  $q = xp + p^2$     (c)  $p = xq + q^2$     (d)  $q = x + p^2$

**Solution**

Given  $z = axe^y + \frac{a^2 e^{2y}}{2} + b$  -----(1)

Differentiate (1) partially with respect to  $x$  and  $y$ ,

$$p = ae^y \quad \longrightarrow (2)$$

$$q = axe^y + a^2 e^{2y} \quad \longrightarrow (3)$$

Substituting (2) in (3) we get  $q = xp + p^2$  which is the required PDE.

**4.** Form PDE of  $z = f(x^2 - y^2)$  by eliminating arbitrary function

(a)  $yp + xq = 0$     (b)  $yp - xq = 0$     (c)  $yq + xp = 0$     (d)  $yq - xp = 0$

**Solution:**

Given  $z = f(x^2 - y^2) \longrightarrow (1)$

Differentiate (1) partially with respect to  $x$  and  $y$ ,

$$p = 2xf'(x^2 - y^2) \longrightarrow (2)$$

$$q = -2yf'(x^2 - y^2) \longrightarrow (3)$$

From (2) & (3)  $f'(x^2 - y^2) = \frac{p}{2x}$  &  $f'(x^2 - y^2) = \frac{q}{-2y}$

So,  $\frac{p}{2x} = \frac{q}{-2y} \Rightarrow yp + xq = 0$  which is the required PDE.

**5.** Form PDE of  $\varphi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, lx + my + nz) = 0$

(a)  $\frac{2x+2zp}{2y+2zq} = \frac{l+np}{m+nq}$

(b)  $\frac{2y+2zq}{2x+2zp} = \frac{l+np}{m+nq}$

(c)  $\frac{2x+2zp}{2y+2zq} = \frac{m+nq}{l+np}$

(d)  $\frac{2x-2zp}{2y-2zq} = \frac{l+np}{m+nq}$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \varphi(lx + my + nz) \longrightarrow (1)$$

Differentiate Partially (1) with respect to  $x$  and  $y$

$$2x + 2zp = (l + np)\varphi'(lx + my + nz) \longrightarrow (2)$$

$$2y + 2zq = (m + nq)\varphi'(lx + my + nz) \longrightarrow (3)$$

$\frac{(2)}{(3)} \Rightarrow \frac{2x+2zp}{2y+2zq} = \frac{l+np}{m+nq}$  which is the required PDE

6. Form a PDE of  $z = f(x^2 + y^2)$  by eliminating the arbitrary function  
 (a)  $px = yq$       (b)  $p + y = xq$       (c)  $py = x + q$       **(d)  $py = xq$**

**Solution:**

Given  $z = f(x^2 + y^2) \rightarrow (1)$

Differentiate partially (1) with respect to  $x$  and  $y$  we get

$$p = 2x f'(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$q = 2y f'(x^2 + y^2)$$

Therefore,  $\frac{p}{q} = \frac{x}{y} \Rightarrow py = xq$  which is the required PDE

7. Solve  $p^2 + q^2 = 4$

(a)  $z = ax \pm \sqrt{4 - a^2} + c$

(b)  $z = ax \pm \sqrt{4 + a^2} + c$

(c)  $z = ax \pm \sqrt{4 - a} + c$

**(d)  $z = ax \pm \sqrt{4 + a} + c$**

**Solution:**

Given  $p^2 + q^2 = 4 \rightarrow (1)$

Let us assume that  $z = ax + by + c \rightarrow (2)$  be a solution of (1)

Partially differentiating (2) with respect to  $x$  and  $y$  we get

$$p = a, q = b$$

Substituting above in (1) we get

$$a^2 + b^2 = 4 \rightarrow (3)$$

From (3) we get  $b = \pm\sqrt{4 - a^2}$

Substituting in (2) we get  $z = ax \pm \sqrt{4 - a^2} + c$  which is the complete integral of (1). There is no singular integral of this type  $f(p, q) = 0$

8. Find the complete integral of  $p = q$

(a)  $z = a(x - y) + c$

(b)  $z = 2ax + c$

(c)  $z = ax + y + c$

**(d)  $z = a(x + y) + c$**

**Solution:**

Given  $p = q \rightarrow (1)$

Let us assume that  $z = ax + by + c \rightarrow (2)$  be a solution of (1)

Partially differentiating (2) with respect to  $x$  and  $y$  we get

$$p = a, q = b$$

Substituting above in (1) we get

$$a = b \rightarrow (3)$$

Substituting in (2) we get  $z = a(x + y) + c$  which is the complete integral of (1).

