

## FIFTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

(CUCBCSS—UG)

Mathematics

MAT 5B 08—DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 120 Marks

## Section A

*Answer all twelve questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. The inverse Laplace transform of the function  $f(t) = 1$  is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The integrating factor for the linear differential equation  $y' - \frac{1}{t}y = 0$  is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Write the order of the differential equation :

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 4\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^2 - \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y^2 = 0.$$

4. Show that the differential equation :

$$(2xy + y - \tan y) + (x^2 - x \tan^2 y + \sec^2 y + 2)y' = 0 \text{ is exact.}$$

5. Solve  $y'' + y = 0$ .
6. Are the functions  $e^{\pi t}$  and  $\frac{1}{\pi}e^{\pi t}$  linearly independent ?
7. Find the Laplace Transform of  $e^{at} \cos bt$ .
8. Define step function.
9. If  $f(x)$  is an even function, the co-efficient of sines in the Fourier series expansion of  $f(x)$  is evaluated by the integral \_\_\_\_\_.

Turn over

10. What is the fundamental period of  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{3}\right)$ .
11. If  $f(x) = x + k$  is an odd function, the value of  $k$  must be \_\_\_\_\_.
12. What is the heat conduction equation ?

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

### Section B

Answer any **ten** out of fourteen questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

13. Show that  $u(x, y) = \cos x \cosh y$  is a solution of the partial differential equation  $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$ .
14. Find the solution of the initial value problem  $y' = (1 - 2x)y^2$ ,  $y(0) = \frac{1}{6}$ .
15. Find the value of  $b$  for which the following equation is exact :
- $$(xy^2 + b x^2 y) dx + (x + y) x^2 dy = 0.$$
16. Write the conditions for the existence of the Laplace transform of a function.
17. Find the Wronskian of the functions  $x$  and  $xe^x$ .
18. Find the general solution of  $y'' + 2y' + 5y = 0$ .
19. Find the Laplace transform of  $f(t) = e^{\omega t}$ ,  $t \geq 0$ .
20. Find the Laplace transform of  $f(t) = 5e^{-2t} - 3 \sin 4t$ ,  $t \geq 0$ .
21. Find the inverse Laplace transform of the function  $\frac{1}{s^2 - 4s + 5}$ .

22. Show that sum of two even functions is even.
23. Assuming the required equations, prove that  $L[f'(t)] = sL[f(t)] - f(0)$ .
24. Find  $L(e^{5t} \cos 3ht)$ .
25. Find the inverse Laplace transform of the function  $\ln \frac{s+a}{s+b}$ .
26. Find  $a_0$  for the periodic function :

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -k & -\pi < x < 0 \\ k & 0 < x < \pi \end{cases}$$

(10 × 4 = 40 marks)

### Section C

Answer any **six** out of nine questions.

Each question carries 7 marks.

27. Show that the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2 + xy + y^2}{x^2}$  homogeneous and hence solve.
28. Find an integrating factor for the equation  $(3xy + y^2) + (x^2 + xy)y' = 0$  and then solve the equation.
29. Transform the equation  $u'' + 2u' + 2u = 0$  into a system of first order equation.
30. State and prove Abel's Theorem.
31. Using the method of Laplace transform, solve :
- $$y'' - 3y' + 2y = 4e^{2t}, y(0) = -3, y'(0) = 5.$$
32. State and prove the convolution theorem for Laplace transform.
33. Find the inverse transform of  $F(s) = \frac{1 - e^{-2s}}{s^2}$ .

Turn over

34. Find the solution of the initial value problem :

$$2y'' + y' + 2y = \delta(t - 5); y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0.$$

35. Solve using the method of separation of variables :

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = a^2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}, u(x, 0) = 1, u(0, y) = -1.$$

(6 × 7 = 42 marks)

### Section D

Answer any **two** out of three questions.

Each question carries 13 marks.

36. (a) Solve by method of variation of parameters :

$$y'' + y = \tan t, 0 < t < \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

- (b) Find the general solution of  $t^2 y'' - 4ty' + 6y = 0, t > 0$ .

37. Let  $f(x) = 1 - x^2$  if  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$  and  $f(x+2) = f(x)$ . Then :

- (a) Sketch the graph of the function  $f$  and state whether the function is even or odd.  
 (b) Find the Fourier series of  $f$ .

(c) Deduce that :  $\frac{\pi^2}{6} = 1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$ .

38. Derive the wave equation by stating the assumptions involved and find it's D'Alembert's solution.

(2 × 13 = 26 marks)