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**PART A**

**5 x 10 = 50 Marks**

**Answer all the questions**

1.	The elements of a matrix A may be functions of a variable t. Determine the solution of the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dt} - 12y = 0$ , $y(0) = 0$ , $y'(0) = 8$ by using the method of matrix
2.	Balance the chemical equation $C_3H_8 + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + H_2O$ . Using the technique of matrix .

3	<p>Solve the following system of equations by using Cramer's rule</p> $x + y + z = 1$ $ax + by + cz = k$ $a^2x + b^2y + c^2z = k^2.$
4.	<p>Find the characteristic roots and the corresponding characteristic vectors of the matrix <math>\begin{bmatrix} 8 &amp; -6 &amp; 2 \\ -6 &amp; 7 &amp; -4 \\ 2 &amp; -4 &amp; 3 \end{bmatrix}</math></p>

5.	<p>Discuss for all values of M for the system of equations</p> $x + y + 4z = 6$ $x + 2y - 2z = 6$ $mx + y + z = 6.$
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