**9.** Find the complete solution of  $\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} = 1$

- (a)  $z = ax + (1 + \sqrt{a})^{\frac{1}{2}}y + c$                       (b)  $z = ax + (1 - \sqrt{a})^{\frac{1}{2}}y + c$   
 (c)  $z = ax - (1 - \sqrt{a})^{\frac{1}{2}}y + c$                       (d)  $z = ax - (1 + \sqrt{a})^{\frac{1}{2}}y + c$

**Solution:**

Given  $\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} - 1 = 0 \quad \rightarrow (1)$

The Complete Solution is given by  $z = ax + by + c \quad \rightarrow (2)$

Replace  $p$  by  $a$  and  $q$  by  $b$  in (1), we get  $\sqrt{a} + \sqrt{b} - 1 = 0$

$$\sqrt{b} = 1 - \sqrt{a} \Rightarrow b = (1 - \sqrt{a})^2$$

Substituting in (2), we get  $z = ax + (1 - \sqrt{a})^{\frac{1}{2}}y + c$  which is required complete solution.

**10.** Find the Singular integral of  $z = px + qy + pq$

- (a)  $z = xy$                       (b)  $z = -\frac{x}{y}$   
 (c)  $z = -xy$                       (d)  $z = \frac{x}{y}$

**Solution:**

The Complete Integral is  $z = ax + by + ab \rightarrow (1)$

Partially differentiating (1) with respect to 'a' and 'b' and equating to 0

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = x + b = 0 \rightarrow (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial b} = y + a = 0 \rightarrow (3)$$

From (2) and (3)  $a = -y, b = -x$  substituting in (1)

$$z = -xy - xy + xy$$

So,  $z = -xy$  is required singular integral.

**11.** Solve  $p + q = 1$

(a)  $f(x + y, y - z) = 0$

(b)  $f(x - y, y + z) = 0$

(c)  $f(x - y, y - z) = 0$

(d)  $f(x + y, y + z) = 0$

**Solution:**

$$p + q = 1 \text{ in the form of } pP + qQ = R$$

$$\frac{dx}{1} = \frac{dy}{1} = \frac{dz}{1}$$

Comparing 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> term and integrating

$$\int dx = \int dy \quad \& \quad \int dy = \int dz$$

$$x - y = c_1, \quad y - z = c_2$$

Solution is  $f(x - y, y - z) = 0$

**12.** Find the complete integral of  $p^2 = qz$

(a)  $z = ke^{a(x-ay)}$

(b)  $z = ke^{x+ay}$

(c)  $z = ke^{x-ay}$

(d)  $z = ke^{a(x+ay)}$

**Solution:**

Given  $p^2 = qz \rightarrow (1)$  which of the form  $f(p, q, z) = 0$

Let  $u = x + ay$ , where 'a' is arbitrary constant.

Replace  $p$  by  $\frac{dz}{du}$  and  $q$  by  $a\left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)$  in (1), we get

$$\frac{dz}{du} = az$$

$$\frac{dz}{z} = a du$$

Integrating both sides,  $\log z = au + c$  (or)  $z = ke^{au}$

The complete integral is given by  $z = ke^{a(x+ay)}$

**13.** Find the complete integral of  $z = pq$

(a)  $4az = (x + ay + b)^2$

(b)  $4az = (x + ay + b)^3$

(c)  $4az = (x - ay + b)^2$

(d)  $4az = (x - ay + b)^3$

**Solution:**

Given  $z = pq \rightarrow (1)$  which of the form  $f(p, q, z) = 0$

Let  $u = x + ay$ , where 'a' is arbitrary constant.

Replace  $p$  by  $\frac{dz}{du}$  and  $q$  by  $a\left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)$  in (1), we get

$$z = a \left( \frac{dz}{du} \right)^2$$

$$\frac{dz}{du} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{z}{a}}$$

$$\frac{dz}{\sqrt{z}} = \pm \frac{du}{\sqrt{a}}$$

Integrating on both sides,  $\pm 2\sqrt{az} = u + k$

Squaring on both sides and substituting  $u = x + ay$  we get

$4az = (x + ay + b)^2$  which is the required complete integral.

