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GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**ME – SEMESTER – I (New)– EXAMINATION – WINTER-2019****Subject Code: 3710812****Date: 02-01-2020****Subject Name: Computational Method for Mechanical Engineering****Time: 02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1 (a)** There is a system for the unknown currents i_1, i_2 and i_3 in the electrical network. Using Kirchoff's current and voltage laws the following equations obtained. Find the current using Gauss elimination method. **07**

$$i_1 - i_2 + i_3 = 0, -i_1 + i_2 - i_3 = 0, 10i_2 + 25i_3 = 90, 20i_1 + 10i_2 = 80$$

- (b)** Solve the following initial-value problem arises from a mechanical system using Laplace transform **07**

$$y'' + 3y' + 2y = e^t, y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$$

- Q.2 (a)** It has been claimed that in 60% of all solar-heat installations the utility bill is reduced by at least one-third. Accordingly, what are the probabilities that the utility bill will be reduced by at least one-third in **07**

- (i) Four of five installations
- (ii) At least four of five installations?

- (b)** Find the Fourier series of $f(x) = x^2$ in the interval $(0, 2\pi)$ and hence deduce that $\frac{\pi^2}{12} = \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \dots$ **07**

OR

- (b)** Derive the governing ordinary differential equation for the damped vibration and discuss all the cases. **07**

- Q.3 (a)** If P is the pull required to lift a load W by means of a pulley block, find a linear law of the form $P=mW +c$ connecting P & W using following data, **07**

P	12	15	21	25
W	50	70	100	120

Where P and W are taken in Kgs. & compute P when W=150 Kgs.

- (b)** The velocity of a train which starts from rest is given by the following table, the time being reckoned in minutes from the start and speed in Km/hrs. **07**

Time (minutes)	0	3	6	9	12	15	18
Velocity(kms/hr)	0	22	29	31	20	04	00

Estimate approximately the distance covered in 18 minutes by Simpson's 3/8 rule

OR

- Q.3 (a)** A practical study was carried out to check the effect of parameters on various properties of sand mold collected data are as follows, **07**

Water content	Mold hardness (Kg/(cm) ²)	Permeability	Shear stress(Kg/(cm) ²)
3% (15 ml)	91	210	0.38
4% (20 ml)	86	300	0.50
5% (25 ml)	83	360	0.55
6% (30 ml)	78	380	0.88

Compute the values of mold hardness when water content is 4.5% using Newton's forward interpolation.

- (b) (1) Determine a 90% confidence interval for the mean of a normal distribution with variance = 16, using a sample of $n=100$, with mean=8. Take corresponding value of c from below table. 03

γ	90%	95%	99%	99.9%
c	1.645	1.960	2.576	3.291

- (2) A random variable X has the following probability distribution 04

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$P(X)$	a	$4a$	$3a$	$7a$	$8a$	$10a$	$6a$	$9a$

- (i) Find the value of a .
(ii) Find $P(X < 3)$

- Q.4** (a) A tightly stretched string with fixed end points at $x = 0$ and $x = 20$ is initially given the deflection $f(x) = kx(20 - x)$. If it is released from this position, then find the deflection of the string. 07

- (b) Find the dominant eigen value of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ by Power method by choosing $x_0 = [1, 1]^T$ & hence find the other eigen value also. 07

OR

- Q.4** (a) A rod of length l with insulated side is initially at uniform temperature 100°C . Its ends are suddenly cooled at 0°C and kept that temperature. Find the temperature $u(x, t)$. 07

- (b) If $\vec{F} = (2x^2 - 4z)\hat{i} - 2xy\hat{j} - 8x^2\hat{k}$ then evaluate $\iiint_V \text{div}\vec{F} \, dv$, where V is bounded by the planes $x = 0, y = 0, z = 0$ and $x + y + z = 2$ 07

- Q.5** (a) Verify Green's theorem for $\oint_c [(x - y)dx + 3xydy]$ where c is the boundary of the region bounded by the parabolas $x^2 = 4y$ and $y^2 = 4x$. 07

- (b) Solve the differential equation using method of variation of parameter $y'' - 7y' + 6y = 2 \sin 3x$. 07

OR

- Q.5** (a) Solve the differential equation : $y'' - y = t$; $y(0) = y'(0) = 1$. 07

- (b) Find the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of the matrix 07

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
