

PG (NEW) CBCS
M.Sc. Semester-III Examination, 2019
APPLIED MATHEMATICS WITH OCEANOLOGY AND COMPUTER PROGRAMMING
PAPER: MTM- 301
(PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND GENERALIZED FUNCTIONS)
Full Marks: 40 **Time: 2 Hours**

1. Answer any four questions of the following: 2×4=8

- i) Define Regular and singular distributions.
- ii) Using charpit method to solve the following equation $\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} = 1$.
- iii) Show that the Neumann problem for the Poisson's equation has more than one solution.
- iv) What are the main differences between an ODE and PDE?
- v) Show that there is no maximum principle for the wave equation.
- vi) Find the adjoint of the differential operator $L(u) = u_{xx} + u_{tt} - u_t$.
- vii) State Basic existence theorem for Cauchy problem.
- viii) Solve: $y^2(x - y)p + x^2(y - x)q = z^2(x^2 + y^2)$.

2. Answer any four questions of the following: 4×4=16

- i) Show that the type of a linear second order partial differential equation is invariant under a change of coordinates.
- ii) Prove that every nonnegative harmonic function in the disk of radius a satisfies $\frac{a-r}{a+r} u(0,0) \leq u(r, \theta) \leq \frac{a+r}{a-r} u(0,0)$.
- iii) Solve: $(D^2 - 4D^2)z = \frac{4x}{y^2} - \frac{y}{x^2}$.
- iv) State and prove mean value principle for harmonic function.
- v) Solve: $(x^2D^2 - 2xyDD' + y^2D'^2 - xD + 3yD')u = 8\frac{y}{x}$. Symbols have their usual meaning.
- vi) Define the following with example:
 Test function, Convergence of sequence of test function.

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vii) Check the validity of the maximum principle for the harmonic function

$$\frac{1-x^2-y^2}{1-2x+x^2+y^2} \text{ in the disk } \bar{D} = \{(x, y): x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}.$$

viii) Show that the Green's function for Laplace equation is symmetric.

3. Answer any two questions of the following:

2×8=16

i) Show that the Green function for the Laplace equation is symmetric.

Establish the Poisson's formula for the solution of a Dirichlet problem for the Laplace equation in a disk of radius a. 3+5

ii) Consider the equation $u_{xx} + 9u_{yy} - u_{xy} = xy^2$. Find a co.ordinate system (s,t) in which the equation has the form $9v_{tt} = \frac{1}{3}(s-t)t^2$. Find the general solution u(x,y).

iii) State and prove the strong maximum principle. Establish the Laplace equation in polar co.ordinates. 3+5

iv) Using the separation of variables method find a (formal) solution vibrating string with fixed ends.

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

$$u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0, \quad t \geq 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = f(x), \quad 0 \leq x \leq L$$

$$u_t(x, 0) = g(x), \quad 0 \leq x \leq L.$$