**14.** Solve  $p^2 + q^2 = x + y$

$$(a) \ z = \frac{2}{3} (x + k)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{3}{2} (y - k)^{\frac{3}{2}} \quad (b) \ z = \frac{3}{2} (x + k)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} (y - k)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$(c) \ z = \frac{2}{3} (x + k)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} (y - k)^{\frac{3}{2}} \quad (d) \ z = \frac{3}{2} (x + k)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{3}{2} (y - k)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

**Solution:**

The given problem can be written as

$$p^2 - x = y - q^2 \rightarrow (1)$$

This is of the form  $f_1(x, p) = f_2(y, q)$  and there is no singular integral for this type. We will find the complete integral.

Let  $p^2 - x = y - q^2 = k$  (say)

Then  $p = \sqrt{x + k}$ ,  $q = \sqrt{y - k}$

We know that  $dz = p dx + q dy$

Integrating both sides

$$z = \int \sqrt{x + k} \, dx + \int \sqrt{y - k} \, dy$$

$$z = \frac{2}{3} (x + k)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{2}{3} (y - k)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

which is the required solution

**15.** Solve  $yp = 2yx + \log q$

$$(a) \ z = (x^2 + kx) + \frac{e^{ky}}{k} + C \quad (b) \ z = (x^2 - kx) - \frac{e^{ky}}{k} + C$$

$$(c) \ z = (x^2 + kx) - \frac{e^{ky}}{k} + C \quad (d) \ z = (x^2 - kx) + \frac{e^{ky}}{k} + C$$

**Solution:**

The given problem can be written as

$$p - 2x = \frac{\log q}{y} \rightarrow (1)$$

This is of the form  $f_1(x, p) = f_2(y, q)$  and there is no singular integral for this type. We will find the complete integral.

$$p - 2x = \frac{\log q}{y} = k \text{ (say)}$$

i.e.,  $p - 2x = k$ ,

$$\frac{\log q}{y} = k$$

$$p = 2x + k, \quad \log q - ky = 0$$

$$p = 2x + k, \quad q = e^{ky}$$

$$z = \int p dx + \int q dy$$

$$z = \int (2x + k) dx + \int e^{ky} dy$$

$$z = (x^2 + kx) + \frac{e^{ky}}{k} + C$$

which is the required solution

**16.** Solve  $xp + yq = x$

(a)  $\varphi\left(\frac{y}{x}, x - z\right) = 0$

(b)  $\varphi(xy, x - z) = 0$

(c)  $\varphi\left(\frac{x}{y}, x - z\right) = 0$

(d)  $\varphi\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{z}{x}\right) = 0$

**Solution:**

This is of Lagrange's type of PDE where  $P = x, Q = y, R = x$

The subsidiary equations are  $\frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dy}{y} = \frac{dz}{x}$

Taking first two  $\frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dy}{y}$  and integrating we get  $\log x = \log y + \log c_1$

$$\text{i.e., } \frac{x}{y} = c_1 \quad \text{So, } u = \frac{x}{y}$$

Taking first and last,  $\frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dz}{x} \Rightarrow dx = dz$  and integrating we get  $x = z + c_2$

So  $v = x - z$

The Solution is given by  $\varphi(u, v) = 0$  i.e.,  $\varphi\left(\frac{x}{y}, x - z\right) = 0$

**17.** Solve  $(D^2 - 4DD' - 5D'^2)z = 0$

(a)  $z = f_1(y - x) + f_2(y - 5x)$

(b)  $z = f_1(y - x) + f_2(y + 5x)$

(c)  $z = f_1(y + x) + f_2(y + 5x)$

(d)  $z = f_1(y - x) + f_2(y - 5x)$

**Solution:**

Replace  $D$  by  $m$  and  $D'$  by 1

The auxiliary equation is given by  $m^2 - 4m - 5 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow m = 5, -1$$

The general solution is given by

$$z = f_1(y - x) + f_2(y + 5x)$$

**18.** Solve  $25r - 40s + 16t = 0$

(a)  $z = f_1(5y + 4x) + f_2(5y + 4x)$  (b)  $z = f_1(5y + 4x) + f_2(4y + 5x)$

(c)  $z = f_1(4y + 5x) + f_2(5y + 4x)$  (d)  $z = f_1(y + 4x) + f_2(5y + x)$

**Solution**

Since  $r = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = D^2 z$ ,  $t = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = D'^2 z$   $s = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = DD' z$

The auxiliary equation is given by  $25m^2 - 40m + 16 = 0 \Rightarrow (5m - 4)^2 = 0$

