

**Mathematical Methods (MA31007)**

**Test-2**

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**12 - 1:05 P.M. Full Marks 25**

**All six questions are compulsory. No negative marking or part marking is there.**

Q1. (a) The BVP  $y'' + y = x$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  and  $y'(1) = 0$  is reduced to the Fredholm integral equation  $y(x) = \int_0^1 G(x,t)y(t)dt - \frac{1}{6} \left( k_1 x - \frac{5}{k_2} x^3 \right)$ . Then  $k_1 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  and  $k_2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Q1. (b) In Q1. (a),  $G(x,t)$  is the Green's function of the associated homogeneous BVP and  $G(x,t) = \frac{2}{k_3} x$ ,  $0 \leq x < t$  and  $G(x,t) = k_4 t$ ,  $t < x \leq 1$ . Then  $k_3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  and  $k_4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Q1. (c) In Q1. (a), if the first boundary condition is changed to  $y(0) = 1$ , then the Fredholm integral equation takes the form

$$y(x) = \int_0^1 G(x,t)y(t)dt - \frac{1}{k_5} (x^3 + k_6 x + k_7). \text{ Then } k_5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} k_6 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ and } k_7 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

**1+1+1=3M**

Q2. (a) To solve  $y'' - 2y' + y = xe^x \log x$ ,  $x > 0$ , method of variation of parameter is adopted.

The particular integral is of the form  $\frac{1}{k_1} x^3 e^x \log x - \frac{k_2}{k_3} x^3 e^x$ ,  $k_2$  and  $k_3$  are prime to each other.

Then  $k_1 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   $k_2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  and  $k_3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ .

Q2. (b) Using the method of variation of parameter, the solution of  $y'' + 9y = \phi(x)$  satisfying the initial conditions  $y(0) = 0$  and  $y'(0) = 0$  is obtained as

$$y = c_1 \cos 3x + c_2 \sin 3x + \frac{1}{c_3} \int_0^x \phi(t) \sin c_4 (x-t) dt.$$

Then  $c_1 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   $c_2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   $c_3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  and  $c_4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

**2+2=4M**

Q3. (a) With the help of  $1, x, x^2$  three functions  $\varphi_0, \varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  are constructed which are orthogonal with respect to  $e^{-x}$  over  $0 \leq x < \infty$ . If  $\varphi_2(x)$  has the form  $k_1x^2 - k_2x + k_3$ , then

$$k_1 = \text{_____} \quad k_2 = \text{_____} \quad \text{and} \quad k_3 = \text{_____}.$$

Q3. (b) Consider three functions  $f_1(x) = a_0$ ,  $f_2(x) = b_0 + b_1x$  and  $f_3(x) = c_0 + c_1x + c_2x^2$

where  $a_0, b_0, b_1, c_0, c_1, c_2$  are real constants. If the given functions form an orthonormal set on the interval  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ , then the values of  $b_0 = \text{_____}$  and  $c_1 = \text{_____}$ . If  $c_0$  and  $c_2$  are connected by  $c_2 = -kc_0$ , then  $k = \text{_____}$ .

**2+3=5M**

Q4. (a) Consider a second order eigenvalue problem

$$-P(x)y'' - Q(x)y' + R(x)y = \lambda y \text{-----(1)}$$

which is converted into Sturm-Liouville eigenvalue problem

$$Ly = \lambda ry \text{ where } Ly = -(py')' + qy \text{-----(2)}$$

with boundary conditions  $\alpha_1 y(0) + \alpha_2 y'(0) = 0, \beta_1 y(l) + \beta_2 y'(l) = 0, p(x) > 0, r(x) > 0$ .

Multiplying by a suitable factor  $\mu(x)$ , Eq. (1) is converted into Eq.(2) Then the form of  $\mu(x)$  is

(no constant is considered) (i)  $\frac{e^{\int \frac{P}{Q} dx}}{Q}$  (ii)  $\frac{e^{-\int \frac{P}{Q} dx}}{Q}$  (iii)  $\frac{e^{\int \frac{Q}{P} dx}}{P}$  (iv)  $\frac{e^{-\int \frac{Q}{P} dx}}{P}$

Q4. (b) Hence if  $y'' + xy' + \lambda y = 0, y(0) = 0 = y(1)$ , is reduced in the form of Eq. (2) of Q4.(a),

then  $p(x) = e^{\frac{x^2}{k_1}}$  and  $r(x) = e^{\frac{2x^2}{k_2}}$ . Then  $k_1 = \text{_____}$  and  $k_2 = \text{_____}$

Q4. (c) Define the Sturm-Liouville problem as given in Q4(a). If  $u$  and  $v$  satisfy the S-L

differential equation, then  $\int_0^l (vLu - uLv) dx =$

$$(i) (pvu')_0^l - (puv')_0^l \quad (ii) (-qvu')_0^l + (quv')_0^l$$

$$(iii) (-pvu')_0^l + (puv')_0^l \quad (iv) (qvu')_0^l - (quv')_0^l$$

Q4. (d) In continuation to Q4.(c), if  $u$  and  $v$  both satisfy S-L boundary condition also, given in Q4(a), then the value of  $\int_0^l (vLu - uLv) dx$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

**2+1+2+1=6M**

Q5. (a) Consider the ODE  $(5 - x^2)y'' + \frac{1+x}{x}y' - \left(\frac{3}{x^2} + x\right)y = 0$ . The number of singular points are \_\_\_\_\_

Q5. (b) If a power series solution  $y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  for  $(x^2 + 1)y'' - 4xy' + 6y = 0$  about  $x = 0$  is obtained, then the number of terms in the power series will be \_\_\_\_\_

Q5. (c) For the ODE in Q5.(b), if a recurrence relation between  $c_{n+2}$  and  $c_n$  is obtained as

$$c_{n+2} = -\frac{(n-k_1)(n-k_2)}{(n+k_3)(n+k_4)}c_n, \quad n \geq 2, \text{ then } k_1 = \text{_____} k_2 = \text{_____} k_3 = \text{_____} \text{ and } k_4 = \text{_____}.$$

$$k_1 < k_2, k_4 < k_3.$$

**1+1+1=3M**

Q6. (a) If a power series solution  $y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^{r+n}$ ,  $c_0 \neq 0$  is found for

$$2x^2y'' - xy' + (1+x)y = 0, \text{ then the roots of the indicial equation are } k_1 \text{ and } \frac{1}{k_2}, k_1 < k_2. \text{ Then}$$

$$k_1 = \text{_____} \text{ and } k_2 = \text{_____}$$

Q6. (b) If an ascending power series solution  $y(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} c_m x^{k+m}$ ,  $c_0 \neq 0$  is obtained for Legendre

$$\text{equation } (1-x^2)y'' - 2xy' + n(n+1)y = 0 \text{ and the roots of the indicial equation are } k_1 \text{ and } k_2$$

then  $k_1 = \text{_____}$  and  $k_2 = \text{_____}$   $k_1 < k_2$ .

Q6. (c) If a recurrence relation between  $c_m$  and  $c_{m-2}$  for the problem in Q.6(b)

$$\text{Is obtained as } c_m = \frac{(k+m-a-n)(k+m-b+n)}{(k+m)(k+m-1)}c_{m-2}, \text{ then } a = \text{_____} \text{ and } b = \text{_____}.$$

**2+1+1=4M**

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