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Second Semester

Faculty of Science

Branch I (A) : Mathematics

MT 02 C09—PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

(2012 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 30

Part A

*Answer any **five** questions.
Each question carries weight 1.*

1. Solve : $y dx + x dy + 2z dz = 0$.
2. Eliminate a and b from $z = x + ax^2y^2 + b$.
3. Find the complete integral : $zpq - p - q = 0$.
4. Define compatible system of first order equations.
5. Prove $F(D, D^1) e^{ax+by} = F(a, b) e^{ax+by}$.
6. Eliminate the arbitrary functions :
$$z = f(x^2 - y) + g(x^2 + y).$$
7. Explain : interior Dirichlet problem.
8. Show that $\psi = \frac{q}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}^1|}$ is a solution of $\nabla^2 \psi = 0$.

(5 × 1 = 5)

Part B

*Answer any **five** questions.
Each question carries weight 2.*

9. Find the general integral : $z(xp - yq) = y^2 - x^2$.

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10. Eliminate the constants a and b from :

$$z^2 (1 + a^3) = 8 (x + ay + b)^3.$$

11. Show that $xp - yq = x$ and $x^2 p + q = xz$ are compatible and find their solutions.

12. Find the complete integral of the separable type of equation $g(x, p) = h(y, q)$.

13. Reduce to canonical form :

$$u_{xx} + x^2 u_{yy} = 0.$$

14. If the operator $F(D, D^1)$ is reducible, show that the order in which the linear factors occur is unimportant.

15. Solve $z(qs - pt) = pq^2$.

16. Show that the surfaces :

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c x^{2/3}$$

can form a family of equipotential surfaces and find the general form of the corresponding potential function.

(5 × 2 = 10)

Part C

*Answer any **three** questions.
Each question carries weight 5.*

17. Prove : A necessary and sufficient condition that the Pfaffian differential equation $\bar{X} \cdot d\bar{r} = 0$ should be integrable is that $\bar{X} \cdot \text{curl } \bar{X} = 0$.

18. Find the integral surface of :

$$x^3 p + y(3x^2 + y)q = z(2x^2 + y)$$

which passes through the curve

$$x_0 = 1, y_0 = s, z_0 = s(1 + s).$$





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19. By Jacobi's method solve :

$$z^2 + zu_z - u_x^2 - u_y^2 = 0.$$

20. Solve by Cauchy's method of characteristics :

$$z = \frac{1}{2}(p^2 + q^2) + (p - x)(q - y)$$

Which passes through the x -axis.

21. Show that $z = f(u) + g(v) + w$ is a solution of the second order linear partial equation :

$$Rr + Ss + Tt + Pp + Qq = w$$

where R, S, T, P, Q, W are known functions of x and y .

22. Find the complete integral and general integral of :

$$r + 4s + t + rt - s^2 = 2.$$

(3 × 5 = 15)

