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Sub. No. MA40002/ MA51004/ MA61052,

Sub. Name Integral Equations and Variational methods

Instruction: Answer all the questions. Notations have their usual meanings. Each question carries 5 marks.

1. Reduce the Volterra integral equation

$$y(x) = \frac{x^3}{6} - x + 1 + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^x \{2(x-t) \sin t - (x-t)^2(e^t + \cos t)\} y(t) dt$$

to an equivalent initial value problem.

2. If the boundary value problem given by

$$2y'' + y = 0; 0 < y < 1; y(0) = 0, y'(1) + 3y(1) = 1$$

is reduced to a Fredholm integral equation of the form

$$y(x) = f(x) + \lambda \int_0^1 K(x, t) y(t) dt,$$

find $f(x)$, λ and $K(x, t)$.

3. Solve $y(x) = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{x}{3} + \int_0^1 (x-t) y(t) dt$, using method of direct computation.

4. Solve $y(x) = \frac{3}{2}e^x - \frac{1}{2}xe^x - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 t y(t) dt$, using method of successive substitution.

5. (i) Find the iterative kernels $K_n(x, t); n = 1, 2, 3 \dots$ corresponding to the kernel $K(x, t) = \sin(x + t)$.

(ii) Hence find the resolvent kernel $R(x, t; \lambda)$ and solve the integral equation

$$y(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin(x + t) y(t) dt.$$

6. Find the eigenvalues and eigenfunctions of the homogeneous integral equation

$$y(x) = \lambda \int_{-1}^1 (5xt^3 + 4x^2t + 3xt) y(t) dt.$$
