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N.G.M. COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS): POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS: NOVEMBER-2024

COURSE NAME: M.Sc. MATHEMATICS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 75

SEMESTER: I

TIME: 3 HOURS

ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

SECTION – A (10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS.

(K1)

- If two differentiable functions  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  defined on I are \_\_\_\_\_ on I then value of Wronskin is  $w [x_1(t), x_2(t)] = 0$  on I.  
a) linearly dependent    b) linearly independent    c) both (a) and (b)    d) none of these
- The value of  $J'_0(t) =$  \_\_\_\_\_.  
a)  $-J_0(t)$     b)  $J_0(1)$     c)  $-J_1(t)$     d)  $J_1(t)$
- Eigen vectors corresponding to distinct Eigen values are \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) linearly dependent    b) linearly independent    c) both (a) and (b)    d) none of these
- Lipschitz condition is defined as \_\_\_\_\_.  
a)  $|f(t, x_1) + f(t, x_2)| \geq K|x_1 + x_2|$     b)  $|f(t, x_1) + f(t, x_2)| \leq K|x_1 + x_2|$   
c)  $|f(t, x_1) - f(t, x_2)| \geq K|x_1 - x_2|$     d)  $|f(t, x_1) - f(t, x_2)| \leq K|x_1 - x_2|$
- The boundary conditions  $x(A) = x(B)$  and  $x'(A) = x'(B)$  are known as \_\_\_\_\_ boundary condition.  
a) Singular    b) Periodic    c) Regular    d) Irregular

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES.

(K2)

- Define Wronskian  $W$  of the function.
- Write the Rodrigues's formula.
- Define Characteristic equation.
- State Hille-Wintner theorem.
- Define singular linear boundary conditions.

SECTION – B

(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)

- a) Determine the Wronskian  $W$  of the functions  $e^t, \cos t, \sin t$ .

(OR)

- b) Obtain the general solution of  $x'' + x' - 6x = 0$ .

- a) State and prove orthogonal property of Legendre polynomial.

(OR)

- b) Prove that  $\frac{d}{dt} [t^p J_p(t)] = t^p J_{p-1}(t)$ .

(CONTD....2)

13.a) Determine a fundamental matrix for  $x' = Ax$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha_2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

(OR)

b) Find the solution for a system of equations  $x_1' = 5x_1 - 2x_2$ ,  $x_2' = 2x_1 + x_2$

14.a) Prove that  $x'' + x = 0$  is oscillatory.

(OR)

b) State and prove Gronwall inequality.

15.a) Define (i) linear homogeneous BVP and (ii) non-linear homogeneous BVP.

(OR)

b) State with reason whether the given BVP  $x'' + |x| = 0, 0 \leq t \leq a < \pi, x(0) = 0, x(a) = 1$  is linear homogeneous and non-linear homogeneous.

### SECTION – C

(5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(K4 (Or) K5)

16. a) Let  $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n; I \rightarrow R$  be continuous function in  $L(x)(t) = 0, t \in I$ . Let  $\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n$  be  $n$  linear independent of  $L(x)(t) = 0, t \in I$  existing on  $I$  and  $t_0 \in I$  then show that

$$W(t) = \exp \left[ - \int_{t_0}^t b_1(s) ds \right] W(t_0); t_0, t \in I.$$

(OR)

b) Solve the IVP  $x'' + x' + 2x = 0, x(0) = 0, x'(0) = 2$ .

17.a) If  $P_n$  are Legendre polynomials, then show that  $\int_{-1}^1 P_n^2(t) dt = \frac{2}{2n+1}$ .

(OR)

b) Find the general solution of  $tx'' + (1-t)x' + nx = 0, t > 0$ .

18. a) Determine  $e^{tA}$  and a fundamental matrix for the system  $x' = Ax$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(OR)

b) Let  $\phi(t)$  be a fundamental matrix for the system  $x' = A(t)x(t), t \in I$  then shown that

$$\psi(t) = \phi(t) \int_{t_0}^t \phi(s) b(s) ds, t \in I \text{ is a solution of initial value problem } x' = A(t)x + b(t), x(t_0) = 0.$$

19.a) State and Prove Picard's Theorem.

(OR)

b) State and Prove Sturm's comparison theorem.

20.a) Solve the BVP  $x'' + \lambda x = 0, x(0) = 0, x'(1) = 0$

(OR)

b) show that  $G(t,s)$  be given by the relation  $\begin{cases} -y(t)z(s)/A & \text{if } t \leq s, \\ -y(s)z(t)/A & \text{if } t \geq s. \end{cases}$  Then  $x(t)$  is a solution

$$\text{of } L(x) + f(t) = 0, a \leq t \leq b \text{ if and only if } x(t) = \int_a^b G(t,s) f(s) ds.$$

