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Semester – II

Class : I PG
Major: Mathematics

Time: 2Hrs
Max.Marks:60

23MMAC09 Partial Differential Equations

Course Outcomes:

CO1:solve linear and non-linear partial differential equations of first order and second order.

CO2:determine special types of first order equations.

CO3:find the solution of Hyperbolic equations.

CO4:apply the Dirichlet and Neumann boundary value problems in scientific fields.

CO5:solve various real life problems by formulating them into partial differential equations

PART A

6 x 1 = 6

Choose the Correct Answer

1. All integral surfaces of the equation $Pp+Qq=R$ are generated by the integral curves of the equation ----- CO1K1

- a. $F(u,v)=0$
- b. $\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q}$
- c. $\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}$
- d. $\frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}$

2. The integral of a two parameter system of surfaces $f(x, y, z, a, \phi(a)) = 0$ is called -----

CO1K2

- a. singular integral
- b. general integral
- c. complete integral
- d. particular integral

3. If a characteristic strip contains at least one integral element of $F(x, y, z, p, q) = 0$ it is an integral strip of the equation ----- CO1K2

- a. $F(x, y, z, z_x, z_p) = 0$
- b. $F(x, y, z, z_y, z_q) = 0$
- c. $F(x, y, z, z_p, z_q) = 0$
- d. $F(x, y, z, z_x, z_y) = 0$

4. The necessary and sufficient condition for two partial differential equations f and g to be compatible is

- a. $J \neq 0, [f, g] = 0$
- b. $J \neq 0, [f, g] \neq 0$ CO2K2
- c. $J = 0, [f, g] = 0$
- d. $J = 0, [f, g] \neq 0$

5. A complete integral of the equation $pq=1$ is CO2K2

- a. $z = ax - ay + b$
- b. $z = ax + ay + b$
- c. $z = ax + y/a + b$
- d. $z = ax + by + c$

6. If u is the complementary function and v a particular integral of a linear partial differential equation, then the general solution of the equation is CO3K2

- a. $u+v$
- b. $u*v$
- c. u/v
- d. v/u

Part-B

3 x 6= 18

Answer ALL the questions

7. a. Find the general integral of the linear partial differential equation

$px(x + y) = qy(x + y) - (x - y)(2x + 2y + z).$

CO1K3

(or)

7. b. Find the equation of the integral surface of the differential equation $2y(z-3)p + (2x-z)q = y(2x-3)$. CO1K3

8. a. Find the complete integral of the equations $z^2 = pqxy$ by charpit's method. CO2K2

(or)

8. b. Find the complete integral of the equations $zpq = p + q$. CO2K3

9. a. Find the solution of the equation $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = x - y$. CO3K3

(or)

9. b. Reduce the equation $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2}$ to canonical form. CO2K4

Part-C

3 x 12 = 36

Answer ALL the questions

10. a. If $u_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, z) = c_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, n)$ are independent solutions of the equations

$$\frac{dx_1}{P_1} = \frac{dx_2}{P_2} = \frac{dx_3}{P_3} = \dots = \frac{dz}{R},$$
 then prove that the relation $\phi(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n) = 0$ in which the

function ϕ is arbitrary, is a general solution of the linear partial differential equation

$$P_1 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_1} = P_2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_2} = P_3 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_3} = \dots = P_n \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_n} = R. \quad \text{CO1K3}$$

(or)

10. b. Find the solution of the equation $z = \frac{1}{2}(p^2 + q^2) + (p-x)(q-y)$ which passes through the x axis. CO1K4

11. a. Show that the only integral surface of the equation $2q(z - px - qy) = 1 + q^2$ which is circumscribed about the paraboloid $2x = y^2 + z^2$ is the enveloping cylinder which touches it along its section by the plane $y + 1 = 0$. CO1K3

(or)

11. b. Find a complete integral of the partial differential equation $(p^2 + q^2)x = pz$ and deduce the solution which passes through the curve $x = 0, z^2 = 4y$. CO2K3

12. a. Solve the equation $(D^2 - D')z = 2y - x^2$ CO2K3

(or)

12. b. (i) If u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n are solutions of the homogeneous linear partial differential equation

$$F(D, D')z = 0,$$
 then prove that $\sum_{r=1}^n c_r u_r$, where c_r 's are arbitrary constants, is also a

solution. CO3K3

(ii) Explain reducible and irreducible of $F(D, D')$. Show that if the operator $F(D, D')$ is

reducible, then the order in which the linear factors occur is unimportant.

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