

**SIXTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023**

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

**CC19U MTS6 B13 / CC20U MTS6 B13 - DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS**

(Mathematics - Core Course)

(2019, 2020 Admissions)

Time : 2.5 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Credit : 4

**Part A (Short answer questions)**Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Solve the initial value problem  $\frac{dy}{dt} = -2y + 5; y(0) = 0$
2. Determine the order of the given differential equation  $(1 + y^2)\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + t\frac{dy}{dt} + y = e^t$  also state whether the equation is linear or nonlinear.
3. Solve the initial value problem  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2 + 4x + 2}{2(y - 1)}, y(0) = -1$
4. Find an interval in which the initial value problem  $ty' + 2y = 4t^2; y(1) = 2$  has a unique solution.
5. Solve the linear differential equation  $y'' + 7y' + 12y = 0$
6. Find the Wronskian of  $y_1 = \sin t, y_2 = \cos t$ . Determine whether  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  are linearly independent.
7. Find the general solution of  $4y'' + 5y' - y = 0$
8. Find the general solution of  $16y'' + 24y' + 9y = 0$
9. What is the radius of convergence of the Taylor series for  $(1 + x^2)^{-1}$  about  $x = 0$ ?
10. Find the Laplace transform of  $\sin at$
11. Find the inverse Laplace transform of  $\frac{b}{(s - a)^2 + b^2}$
12. Write the expression for  $\mathcal{L}(f'(t))$  and  $\mathcal{L}(f''(t))$
13. Find the inverse Laplace transform of  $G(s) = \frac{1}{(s + 2)^2 + 1}$
14. Determine whether the function  $f(x) = |x|^3$  is even, odd, or neither.
15. Write heat equation and wave equation

**(Ceiling: 25 Marks)**

**Part B** (Paragraph questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

16. Determine whether the equation  $(2x + 3) + (2y - 2)y' = 0$  is exact. If it is exact, find the solution.
17. Find an integrating factor of  $(3x^2y + 2xy + y^3) + (x^2 + y^2)y' = 0$
18. Find the particular solution of  $y'' + 2y' + y = 3e^{-t}$
19. Use the method of variation of parameters find the general solution of the differential equation  $y'' + 4y = 8 \tan t \quad -\pi/2 < t < \pi/2$
20. Find the inverse Laplace transform of  $\frac{2(s - 1)e^{-2s}}{s^2 - 2s + 2}$
21. Find the Laplace transform of  $f(t) = \int_0^t (t - \tau)^2 \cos(2\tau) d\tau$
22. Solve the boundary value problem  $y'' + y = 0; y(0) = 1, y(\pi) = a$
23. Find the Fourier series of  $f(x) = x, -1 \leq x < 1; f(x + 2) = f(x)$

**(Ceiling: 35 Marks)**

**Part C** (Essay questions)

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

24. Solve the initial value problem  $y' + \frac{1}{4}y = 3 + 2 \cos(2t); y(0) = 0$
25. Find the general solution of  $y'' + 2y' = 3 + 4 \sin(2t)$
26. Using Laplace transform, find the solution of the initial value problem  $y'' + \omega^2 y = g(t); y(0) = 0, y'(0) = -1$
27. Let  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x & -\pi \leq x < 0, \\ 0, & 0 \leq x < \pi, \end{cases}$  and suppose that  $f(x + 2\pi) = f(x)$ . Find the Fourier series for  $f$ .

**(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)**

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