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Programme – M.Sc.(MATH)-2023

Course Name – Partial Differential Equations

Course Code - MSCMC203

(Semester II)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2:30 Hours

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

Group-A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

1 x 15=15

1. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

(i) Tell the solution of the differential equation $r + 5s + 6t = (y - 2x)^{-1}$

a) $\phi_1(y + 2x) + \phi_2(y + 3x) + \log(y + 2x)$

b) $\phi_1(y - 2x) + \phi_2(y + 3x) + x \log(y - 2x)$

c) $\phi_1(y - 2x) + \phi_2(y - 3x) + x \log(y + 2x)$

d) $\phi_1(y - 2x) + \phi_2(y - 3x) + x \log(y - 2x)$

(ii) Select the region in which the following differential equation is hyperbolic.

$$yu_{xx} + 2xyu_{xy} + xu_{yy} = u_x + u_y$$

a) $xy \neq 1$

b) $xy \neq 0$

c) $xy > 1$

d) $xy > 0$

(iii) Choose the correct option. The singular solution of the differential equation $(xp - y^2) = p^2 - 1$ is

a) $x^2 + y^2 = 1$

b) $y^2 - x^2 = 1$

c) $x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$

d) $x^2 - y^2 = 1$

(iv) Select the correct option. The solution of the given differential equation $\frac{\partial^4 z}{\partial x^4} - \frac{\partial^4 z}{\partial y^4} = 0$, is

a) $f_1(y + x) + f_2(y - x) + f_3(y + ix) + f_4(y - ix)$

b) $f_1(y + x) + f_2(y - x)$

c) $f_1(y + ix) + f_2(y - ix)$

d) None of these

- (v) Select the correct option. Monge's method is used to solve a partial differential equation of
- a) n^{th} order
 b) 1st order
 c) 2nd order
 d) None of these
- (vi) Determine the complete solution of $z = px + qy + p^2 + q^2$
- a) $z = ax + by + a^2 + b^2$
 b) $z = ax + by$
 c) $z = a^2x^2 + b^2y^2$
 d) None of these
- (vii) Classify the one-dimensional wave equation
- a) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$
 b) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$
 c) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$
 d) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{c^2} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$
- (viii) Select the correct option. In the diffusion equation $\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{\alpha} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$, $\alpha =$
- a) $\alpha = K/\rho C$
 b) $\alpha = K \rho C$
 c) $\alpha = \rho C/K$
 d) None of these
- (ix) Select the correct option. Solution of $pt - qs = q^3$ is
- a) $y = xz + f(z) + g(z)$
 b) $y = xz + f(x) + g(z)$
 c) $y = xz + f(x) + g(x)$
 d) None of these
- (x) Select the correct option. The equation of the envelope of surface represented by complete integral of the given PDE is called
- a) Singular solution
 b) Particular Integral
 c) General integral
 d) None of these
- (xi) Choose the correct option. The solution of the PDE $y^2 p - xyq = x(z - 2y)$ is
- a) $\phi(x^2 + y^2, zy - y^2) = 0$, where ϕ being an arbitrary function.
 b) $\phi(x^2 - y^2, zy - y^2) = 0$, where ϕ being an arbitrary function.
 c) $\phi(x^2 + y^2, zy + y^2) = 0$, where ϕ being an arbitrary function.
 d) None of these
- (xii) In two-dimension heat flow, categorize the temperature along the normal to the xy -plane
- a) zero
 b) infinity
 c) finite
 d) 100K
- (xiii) Select the correct option. The general form of 3-dimensional Heat equation is
- a) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = k^2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$
 b) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = \frac{1}{k^2} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$
 c) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$
 d) $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$

- (xiv) Choose the correct option for which one of the following is potential equation.
- a) Heat equation b) Wave equation c) Laplace equation d) None of these
- (xv) Choose the correct option. Solution of Heat equation when one end is insulated, then another end will be
- a) Constant temperature b) Variable temperature
c) Initial temperature d) None of these.

Group-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

3 x 5=15

2. Illustrate Stability theorem for Laplace equation. (3)
3. Explain the Monge's method for solving a PDE. (3)
4. Explain Separation of Variables Method for the wave equation $u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0, 0 \leq x \leq L, t > 0$ subject to boundary conditions $u(0, t) = 0, u(L, t) = 0, t > 0$ and initial conditions $u(x, 0) = f(x), u_t(x, 0) = g(x)$ for the separation constant $k > 0$. (3)
5. Identify a partial differential equation by eliminating a and b from the equation (3)

$$z = ax + by + a^2 + b^2.$$

6. Develop the solution of the heat equation using separation of variable method. (3)

OR

Apply the method of separation of variables to solve the following problem:

(3)

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} \text{ satisfying the following conditions}$$

(i) $T = 0$ when $x = 0$ and 1 for all t

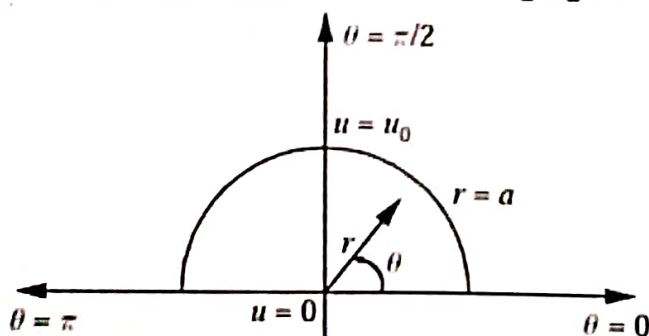
(ii) $T = \{2x, \quad 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}, \quad 2(1 - x), \quad \frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq 1 \text{ when } t = 0$

Group-C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

5 x 6=30

7. Illustrate the steady state temperature in a semi-circular plate of radius a , insulated on both the faces with its curved boundary kept at a constant temperature U_0 and its bounding diameter kept at zero temperature as described in the following figure (5)



8. Examine the following problem: (5)

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0, \quad 0 < x < L, t > 0$$

Subject to the conditions: $u(x, 0) = g(x), u(0, t) = 0, u(L, t) = 0, u_t(x, 0) = h(x), 0 < x < L, t \geq 0$.

9. Deduce the two-dimensional Laplace equation in Cartesian coordinates using the method separation of variables. (5)

10. A uniform rod of length L whose surface is thermally insulated is initially at temperature $\theta = \theta_0$. At time $t = 0$, one end is suddenly cooled to $\theta = 0$ and subsequently maintained at this temperature; the other end remains thermally insulated. Evaluate the temperature distributed $\theta(x, t)$. (5)

11. Choose the separation of variables method and solve the following Helmholtz equation, using $\nabla^2 u + k^2 u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} + u_{zz} + k^2 u = 0$. (5)

12. Test that the canonical form of the PDE $(1 + x^2)u_{xx} + (1 + y^2)u_{yy} + xu_x + yu_y = 0$ is $u_{\alpha\alpha} + u_{\beta\beta} = 0$. (5)

OR

Justify that the complete integral of $x^2 p^2 + y^2 q^2 - 4 = 0$ using Charpit's method is $z = a \ln x + \sqrt{4 - a^2} \ln y + b$. (5)
