

QP Code : 77031

(2 ½ Hours)

[Total Marks : 75

- N.B. :** (1) All questions are compulsory
(2) Figures to the right indicate maximum marks.
(3) Use of non-programmable Calculators and Log-tables is allowed.
(4) Draw neat diagrams wherever necessary.

1. (A) Attempt any one :

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(i) (a) Solve $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} + y = x$ and

(b) Solve $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 2 \cos x$

- (ii) Discuss the method of solving the second order homogeneous linear ordinary differential equations with the constant coefficients. 10

(B) Attempt any one

- (i) Test the following equation for exactness and find its solution 5

$$(2x^3 - 3x^2y + y^3) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x^3 - 6x^2y + 3xy^2$$

- (ii) The equation of motion of a damped simple harmonic oscillator is given by - 5

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 2b\frac{dy}{dt} + \omega^2 y = 0$$

Find its solution

2. (A) Attempt any one :

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- (i) Expand the following function in Fourier series.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 0 & \text{for } -\pi \leq x < 0 \\ &= h & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi \end{aligned}$$

Hence show that

$$f(x) = \frac{h}{2} + \frac{2h}{\pi} \sum_{\substack{n=1 \\ \text{odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{\sin nx}{n}$$

Graphically represent $f(x)$ in the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ and outside.

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- (ii) (a) State the complex form of Fourier series and hence describe formal development of Fourier transform pair. 10
 (b) Find Fourier transform of $f(x)$ given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$$

(B) Attempt any one :

- (i) Show the change of interval of Fourier series from $[-\pi, \pi]$ to $[-\ell, \ell]$. Extend the interval to involve all values of x and obtain the Fourier integral formula. 5
 (ii) Find sine transform of $f(x) = e^{-x}$ 5

3. (A) Attempt any one :

- (i) Show that, for an infinitesimal general interaction, $TdS = dU + PdV$. 10
 (ii) Consider a system in contact with a heat reservoir at temperature T . Find the probability that the system is in quantum state r of energy U_r . 10
 Define partition function z and show that

$$\bar{U} = \frac{\sum U_r e^{-\beta U_r}}{z}$$

(B) Attempt any one :

- (i) Describe Gibb's free energy (G) of a system. Discuss its variation during thermal interaction and at the equilibrium state. 5
 (ii) Discuss the concept of phase space. Hence find number of quantum states lying between p and $p+dp$. Here p is the momentum. 5

4. (A) Attempt any one :

- (i) What are fermions? Derive Fermi-Dirac distribution law. Hence discuss the Fermi energy. 10
 (ii) State and explain Boltzmann distribution law of energies. Use the law to obtain equations for root mean square speed, most probable speed and average speed of the molecules. 10

(B) Attempt **any one** :

- (i) Show that the average energy of a quantized oscillator is 5

$$E = \frac{h\nu}{e^{h\nu/kT} - 1}$$

- (ii) Describe the concept of a priori probability and thermodynamic probability in relation to distribution of N balls in k cells. Hence write equation for the total probability. 5

5. (A) Attempt **any one** :

- (i) The equation of motion of a body falling under gravity in a resistive 4

medium is $\frac{dv}{dt} + bv = g$

Solve this equation for v if the body starts from rest.

- (ii) Solve $\frac{dN}{dt} = -\lambda N(t)$ by method of separation of variables. 4

(B) Attempt **any one** :

- (i) Get the Fourier transforms of first order and second order derivatives of a function f (x). 4

- (ii) State Dirichlet's theorem and explain Dirichlet's conditions. 4

(C) Attempt **any one** :

- (i) Relative probability of the two states of particle in a system is e^3 at temperature 410 °C. Calculate energy difference between the two states. 4

- (ii) Consider a system of six spin half particles fixed in uniform magnetic field B. Each particle has magnetic moment μ_0 associated with it. Find various possible macrostates for the system and number of microstate in each macrostate. Which macrostate is most probable? Why? 4

(D) Attempt **any one** :

- (i) Calculate number of modes of vibrations per unit volume in a black body cavity for the wavelengths between 6000 AU and 6010 AU. 3

- (ii) Find number of possible arrangements of 6 particles in 8 energy cells assuming that they obey : (i) B-E statistics (ii) F-D statistics 3