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# SECOND SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

## CC19P PHY2 C08 - COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS

(Physics)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

#### Section A

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

- 1. Briefly write down the steps involved in the development of a computer program.
- 2. Write a programme WAP to input a number and check if it is a perfect number or not.
- 3. Define modules in python. What are the best practices of importing modules in a python program?
- 4. Explain different array modification techniques with suitable examples?
- 5. How to perform cross product and dot product in numpy arrays.? Explain with codes of python
- 6. The velocities of a car running on a straight road at intervals of 2 minutes are given below. Find the distance covered using Simpson's rule.

Time	0	2	4	6	8	10	12
Velocity	0	22	30	27	18	7	0

- 7. Briefly explain the Numerov's method of solving a boundary value problem.
- 8. Write the theory to simulate radioactivity using Monte-Carlo method.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$ 

## **Section B**

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 9. Explain different data types in python with examples.
- 10. Explain the matplotlib module with its various preparatory and plotting functions.
- 11. Explain the finite equilibrium method and shooting method used to solve boundary value problems.
- 12. With help of Python codes, explain the numerical method of tracking the motion of a projectile with air drag by Euler method.

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

## **Section C**

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 13. Explain 'Inputs and Outputs, Variables, operators, expressions and statements' in python language?
- 14. Find the cubic polynomial with given set of points.

X	0	1	2	3
f(x)	5	6	3	14

15. Certain experimental values of x and y are given. If  $y=a_0+a_1x$ , find the approximate values of  $a_0$  and  $a_1$ .

X	0	2	5	7
У	-1	5	12	20

- 16. Write a programme WAP in python to solve the equation  $f(x) = x^3 x 1$  using the bisection method.
- 17. Explain the Euler method used to solve ordinary differential equation.
- 18. Write a programme WAP in python to solve the differential equation  $dy/dx = -y^2$  at y(2), given that y(1)=1, by 2nd order R-K method. Choose step size=0.2
- 19. A gently placed metallic ball of radius 0.05 m and mass 1 kg is moving down in a liquid with a coefficient of viscosity 0.7 PaS. Estimate the position and velocity after 0.75 second under the influence of viscous force. Use a step size of 0.25.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$ 

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