# APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

#### FIRST SEMESTER M. TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION

# **Civil Engineering**

#### (Structural Engineering and Construction Management)

#### 04 CE 6401 ANALYTICAL METHODS IN ENGINEERING

Max. Marks: 60

#### PART A

### Answer All Questions

#### Each question carries 3 marks

- 1. Solve $(D^4 5D^2 + 4)y = 0$ .
- 2. Write a short note on compatible system of first order equations.
- 3. Solve  $(D + 2D')(D 3D')^2 z = 0$ .
- 4. Derive solutions of Laplace's equation in two dimension.
- 5. Classify the equation  $f_{xx} + 2f_{xy} + f_{yy} = 0$
- 6. Discuss the rules for classifying a second order partial differential equation.
- 7. Discuss Liebmann's iteration technique for solving Laplace equation numerically.
- 8. Derive the solution of one dimensional wave equation by finite difference approximation.

#### PART B

## Each question carries 6 marks

9. Solve $(D^2 - 2D + 1)y = xe^x sinx$ .

OR

10. Using the method of variation of parameters, solve  $(D^2 - 2D + 2)y = e^x tanx$ .

11. Find the integral surface of the equation 2y(z-3)p + (2x-z)q = y(2x-3), which passes through the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 2x$ , z = 0.

OR

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- 12. Show that the equation z = px + qy is compatible with any equation f(x, y, z, p, q) = 0 which is homogeneous in x,y,z.
- 13. Solve  $2zx px^2 2qxy + pq = 0$ .
- 14. Solve  $(D^3 2D^2D')z = 2x^2y$ .

# 15. Solve $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$ within the rectangle $0 \le x \le a; 0 \le y \le b; \ u(0, y) = 0; u(a, y) = 0; u(x, b) = 0; u(x, 0) = x(a - x)$ OR

# 16. A string is stretched between the fixed points (0,0) and (L,0) and released at rest from the initial deflection given by $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{2kx}{L}, & 0 < x < \frac{L}{2} \\ \frac{2k(L-x)}{L}, & \frac{L}{2} < x < L \end{cases}$ , Find the deflection of the string at ant time t.

**Duration: 3 Hours** 

17. Derive the expression for first and second order partial derivatives of a function u(x, y) by finite difference approximation.

OR

- 18. Classify the equation  $y^2 u_{xx} 2xy u_{xy} + x^2 u_{yy} + 2u_x 3u = 0$ .
- 19. Find the values of u(x,y) satisfying  $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$  at the pivotal points of the square region ,with boundary values as shown



OR

20. Solve the equation  $u_{tt} = 16u_{xx}$  subject to  $u(0,t) = u(4,t) = 0, u_t(x,0) = 0, u(x,0) = x^2(4-x)$  taking h = 1 and t up to 1.5.