



1.	a)	Test the convergence of the series $\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{3^3-1} + \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4^3-1} + \frac{\sqrt{4}-1}{5^3-1} + \dots$	7
	b)	Test the convergence of the series $\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4 \cdot 7}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 10}{3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7} + \dots$	6
	c)	Discuss the nature of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 10 \dots (3n+1)}{n!} x^n$	7
2.	a)	If $x^y + y^x = c$, then what is $\frac{dy}{dx}$?	6
	b)	Expand $e^x \log_e(1+y)$ in powers of x and y up to terms of third degree.	7
	c)	Find the minimum value of $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to $xy + yz + zx = 3a^2$.	7
3.	a)	Solve the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} + 4xy + xy^3 = 0$.	7
	b)	Find the orthogonal trajectories of the family of curves $\left(r + \frac{k^2}{r}\right) \cos \theta = a$, where a is the parameter.	7
	c)	Solve the non-linear differential equation $p^3 + 2xp^2 - p^2y^2 - 2xy^2p = 0$.	6
4.	a)	Solve the initial value problem $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 3\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4y = 0, y(0) = 1; y'(0) = 0; y''(0) = \frac{1}{2}$.	7
	b)	Solve the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - y = \frac{2}{1+e^x}$ by using the method of variation of parameters.	7
	c)	Solve the differential equation $(2x+5)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 6(2x+5) \frac{dy}{dx} + 8y = 6x$.	6

5.	a)	Evaluate $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\cos\theta + \sin\theta)^{\frac{1}{3}} d\theta$ using Beta and Gamma functions. Note that $\frac{1}{3}$ is the superscript of $(\cos\theta + \sin\theta)$ in the given integral.	6
	b)	Prove that $x[J_{v-1}(x) + J_{v+1}(x)] = 2vJ_v(x)$.	7
	c)	Prove that $J_0^2 + 2J_1^2 + 2J_2^2 + 2J_3^2 + \dots = 1$.	7