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SIXTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2017

Civil Engineering

CE 14 606—COMPUTER APPLICATION AND OPERATION RESEARCH

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Part A

Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 1. Find a real root of the equation $x^3 2x 5 = 0$ by bisection method.
- 2. Find a root of the equation $x \cos x = 0$ by Newton Raphson method.
- 3. Solve the system of equations 5x 2y + z = 4, 7x + y 5z = 8, 3x + 7y + 4z = 10 by Gauss elimination method.
- 4. Find by power method, the larger eigen-value of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$.
- 5. The following table gives the viscosity of an oil as a function of temperature. Use Lagrange's formula to find viscosity of oil at a temperature of 140°:

Temp° : 110 130 160 190 Viscosity : 10.8 8.1 5.5 4.8

- 6. Using Taylor's series method, compute y (0.2) to three places of decimal form $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 2xy$ given that y(0) = 0.
- 7. Find an approximate value of $\log_e 5$ by calculating to 4 decimal places, by Simpson's $\frac{1}{3}$ rd rule, $\int_0^5 \frac{dx}{4x+5}$, dividing the range into 10 equal parts.
- 8. Find the maximum value of y from the following table:—

x: 0 1 2 3 4 5 y: 0 0.25 0 2.25 16 56.25

9. Obtain an initial basic feasible solution to the following transportation problem:

	Fr.	A	В	\mathbf{C}	D	Availability
Source	·I	21	16	25	13	11
**	II .	17	18 27	14	23	13
	III	32	27	18	41	19
Requirement		6	10	12	15	

10. A firm plans to begin production of three new products on its three plants. The unit cost of producing i at plant j is as given below. Find the assignment that minimizes the total unit cost:

 $(8 \times 5 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Part B

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 11. A (a) Find a real root of the equation $x^3 + x^2 + x + 7 = 0$ by Regula-Falsi method correct to four decimal places.
 - (b) Solve the equations 27x + 6y z = 85, x + y + 54z = 110, 6x + 15y + 2z = 72 by Gauss-Seidel method.

Or

B (a) Solve the following equations by LU decomposition method:

$$2x + 3y + z = 9$$
, $x + 2y + 3z = 6$, $3x + y + 2z = 8$.

- (b) Explain the relevance of matrix methods in structural analysis.
- 12. A (a) Using Gauss's forward formula, evaluate f(3.75) from the table:

(b) From the following table, find y when x = 1.07 and 2.25 by Newton's interpolation formula:

$$x$$
: 1 1.4 1.8 2.2 2.6 $f(x)$: 3.49 4.82 5.96 6.5 7.71 Or

B (a) Find the cubic splines for the following table of values:

Hence evaluate y (1.5) and y' (2).

(b) Using Jacobi's method, find all the eigen values and the eigen vectors of the matrix:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{2} & 2 \\ \sqrt{2} & 3 & \sqrt{2} \\ 2 & \sqrt{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- 13. A (a) Using three point Gaussian quadrature formula, evaluate $\int_{2}^{4} (1+x^{4}) dx$.
 - (b) Using Runge-Kutta method of order 4, compute y (0.2) and y (0.4) from $10 \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + y^2, y(0) = 1 \text{ taking } h = 0.1.$

Or

- B (a) Using Euler's method solve for y at x = 0.1 from $\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y + xy$, y(0) = 1 taking step size h = 0.025.
 - (b) Solve the boundary value problem y'' 64y + 10 = 0 with y(0) = y(1) = 0 by the finite difference method. Compute the value of y(0.5) and compare with the true value.
- 14. A (a) Using Simplex method, solve the following LPP:

(b) Write a short note on limit design of steel portal frames.

Or

- B (a) Explain the terms (i) degeneracy; (ii) duality.
 - (b) How is the cross over operation performed in genetic algorithms?
 - (c) What is the purpose of mutation? How is it implemented in genetic algorithms.

 $(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$