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Time: 9:30 – 12:30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- (i) Attempt any **FIVE** questions
- (ii) Read through the paper carefully and follow instructions on the answer booklet
- (iii) Calculators and mathematical tables may be used.

1. (a) For the following orthogonal functions, state the weight function and interval of orthogonality.

- (i) Legendre functions [02 marks]
- (ii) Tchebyshev functions [02 marks]
- (iii) Laguerre functions [02 marks]
- (iv) Hermitian functions [02 marks]

- (b) Legendre polynomials can be generated using a recurrence relation. With conditions $P_0(x) = 1$, $P_1(x) = x$, generate

- (i) $P_2(x)$ [03 marks]
- (ii) $P_3(x)$ [03 marks]

- (c) Tchebyshev polynomials are denoted by $T_n(t)$. With conditions $T_0(t) = 1$ and $T_1(t) = t$, generate

- (i) $T_2(t)$ [03 marks]
- (ii) $T_3(t)$ [03 marks]

2. Find the fourth Taylor polynomial $P_4(x)$ for the function $f(x) = xe^{x^2}$ about $x = 0$. [06 marks]
- (a) Find an upper bound for $|f(x) - P_4(x)|$, for $0 \leq x \leq 0.4$. [04 marks]
- (b) Approximate $\int_0^{0.4} f(x)dx$ using $\int_0^{0.4} P_4(x)dx$ [02 marks]
- (c) Find an upper bound for the error in (b) using $\int_0^{0.4} P_4(x)dx$. [02 marks]
- (d) Approximate $f(0.2)$ and $P_4(0.2)$ and find the error [02 marks]
- (e) Approximate $f'(0.2)$ and $P_4'(0.2)$ and find the error. [04 marks]

3. (a) Use appropriate Lagrange interpolating polynomial of degree one and two to approximate $f(8.4)$, if $f(8.1) = 16.94410$, $f(8.3) = 17.56492$, $f(8.6) = 18.59515$, $f(8.7) = 18.82091$. [07 marks]
- (b) The data for (a) were generated using the function $f(x) = x \ln x$. Use the error formula to find a bound for the error, and compare the bound to the actual error for the cases $n = 1$ and $n = 2$. [07 marks]

(c) Consider $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{T_n(x)T_m(x)}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \int_{-1}^1 \frac{\cos(n \cos^{-1} x) \cos(m \cos^{-1} x)}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$.

When $n = m$, show that $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{[T_n(x)]^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$ for each $n \geq 1$ [06 marks]

4. (a) Use the numbers $x_0 = 2$, $x_1 = 3.75$, and $x_2 = 4$ to find the second Lagrange interpolating polynomial for $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ [05 mark]
- (b) Use this polynomial to approximate $f(3)$ [02 marks]
- (c) Determine the error bound for this polynomial when $x = 2.45$. [05 marks]
- (d) Use the forward-difference formula to construct an interpolating polynomial of degree three for the following data and hence find $f(0.25)$ [08 marks]
- $f(0.1) = -0.62049958$, $f(0.2) = -0.28398668$, $f(0.3) = 0.00660095$, $f(0.4) = 0.24842440$
5. (a) The Newton forward divided-difference formula is used to approximate $f(0.3)$ given the following data

| | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|
| x | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 |
| f(x) | 15.0 | 21.0 | 30.0 | 51.0 |

Suppose it is discovered that $f(0.4)$ was understated by 10 and $f(0.6)$ was overstated by 5. By what amount should the approximation to $f(0.3)$ be changed? [13 marks]

- (b) Use Newton backward-difference formula to find the interpolation polynomial that approximates the function with the following data. [07 marks]

| | | | | | |
|------|---|---|---|----|----|
| x | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| f(x) | 1 | 3 | 7 | 13 | 25 |

6. (a) Given that $f(1) = 3$, $f(2) = 8$, $f(4) = 54$ and $f(5) = 107$. Use Lagrange interpolation formula to find P_3 . Hence estimate the value of $f(3.5)$. [10 marks]
- (b) Form a table of divided differences that fits the following data [10 marks]

| | | | | | | |
|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|
| x | 0 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 13 |
| f(x) | 140 | 225 | 383 | 1623 | 2742 | 5993 |

7. Determine the values of n and h required to approximate $\int_0^2 \frac{1}{x+4} dx$ to within 10^{-5} and compute the approximation.

- (a) Use the composite Trapezoidal rule [09 marks]
- (b) Use the composite Simpson's rule [09 marks]
- (c) By comparing results of (a) and (b) to the exact value, which of the two rules gives a value within the required error bound. [02 marks]
8. (a) Use the following values and five-digit rounding arithmetic to construct Hermite interpolating polynomial to approximate $\sin 0.34$. [08 marks]

| x | $\sin x$ | $D_x \sin x = \cos x$ |
|------|----------|-----------------------|
| 0.30 | 0.29552 | 0.95534 |
| 0.32 | 0.31457 | 0.94924 |
| 0.35 | 0.34290 | 0.93937 |

- (b) Determine the error bound for the approximation in part (a), and compare it to the actual error. [04 marks]
- (c) Add $\sin 0.33 = 0.32404$ and $\cos 0.33 = 0.94604$ to the data, and redo the calculations. [08 marks]

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