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**APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**FIRST SEMESTER M.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION**  
**Electrical and Electronics Engineering**  
**(Power Systems)**  
**04 MA 6303 - APPLIED MATHEMATICS**

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 60

**PART A**

*(Answer all questions. Each question carry 3 marks).*

1. Find the Fourier transform of  $f(x) = e^{-ax}, x > 0, a > 0$ . (3)
2. Find the extremals of the functional  $\int_{x_0}^{x_1} (x + y')y' dx$  (3)
3. Show that the integral equation  $y(x) = \int_0^x (x-t)y(t)dt + 3 \sin x$  is equivalent to the differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} + 3 \sin x = 0$  where  $y = 0$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3$  at  $x = 0$ . (3)
4. Show that the sample mean is an unbiased estimate of the population mean. (3)
5. Derive the normal equations for a parabolic least square error estimate. (3)
6. Derive Crank-Nicolson formula for the heat . (3)
7. Prove that if two vectors are linearly dependent, one of them is a scalar multiple of the other. (3)
8. Describe explicitly a linear transformation from  $R^3$  into  $R^3$  which has as its range the subspace spanned by  $(1, 0, -1)$  and  $(1, 2, 2)$ . (3)

**PART B**

*(Each full question carries 6 marks).*

9. Using the inversion integral method(Residue Method) find the inverse  $Z$ - transform of  $\frac{10z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$ . (6)

OR

10. Find the response of the system  $y_{n+2} - 5y_{n+1} + 6y_n = u_n$  with  $y_0 = 0, y_1 = 1, u_n = 1$  for  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  by  $Z$ - transform method. (6)
11. Find the extremal of the functional  $\int_0^\pi (y'^2 - y^2)dx$  under the conditions  $y(0) = 0, y(\pi) = 1$  (6)  
and subject to the constraint  $\int_0^\pi y dx = 1$ .

OR

12. A heavy cable hangs freely under gravity between two fixed points. Show that the shape of the cable is a catenary. (6)

13. Solve  $y(x) = x + \frac{1}{6} \int_0^x (x-t)^3 y(t) dt$  by transform method. (6)

OR

14. Solve the Volterra integral equation  $y(x) = 2(1+x^2) - \int_0^x xy(t) dt$  using successive approximation. (6)

15. If  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  is a sample of independent observations from a poisson population with parameter  $\lambda$ , obtain an unbiased estimate of  $e^{-\lambda}$  (6)

OR

16. Find the maximum likelihood estimates of the mean and variance in the case of a normal population. (6)

17. Fit a least square trend line to the data  $y(0) = 5, y(1) = 6, y(2) = 13, y(3) = 32, y(4) = 69$  (6)

OR

18. Determine the constants  $a$  and  $b$  by the method of least squares such that  $y = ae^{bx}$  fits the following data  $y(2) = 4.077, y(4) = 11.084, y(6) = 30.128, y(8) = 81.897, y(10) = 222.62$  (6)

19. Show that the vectors  $\alpha_1 = (1, 0, -1), \alpha_2 = (1, 2, 1), \alpha_3 = (0, -3, 2)$  form a basis for  $R^3$ . Express each of the standard basis vectors as linear combination of  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2$  and  $\alpha_3$ . (6)

OR

20. Let  $T$  be a linear operator on  $R^3$ , the matrix of which in the standard ordered basis is (6)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find a basis for the range of  $T$  and a basis for the null space of  $T$ .