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## SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020

(CUCSS - PG)

(Mathematics)

#### CC19P MTH2 C09 - ODE AND CALCULUS OF VARIATIONS

(2019 Admissions - Regular)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

## Part A

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. Find the indicial roots of the equation  $4x^2y'' + (2x^4 5x)y' + (3x^2 + 2)y = 0$ .
- 2. Find the general solution of  $x(1-x)y'' + \left(\frac{3}{2} 2x\right)y' + 2y = 0$  at x = 0.
- 3. Show that  $\int_{-1}^{1} \frac{1}{1-2xt+t^2} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left( \int_{-1}^{1} [P_n(x)]^2 dx \right) t^{2n}$ .
- 4. Show that  $\frac{d}{dx}\left\{x^p J_p(x)\right\} = x^p J_{p-1}(x).$
- 5. Compute Bessel series of the function f(x) = 1 in terms of the function  $J_0(\lambda_n x)$ .
- 6. Determine the nature of the critical (0,0) of the equation

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2b\frac{dx}{dt} + a^2x = 0$$
, where  $a \ge 0$ ,  $b \ge 0$  and  $a = b$ .

- 7. Find the Extremal of the integral  $\int_{x_1}^{x_2} [y^2 (y')^2] dx$ .
- 8. Find the Eigen values  $\lambda_n$  and Eigen functions  $y_n(x)$  of  $y'' + \lambda y = 0$  with  $y(0) = y(\pi) = 0$ .

# (8 x 1 = 8 Weightage)

## Part B

Answer any two questions from each unit. Each question carries 2 weightage.

## UNIT I

- 9. Solve the differential equation  $(1 x^2)y'' xy' + p^2y = 0$ .
- 10. Discuss the nature at  $x = \infty$  of the equation  $x^2y'' + 4xy' + 2y = 0$  and find the exponents.
- 11. Derive Rodrigues's formula for  $P_n(x)$ .

#### UNIT II

12. Show that  $J_{-1/2}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi x}} \cos x$ .

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13. Find the critical point, differential equation, general solution and sketch the graph of

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = ax - y\\ \frac{dy}{dt} = x + ay \end{cases}$$

14. Show that (0, 0) is asymptotically stable critical point for the system  $\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = -3x^3 - y\\ \frac{dy}{dt} = x^5 - 2y^3 \end{cases}$ 

# UNIT III

- 15. Find normal form of the differential equation y'' + p(x)y' + Q(x)y = 0.
- 16. Find the exact solution of y' = 2x(1 + y) with y(0) = 0. Starting with  $y_0(x) = 0$  calculate  $y_1(x), y_2(x), y_3(x)$  and  $y_4(x)$ , also compare these results with the exact solution.
- 17. State and prove Euler's differential equation for an Extremal.

(6 x 2 = 12 Weightage)

## Part C

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 18. Solve the differential equation  $4x^2y'' 8x^2y' + (4x^2 + 1)y = 0$ .
- 19. If there exists a Liapunov function E(x, y) for the autonomous system, then the critical point (0,0) is stable. Furthermore, if this function has the additional property that the function  $\frac{\partial E}{\partial x}F + \frac{\partial E}{\partial y}G$  is negative definite, then the critical point (0,0) is asymptotically stable.
- 20. Define Geodesies and find the Geodesies on a sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a^2$ .
- 21. State and prove Picard's theorem.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ Weightage})$ 

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