

FIFTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2011**(CCSS)****Core Course—Mathematics****MM 5B 08—DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS****Time : Three Hours****Maximum Weight 30****I. Answer all questions**

1. Does the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dt} = y$ have a solution passing through the point (1, 0) ?
2. Is the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dt} + ty = 0$ linear or non linear ?
3. Give an integrating factor of the equation : $ydx - xdy = 0$.
4. The differential equation $M(x, y) + N(x, y) y' = 0$ is exact if and only if
5. Give the general solution of $\frac{y}{dt} + b \frac{dv}{dt} + cy = 0$ whose characteristic equation has a root
+
 6. Write a differential equation whose general solution is $+ cte^t$
 7. Are the functions $\cos t$ and $\sin t$ linearly independent ?
 8. The Laplace Transform of the function $t^2 e^{2t} \mathbf{i}_s$
 9. If $h(t) = u_1(t) - u_2(t)$ where u_1 and u_2 are unit step functions, then $h(t) =$ _____
if $1 < t < 2$.
 10. If $F(s) = \int_0^\infty f(x)e^{-sx} dx$ exists for $s > a$ and c is a constant, then $\mathcal{L}(e^c f(t)) =$ _____
 $s > a + c$.
 11. The fundamental period of the function $\cos(2\pi x)$ is _____
 12. State whether the function $f(x) = x \cos x$ is even or odd.

(12 x 3 = 36)**Turn over**

II. Answer *all* questions. ⁰

13. Solve the initial value problem : $y = \quad$; $y(0) = 0$ and give an interval in which the solution exists.
14. Prove that $t(x, y) = x$ is an integrating factor of the differential equation $(3xy + y^2) + (x^2 + xy)y' = 0$.
15. Obtain the general solution of the equation $16y'' - 8y' + 145y = 0$.
16. Prove that t'' and t^{-1} form a fundamental set of solutions of the equation $2ty'' + 3ty' - y = 0$.
17. Prove that $f * g = g * f$, where $*$ denotes the convolution product.
18. Find the Laplace Transform of the unit step function $u_-(t)$.
19. Find the Inverse Laplace Transform of the function $\frac{s^2}{s^4 - 1}$.
20. If f and g are periodic functions with same period T , show that any linear combination of f and g is also T -periodic.
21. Let $f(x) = x$ where $0 \leq x \leq 1$. Find the 2-periodic even extension of f .

(9 x 1 = 9)

III. Answer any *five* questions.

22. Solve the initial value problem $2dx + ye^{-x}dy = 0$; $y(0) = 0$.
23. Solve the initial value problem $y'' - y' + 0.25y = 0$; $y(0) = 2$ and $y'(0) = 3$.
24. If y_1 and y_2 are solutions of $y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y = 0$ where $p(t)$ and $q(t)$ are continuous functions of t , prove that for any two constants c_1 and c_2 the linear combination $c_1y_1 + c_2y_2$ is also a solution.
25. Find the Laplace Transform of the function $e^{at} \cos bt$.
26. Prove that the Laplace Transform is a linear operator.
27. Prove that $u(x, t) = \sin x$ is a solution of the equation : $a u_{xx} = u_t$.
28. Solve : $X' = 3X - 2Y$; $Y' = 2X - 2Y$; $X(0) = 3$ and $Y(0) = \frac{1}{2}$.

(5 x 2 = 10)

N. Answer any two questions.

29. Find the general solution of $y'' - 3y' - 4y = 3e^{2t} + 2 \sin t$.

30. Using Laplace Transforms, solve : $y'' + y = \sin 2t$; $y(0) = 2$ and $y'(0) = 1$.

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

(i) Sketch the graph of the function f and state whether the function is even or odd.

(ii) Find the fourier series of f .

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

(2 x 4 = 8)