So,  $m = \frac{4}{5}, \frac{4}{5}$

The general solution is given by

$$z = f_1(5y + 4x) + f_2(5y + 4x)$$



**19.** Solve  $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial z^3} = 0$

(a)  $z = f_1(y) + x^2 f_2(y) + x f_3(y)$       (b)  $z = f_1(y) - x f_2(y) + x^2 f_3(y)$

(c)  $z = f_1(y) + x f_2(y) + x^2 f_3(y)$       (d)  $z = f_1(y) + x f_2(y) - x^2 f_3(y)$

**Solution:**

The auxiliary equation is given by  $m^3 = 0$

$$m = 0, 0, 0$$

Hence the general solution is given by

$$z = f_1(y) + x f_2(y) + x^2 f_3(y)$$

**20.** Find the particular integral of  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \sin x$

(a)  $-\cos x$     (b)  $\cos x$       (c)  $-\sin x$       (d)  $\sin x$

**Solution:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D+D'} \sin x = \int \sin x \, dx = -\cos x$$

$$P.I = -\cos x$$

**21.** Find the Particular Integral of  $(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = \cos(x - 3y)$

(a)  $\frac{-1}{16} \cos(x - 3y)$       (b)  $\frac{1}{16} \cos(x - 3y)$

(c)  $\frac{-1}{32} \cos(x - 3y)$       (d)  $\frac{x}{16} \cos(x - 3y)$

**Solution:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2} \cos(x - 3y)$$

Replace  $D^2$  by  $-1$ ,  $D'^2$  by  $-9$ ,  $DD'$  by  $3$

$$P.I = \frac{1}{-1-6-9} \cos(x - 3y) = \frac{-1}{16} \cos(x - 3y)$$

**22.** Find the Particular Integral of  $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 5 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 6 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{x+y}$

- (a)  $\frac{1}{2} e^{x+y}$     (b)  $\frac{1}{2} e^{x-y}$     (c)  $\frac{1}{2} e^{2x+y}$     (d)  $\frac{1}{2} e^{2x-y}$

**Solution:**

The given equation can be written as

$$(D^2 - 5DD' + 6D'^2)z = e^{x+y}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P.I &= \frac{1}{D^2 - 5DD' + 6D'^2} e^{x+y} \\ &= \frac{1}{1-5+6} e^{x+y} = \frac{1}{2} e^{x+y} \end{aligned}$$

**23.** Solve  $(D^3 - 6D^2D' + 11DD'^2 - 6D'^3)z = 0$

(a)  $z = f_1(y-x) + f_2(y+2x) + f_3(y+3x)$

(b)  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y+2x) + f_3(y+3x)$

(c)  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y-2x) + f_3(y+3x)$

(d)  $z = f_1(y-x) + f_2(y+2x) + f_3(y-3x)$

**Solution:**

The auxiliary Equation is given by  $m^3 - 6m^2 + 11m - 6 = 0$

Solving  $m = 1, 2, 3$

C.F is  $f_1(y+x) + f_2(y+2x) + f_3(y+3x)$

where  $f_1, f_2, f_3$  are arbitrary functions

Solution is  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y+2x) + f_3(y+3x)$

**24.** Find the Particular Integral of  $(D^2 + 3DD' - 4D'^2)z = \sin y$

- (a)  $-\frac{1}{4}\sin y$       (b)  $\frac{1}{4}\cos y$       (c)  $-\frac{1}{4}\cos y$       (d)  $\frac{1}{4}\sin y$

**Solution:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D^2 + 3DD' - 4D'^2} \sin y$$

Replace  $D^2$  by 0,  $D'^2$  by  $-1$ ,  $DD'$  by 0

$$P.I = \frac{1}{0 + 0 - 4(-1)} \sin y = \frac{1}{4} \sin y$$

**25.** Solve  $(D^3 - 3D^2D' + 4D'^3)z = 0$

- (a)  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y+2x) + xf_3(y-2x)$   
 (b)  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y+2x) + xf_3(y+2x)$   
 (c)  $z = f_1(y+x) + f_2(y-2x) + xf_3(y-2x)$   
 (d)  $z = f_1(y-x) + f_2(y+2x) + xf_3(y+2x)$

**Solution:**

The auxiliary equation is  $m^3 - 3m^2 + 4 = 0$

The roots are  $m = -1, 2, 2$

$$C.F = f_1(y-x) + f_2(y+2x) + xf_3(y+2x)$$

Solution is  $z = f_1(y-x) + f_2(y+2x) + xf_3(y+2x)$