



(Knowledge for Development)

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FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
(MATHEMATICS)

COURSE CODE: MAT 427

COURSE TITLE: NUMERICAL ANALYSIS III

DATE: 18/12/17

TIME: 3 PM -5 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE

- (a) Given the general form of an ordinary differential equation

$$\phi(t, y, y', y'', \dots, y^{(m)}) = 0$$

- (i) Distinguish between m and t (2Mks)
(ii) Define a canonical representation of a differential equation. (2Mks)
- (b) What is an initial value problem (2Mks)
- (c) Convert the following 2nd order initial value problem into a system of 1st order initial value problem.

$$ty'' - y' + 4t^3y = 0, y(1) = 1, y'(1) = 2 \quad (8Mks)$$

- (d) Find the solution of the system of equations $\frac{du}{dt} = Au$ where $u = [u_1, u_2]^T$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ (9Mks)

- (e) Show that for any u_0 , the initial value problem $\frac{du}{dt} = f(t, u), u(t_0) = \eta_0$ has a unique solution $u(t)$ for $t \in [t_0, b]$ hence define the Lipschitz constant. (7Mks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Define

- (i) truncation error (2Mks)
(ii) convergence (2Mks)
(iii) Euler method (2Mks)

- (b) Obtain a general solution of the system of equations

$$\frac{du_1}{dt} = -5u_1 + 2u_2 + t$$

$$\frac{du_2}{dt} = 2u_1 - 2u_2 + e^{-t} \quad (14Mks)$$

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Use the Euler method to solve numerically the initial value problem

$$u' = -2tu, u(0) = 1$$

With $h = 0.2, 0.1$ and 0.05 on the interval $[0, 1]$ (16Mks)

- (b) Neglecting round-off errors determine the bound for the error in (a) above (14Mks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) what is a homogenous Boundary value problem (2Mks)
- (b) distinguish between an Eigenvalue and Eigen function of a boundary value problem. (3Mks)
- (c) State any three conditions satisfied for a unique and existing solution of

$$Bv\rho u'' = f(x_1 u_x u^1), x \in (a, b)$$

(3Mks)

- (d) for the analysis of the numerical solution of the test equation $u' = \lambda u$. Show that the propagation factor should satisfy the condition $|E(\lambda h)| < 1$ (12MKS)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) find the solution of the initial value problem $\frac{du}{dt} = Au, u(0) = [1, 0]$ where $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -20 \end{bmatrix}$ (16Mks)
- (b) is the system in (a) above asymptotically stable, explain (4Mks)