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SESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer **All** in Section A
2. Answer **three** questions in Section B.
3. Start a new question on a fresh page
4. Total marks 100

Additional material(s): Non-programmable electronic scientific calculator.

SECTION A: Answer ALL questions in this section [40]

A1. (a) Derive the central difference formula for second order derivatives and the associated error. [7]

(b) Given that $f(x) = xe^x$ use the central difference formula with $h = 0.1; 0.01; 0.0001$ and 0.0001 to find the approximations to $f''(0.5)$. Compare the calculated value with the true value $f''(0.5) \approx 4.121803177$. [7]

A2.(a) Solve $y' = y - x; y(0) = 2$ using Runge Kutta order 1 method with $h = \frac{1}{4}; i = 0,1,2,3$ successively. [10]

(b) Compare and contrast the single-step methods and multi-step methods explaining how the methods work. [5]

(c) Define the following terms

(i) backward error analysis [2]

(ii) truncation error [2]

(iii) absolute error [2]

A3. (a) Define the interval of absolute convergence of *RK* methods for the test problem $y' = f(x, y); y(x_0) = y_0$. [3]

(b) Discuss the method of guaranteeing accuracy in the solution of an initial value problem using *RK* methods. [2]

SECTION B: Answer ANY THREE questions in this section. [60]

B4. (a) Derive composite Trapezium's rule:

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \approx \frac{1}{2}h[f_0 + 2f_1 + 2f_2 + \dots + 2f_{n-1} + f_n] \text{ and show that the associated truncation error is } -\frac{1}{12} \frac{b-a}{h^2} f^{(2)}(z). \quad [14]$$

(b) Consider $f(x) = 2 + \sin(2\sqrt{x})$

(i) Show that the exact value of the definite integral $\int_1^6 2 + \sin(2\sqrt{x})dx$ is 8.183479. [2]

(ii) Investigate the error when the composite trapezoidal rule is used over [1,6] with $h = 0.5$ [4]

B5. (a) Use Jacobi iterative method to solve the system of equation to 4 decimal place for $i = 0; 1; \dots 5$.

$$5x + y + z = 10$$

$$x + 6y - 2z = 7$$

$$x - 3y + 7z = 16$$

Hence estimate the value of x, y, z to 1 s.f. [10]

(b) The equation $x^4 + 2x^3 - x - 1 = 0$ has a root in the interval $[0,1]$. Use the Bisection method to approximate the root. [10]

B6 (a) Use Heun method to solve the IVP

$$y' = y - x; y(0) = 2 \text{ on the interval } [0; 1] \text{ with } h = 0.1, \text{ for } i = 0; 1; 2. \quad [10]$$

(b) (i) Sketch on a single diagram the graphs of $y = \cos x$ and $y = 2x$ for $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$. Hence show that there is only 1 real root for the equation

$$\cos x = 2x. \quad [2]$$

(ii) Show that the root lies between $x = 0.2$ and $x = 0.6$. [3]

(iii) Starting with $x_0 = 0.5$, use the Newton Raphson method to find the root correct to 4 decimal places. [5]

B7 (a) Use the Modified Euler's method to solve $y' = y^2 + 1; y(0) = 0$ on the interval $[0,1]$ with $h = 0.1; i = 0,1,2$. **[8]**

(b) Compute the IVP in (a) using *RK4* and show which method is more accurate if the true value is 0.3093363. **[10]**

(c) Calculate the error on the methods used above. **[2]**

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