

END TERM EXAMINATION

THIRD SEMESTER [B.TECH] JANUARY 2024

Paper Code: ES-201

Subject: Computational Methods

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt five questions in all including Q.No.1 which is compulsory. Select one question from each unit. Assume missing data if any. Scientific calculator is allowed.

Q1 Attempt all questions:

a) The height of an observation tower was estimated to be 47m, whereas its actual height was 45m. Calculate the percentage relative error in the measurement. (1.5)

b) Derive the formula for evaluating $\sqrt{12}$ by Newton's Raphson method. (1.5)

c) Differentiate between partial and complete pivoting in solving linear system of algebraic equations. (1.5)

d) Estimate the missing term in the following table: (1.5)

x:	0	1	2	3	4
f(x):	1	3	9	—	81

e) Define cubic spline function and state the conditions required for cubic spline interpolation. (1.5)

f) Find $\int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{\cos \theta} d\theta$ using Simpson's 1/3rd rule for $n=6$. (2.5)

g) Solve the IVP $\frac{dy}{dx} = xe^y, y(0)=0$ using Picard's method and estimate $y(0.2)$. (3)

h) Determine which of the following equations are elliptic, parabolic, and hyperbolic. (2)

(i) $f_{xx} + 6f_{xy} + 9f_{yy} = 0$

(ii) $f_{xx} - 2f_{xy} + 2f_{yy} = 2x + 5y$

UNIT-I

Q2 a) Find the root of the equation $x = e^{-x}$, correct to three decimal places by Secant method by performing six iterations. (8)

b) Use Newton—Raphson method to obtain a root of $\sin x = 1 - x$ to three decimal places. (7)

Q3 a) Perform four iterations of Golden section search method to minimize $f(x) = x^4 - 14x^3 + 60x^2 - 70x$, $x \in (0, 2)$ with $\epsilon = 10^{-3}$. (7.5)

b) Use steepest descent method for 3 iterations on $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - 4)^4 + (x_2 - 3)^2 + 4(x_3 + 5)^4$ with initial point $x^{(0)} = [4, 2, -1]^T$ (7.5)

UNIT-II

Q4 a) Prove that $\Delta = \frac{1}{2}\delta^2 + \delta\sqrt{1 + \delta^2/4}$. (7)

b) The table gives the distance in nautical miles of the visible horizon for the given heights in feet above the earth's surface: (8)

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$x = \text{height} :$	100	150	200	250	300	350	400
$y = \text{distance} :$	10.63	13.03	15.04	16.81	18.42	19.90	21.27

Find the value of y when $x=410$ using Newton's backward interpolation formula.

- Q5 a) Evaluate the integral $\int_0^6 \frac{e^x}{1+x} dx$ using Simpson's $1/3^{\text{rd}}$ and Simpson's $3/8^{\text{th}}$ rule respectively. Compare it with the exact value. (7)
- b) Evaluate the integral $\int_0^{0.5} \left(\frac{x}{\sin x} \right) dx$ using Romberg's method, correct to three decimal places. (8)

UNIT-III

- Q6 a) Investigate the values of λ and μ so that the system of equations (7)
- $$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y + 5z &= 9 \\ 7x + 3y - 2z &= 8 \\ 2x + 3y + \lambda z &= \mu \end{aligned}$$

have (i) no solution, (ii) unique solution, (iii) an infinite number of solutions.

- b) Solve the system of equations (8)

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 10x_2 - x_3 = 3 \\ 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 20x_3 = 7 \\ 10x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 4 \end{cases}$$

Using the Gauss elimination with partial pivoting.

- Q7 a) Solve the system of equations using Dolittle factorisation method (9)

$$\begin{cases} 3x + 2y + 7z = 4 \\ 2x + 3y + z = 5 \\ 3x + 4y + z = 7 \end{cases}$$

- b) Determine the numerically dominant eigenvalue and eigenvector of

the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 15 & -4 & -3 \\ -10 & 12 & -6 \\ -20 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ using Power method. Take the initial

vector $X^{(0)} = [1, 1, 1]^T$. (6)

UNIT-IV

- Q8 a) Employ Taylor's method to obtain the approximate value of y at $x=0.2$ for the differential equation $dy/dx = 2y + 3e^x$, $y(0)=0$. Compare the numerical solution obtained with the exact solution. (7)

- b) Using Runge-Kutta method of fourth order, solve $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 - x^2}{y^2 + x^2}$ with $y(0) = 1$ at $x = 0.2, 0.4$. (8)

- Q9 a) Solve the initial value problem $y \frac{dy}{dx} = x$, $y(0) = 1$, using Euler's method in $0 \leq x \leq 0.8$, with $h = 0.2$. Compare the results with the exact solution at $x = 0.8$. (8)

- b) Solve the partial differential equation (7)

$$u_{xx} + u_{yy} = x + y + 1, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1, \quad 0 \leq y \leq 1,$$

$$u = 0 \text{ on the boundary}$$

Numerically up to three iterations with $h = 1/3$. Obtain the results correct to three decimal places.
