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COURSE NAME : CIVIL ENGINEERING  
MATHEMATICS IV

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PROGRAMME : 2 BFF/ 3 BFF

EXAMINATION DATE : JUNE 2014

DURATION : 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION : A) ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS  
IN SECTION A AND  
TWO (2) QUESTIONS IN  
SECTION B.  
B) ALL CALCULATIONS AND  
ANSWERS MUST BE IN  
THREE (3) DECIMAL  
PLACES.

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## SECTION A

- Q1 (a) Given the heat equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 8 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0,$$

with the boundary conditions,  $u(0,t) = 0$  and  $u(1,t) = 2$   
and the initial condition  $u(x,0) = x(1+x)$ .

By using explicit method, solve the heat equation up to first level  
( $t \leq 0.01$ ) and by taking  $\Delta x = h = 0.2$  and  $\Delta t = k = 0.01$ .

(12 marks)

- (b) Form the system of linear equation,  $Ax = b$  for the Laplace equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

with boundary conditions,

$$u(x,y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x = 0, \text{ and } 0 < y < 1, \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 1, \text{ and } 0 < y < 1, \\ 0 & \text{if } y = 0, \text{ and } 0 < x < 1, \\ 1 & \text{if } y = 1, \text{ and } 0 < x < 1. \end{cases}$$

by taking  $\Delta x = h = 0.25$  and  $\Delta y = k = 0.5$ .

(DO NOT SOLVE the system of linear equations)

(13 marks)

- Q2 Consider a fin of length 5 unit has three nodes and two elements, as shown in **FIGURE Q2**. The heat flow equation is:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( A(x)k(x) \frac{dT(x)}{dx} \right) + Q(x) = 0, \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq 5$$

with  $A(x)$  is the cross-sectional area,  $k(x)$  is the thermal conductivity,  $T(x)$  is the temperature at length  $x$  and  $Q(x)$  is the heat supply per unit time and per unit length. Find the temperature at each nodal point,  $T_2$  and  $T_3$ , if  $A(x)$  is 30 unit,  $k(x)$  is 10 unit and  $Q(x)$  is 10 unit. Let the temperature at  $x = 0$  is 0 unit

and the heat flux,  $-k \frac{dT}{dx} \Big|_{x=5} = 10$  unit.

(25 marks)

## SECTION B

- Q3** (a) A small village always used a water tank with radius  $r = 10$  m to supply clean water to the village. The volume of water in it can be computed by the formula

$$V = \pi h^2 \frac{(3r - h)}{3}$$

where  $V$ ,  $h$  and  $r$  are volume of water, depth of water and radius of tank, respectively. What is the depth of water in the tank so that the volume of water in it is  $1000 \text{ m}^3$ ? Use Newton-Raphson method to solve this problem with the initial guess of 6 m.

(10 marks)

- (b) Solve the system of linear equations below by using Gauss-Seidel iteration method

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 + 10x_2 + 3x_3 &= 44 \\ 3x_1 + 4x_2 + 11x_3 &= 59 \\ 9x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 &= 16 \end{aligned}$$

by taking initial guess as  $x^{(0)} = [0 \ 0 \ 0]^T$ ,

and iterate until  $\max\{|x_i^{(k+1)} - x_i^{(k)}|\} < \varepsilon = 0.005$ .

(15 marks)

- Q4** (a) Relationship between the applied force  $P$  and displacement  $u$  of the three-bar truss structure in **FIGURE Q4 (a)** is nonlinear according to the data given in table below. Derive the Lagrange polynomial for the given data points. Then estimate the force at displacements of 0.17.

$P$ (N)	$u$ (cm)
0.00	0.00
9.80	0.25
12.00	0.50
14.20	0.75

(10 marks)

- (b) Given a set of data is in the following table. By using step size,  $h = 0.1$  find approximate value for the first derivative of  $f(x)$  at  $x = 3.3$  using **ALL APPROPRIATE** difference formula.

$x$	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4
$f(x)$	0.588	0.736	0.911	1.382	1.795

(8 marks)

- (c) Use suitable Simpson's rule to approximate  $\int_0^5 \sqrt{x^3 + 5} dx$  using  $n = 10$ .  
(7 marks)

- Q5** (a) Given that  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 6 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$  with three positive eigenvalues. By using the

initial vector  $\mathbf{v}^{(0)} = (0 \ 1 \ 1)^T$  and convergence criterion  $|m_{k+1} - m_k| < \varepsilon = 0.005$ .

- (i) Compute the dominant eigenvalue and the corresponding eigenvector of the matrix  $A$  using Power method.  
(ii) Use the Shifted Power method to compute the smallest eigenvalue and the corresponding eigenvector of the matrix  $A$ .

(16 marks)

- (b) Given the initial value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 4xy = 6x, \quad y(0) = 1$$

Approximate the value  $y(0.2)$  using

- (i) Euler's method with  $h = 0.1$ , and  
(ii) Runge-Kutta method of order 4 with  $h = 0.2$ .

