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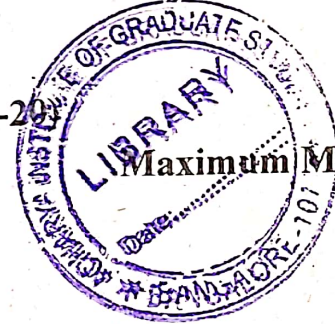
III Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, April/May - 2022

PHYSICS

Computational Physics

Paper : 302

(CBCS New Scheme 2019-20)



Maximum Marks : 70

Time : 3 Hours

*Instructions to Candidates:*

Answer all questions.

(3×15=45)

1. a. Give an overall view of Computer hardware with a block diagram and explain the essential system softwares and application softwares qualitatively. (8)  
b. Discuss various types of number representation with examples. (7)

(OR)

2. a. Explain how Bisection method can be employed to find the roots of an equation numerically. (7)  
b. Evaluate  $\int_0^1 \exp(x) dx$  using any of the numerical quadrature methods. (8)
3. a. For the Initial value problem  $\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 2 - e^{-4t}$ ;  $y(0) = 1$ , find approximate values of the solution at  $t = 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4$ , and  $0.5$  using Eulers method with  $h = 0.1$ . (6)  
b. Discuss types of partial differential equations with examples. (6)  
c. Elucidate types of boundary conditions used in differential equations. (3)

(OR)

4. a. Arrive at the solution to 1 Dimensional heat equation numerically with Neumann and Dirichlet boundary conditions. (10)  
b. Discuss how Runge - Kutta method can be used to find the solution to first order differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} - 2xy = 1$ ;  $y(0) = 3$  with step size,  $h = 0.1$ . (5)

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5. a. Obtain an instantaneous velocity for a body falling freely in a viscous medium using Euler's method and write the corresponding algorithm for it. (10)
- b. Using Runge - Kutta 2<sup>nd</sup> order method, obtain the instantaneous velocity for a particle executing simple harmonic motion numerically. (5)

(OR)

6. a. Write the solution to the one dimensional time independent Schrodinger equation for a particle in one dimensional box of infinite height and then obtain eigen values using Bisection method. (8)
- b. Discuss the digital Fourier transform method to find the Fourier series of a saw tooth function. (7)
7. Answer any five of the following : (5×5=25)
- a. How Newton - Raphson method can be employed to search for the eigen values of a particle in a finite potential well problem.
- b. Write a note on adaptive quadrature method in numerical integration.
- c. Find the general solution for coupled differential equations given by  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -x + 6y$  and  $\frac{dy}{dt} = x + 2y$ .
- d. Give the three difference formula to get first derivative approximation in finite difference method.
- e. Write an algorithm to find the eigen values of a simple harmonic oscillator by iteration method.
- f. Obtain differential equation for LCR circuit and explain the method to solve it numerically to determine instantaneous current.

