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B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – PHYSICS

THIRD SEMESTER – APRIL 2018

16UPH3MC01– MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS

Date: 03-05-2018

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

PART- A

Answer ALL questions:

(10 X 2 =20 marks)

- Express $\frac{2-3i}{4-i}$ in the form of $a+ib$.
- Verify that $f(z) = x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy$ is analytic.
- Define scalar point function.
- Find m so that the vectors $2\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$; $\hat{i} - m\hat{j} + \hat{k}$ and $3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$ are co-planar.
- What do you mean by orthogonality of trigonometric system?
- What is the fundamental period of $y = \sin x$?
- Distinguish between ordinary and partial differential equation
- Write down a homogenous first order partial differential equation in two variables.
- Using Trapezoidal rule, evaluate $\int_0^2 y dx$ from the following data

X	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
Y	1.000	0.800	0.500	0.308	0.200

- Given $\frac{dy}{dx} = -y$ with $y = 1$ at $x = 0$ find $y(0.02)$ using Euler's method.

PART- B

Answer any FOUR questions:

(4 X 7.5 =30 marks)

- Derive Cauchy – Riemann equation.
- A vector field is given by $\vec{A} = (x^2 + xy^2)\hat{i} + (y^2 + x^2y)\hat{j}$ show that the field is irrotational and find the scalar potential.
- Determine the Fourier series of the function on $f(x) = x + \pi$ if $-\pi < x < \pi$ with a period of 2π .
- Obtain the solution of the wave equation $\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}$ using the method of separation of variables
- Obtain the Lagrange's interpolation polynomial of degree two for the following data:

(x,y): (0,0) , (1,3) , (2,9)
- Use Green's theorem to evaluate $\int_C x^2y dx + x^2dy$ where, c is the boundary described counterclockwise of the triangle with vertices (0,0);(1,0);(1,1)

PART – C

Answer any FOUR questions:

(4 X 12.5 =50 marks)

17. a) State and prove Cauchy's integral theorem.

b) Verify the integral theorem for $\oint_c z dz$, where c is a circle of radius 1.

18. Evaluate $\iint r^3 dr d\theta$, over the area bounded between the circles $r=2\cos \theta$ and $r = 4 \cos \theta$.

19. Find the Fourier sine integral for $f(x) = e^{-\beta x}$ ($\beta > 0$) hence show that $\frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\beta x} = \int_0^\infty \frac{\lambda \sin \lambda x}{\beta^2 + \lambda^2} d\lambda$.

20. Write a one dimensional heat equation and derive its general solution.

21. Derive Newton's forward interpolation formula. Use it to find the value of y at $x= 0.23$ from the following table.

x	0.20	0.22	0.24	0.26	0.28	0.30
y	1.6596	1.6698	1.6804	1.6912	1.7024	1.7139

22. Given that $f(x) = x + x^2$ for $-\pi < x < \pi$, find the Fourier series of $f(x)$