(9 marks)

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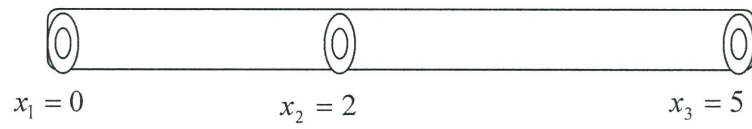
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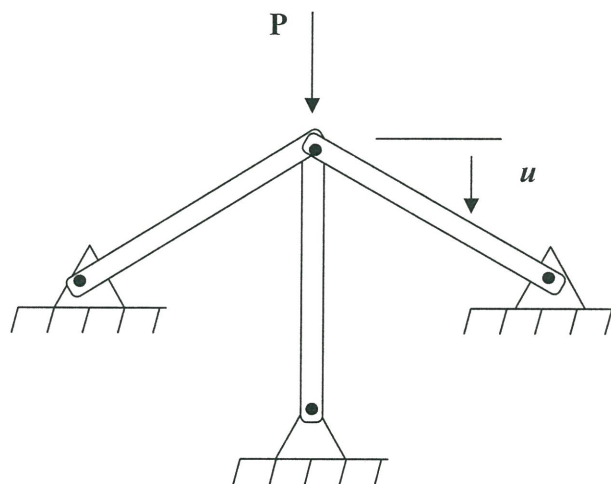
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**FIGURE Q2**



**FIGURE Q4(a)**

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### FORMULAS

#### Nonlinear equations

Newton-Raphson method :  $x_{i+1} = x_i - \frac{f(x_i)}{f'(x_i)}$ ,  $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

#### System of linear equations

Gauss-Seidel iteration :  $x_i^{(k+1)} = \frac{b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij}x_j^{(k+1)} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij}x_j^{(k)}}{a_{ii}}$ ,  $\forall i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ .

#### Interpolation

Lagrange interpolation :  $P_n(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n L_i(x)f_i$  for  $k = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$  with

$$L_i(x) = \prod_{\substack{j=0 \\ j \neq i}}^n \frac{(x - x_j)}{(x_i - x_j)}$$

#### Numerical Differentiation

2-point forward difference:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

2-point backward difference:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x) - f(x-h)}{h}$

3-point central difference:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{f(x+h) - f(x-h)}{2h}$

3-point forward difference:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{-f(x+2h) + 4f(x+h) - 3f(x)}{2h}$

3-point backward difference:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{3f(x) - 4f(x-h) + f(x-2h)}{2h}$

5-point difference formula:  $f'(x) \approx \frac{-f(x+2h) + 8f(x+h) - 8f(x-h) + f(x-2h)}{12h}$

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### Numerical Integration

$$\text{Simpson } \frac{1}{3} \text{ Rule: } \int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{h}{3} \left[ f_0 + f_n + 4 \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i \text{ odd}}}^{n-1} f_i + 2 \sum_{\substack{i=2 \\ i \text{ even}}}^{n-2} f_i \right]$$

$$\text{Simpson } \frac{3}{8} \text{ rule: } \int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{3}{8} h \left[ (f_0 + f_n) + 3(f_1 + f_2 + f_4 + f_5 + \dots + f_{n-2} + f_{n-1}) + 2(f_3 + f_6 + \dots + f_{n-3}) \right]$$

### Eigen value

$$\text{Power Method: } v^{(k+1)} = \frac{1}{m_{k+1}} A v^{(k)}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

### Ordinary Differential Equation

Initial Value Problem:

$$\text{Euler's Method: } y_{i+1} = y(x_i) + hf(x_i, y_i)$$

$$\text{Fourth-order Runge-Kutta Method: } y_{i+1} = y_i + \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{where } k_1 &= hf(x_i, y_i) & k_2 &= hf\left(x_i + \frac{h}{2}, y_i + \frac{k_1}{2}\right) \\ k_3 &= hf\left(x_i + \frac{h}{2}, y_i + \frac{k_2}{2}\right) & k_4 &= hf(x_i + h, y_i + k_3) \end{aligned}$$

### Partial Differential Equation

Heat Equation: Finite Difference Method

$$\left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}\right)_{i,j} = \left(c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}\right)_{i,j} \quad \frac{u_{i,j+1} - u_{i,j}}{k} = c^2 \frac{u_{i-1,j} - 2u_{i,j} + u_{i+1,j}}{h^2}$$

Laplace Equation: Finite Difference Method

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}\right)_{i,j} + \left(\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}\right)_{i,j} = 0 \quad \frac{u_{i+1,j} - 2u_{i,j} + u_{i-1,j}}{h^2} + \frac{u_{i,j+1} - 2u_{i,j} + u_{i,j-1}}{k^2} = 0$$



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**Finite Element Method**Heat flow problem in 1 dimension for  $a \leq x \leq b$ 

$$N(x) = [N_1(x) \ N_2(x) \ \cdots \ N_n(x)]$$

 $N_m(x) = [N_m^e(x)]$  is global shaped function for element  $e$  at node  $m$ 

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} T_1 \\ T_2 \\ \vdots \\ T_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{is the temperature vector at node}$$

$$\mathbf{KT} = \mathbf{f}_b - \mathbf{f}_L$$

where

stiffness matrix,  $\mathbf{K} = \int_a^b \mathbf{B}^T Ak\mathbf{B} \, dx$  or

$$K_{ij} = \int_a^b \frac{dN_i}{dx} Ak \frac{dN_j}{dx} \, dx \quad \text{is a square matrix with dimension } n \times n,$$

boundary vector,  $\mathbf{f}_b = \left[ \mathbf{N}_i A(x)k(x) \frac{dT}{dx} \right]_a^b$  have the dimension  $n \times 1$ ,

load vector,  $\mathbf{f}_L = -\int_a^b \mathbf{N}_i Q(x) \, dx$  have the dimension  $n \times 1$ .

