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COURSE CODE: SMA 839

COURSE TITLE: NUMERICAL ANALYSIS I

EXAM VENUE:

STREAM: (BSc. Actuarial)

DATE:

EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 3.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer ANY 3 questions**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

QUESTION ONE (20 MARKS)

a) Given

$P_n(x) = f_i^{(0)} + (x-x_0)f_i^{(1)} + (x-x_0)(x-x_1)f_i^{(2)} + \dots + (x-x_0)(x-x_1)\dots(x-x_{n-1})f_i^{(n)}$
verify that $P_n(x)$ passes exactly through the data points x_0, x_1 and x_2 . (6 marks)

b) Consider the six points table which satisfy the function $f(x) = \frac{2}{x} + x^2$.

x	f(x)
0.4	5.1600
0.6	3.6933
0.8	3.1400
1.0	3.0000
1.2	3.1067
1.4	3.3886

- (i) Give the n th degree Lagrange polynomial $P_n(x)$ which passes through $n+1$ points.
Hence use it to find $P_3(0.7)$. (7 marks)
- (ii) Form six-place difference table for the above data points and use it to calculate $P_3(0.7)$ by the Newton backward-difference polynomial. (7 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Give Gauss elimination procedure in a format suitable for computer programming.
(8 marks)
- b) Solve the following system of linear algebraic equations by applying Gauss elimination with partial pivoting

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 &= 7 \\ 2x_1 - 4x_2 + x_3 + 3x_4 &= 10 \\ -x_1 + 3x_2 - 4x_3 + 2x_4 &= -14 \\ 2x_1 + 4x_2 + 3x_3 - 2x_4 &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

(12 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Find the solution of the following system of linear algebraic equations using Gauss-Seidel method:

$$3x - 0.1y - 0.2z = 7.85$$

$$0.1x + 7y - 0.3z = -19.3$$

$$0.3x - 0.2y + 10z = 71.4$$

using

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

as the initial guess and conduct three iterations

(20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Give the step by step procedure of direct power method in a format suitable for computer programming (8 marks)
- b) Solve for the largest (in magnitude) eigenvalue of matrix A and the corresponding eigenvector x by the direct power method with $x^{(0)T} = [1.0 \ 1.0 \ 1.0]$, using four iterations:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 5 & -3 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(12 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Use the continuous Fourier series to approximate the square or rectangular wave function:

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & -T/2 < t < T/2 \\ 1 & T/2 < t < T/4 \\ -1 & T/4 < t < T/2 \end{cases}$$

(10 marks)

- b) Given $y = 1.7 + \cos(4.189t + 1.0472)$. Generate 10 discrete values for the function at intervals of $\Delta t = 0.15$ for the range $t = 0$ to $t = 1.35$. Use this information to evaluate the coefficient of $y = A_0 + A_1 \cos(\omega_0 t) + B_1 \sin(\omega_0 t) + e$. (10 marks)