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PART TIME PROGRAMME

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INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Solve $\left. \begin{array}{l} 2x + 4y = 10 \\ x - y = 2 \end{array} \right\}$ using Gaussian elimination method. **(5 marks)**
- b) Explain briefly Crout's method For solving system of linear equations. **(3 marks)**
- c) Find the least square polynomial of the form $y = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2$ that best fit the data below
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|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <u>x</u> | <u>-2</u> | <u>-1</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>2</u> |
| <u>y</u> | 0 | -4 | -4 | 0 | 8 |
- (6 marks)**
- d) Obtain a linear relation from $y = \frac{ax}{b+x}$ where a and b are constants. **(5 marks)**
- e) Find exact solution of $\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y; y(0) = 1$ at $x=0.2$. **(5 marks)**
- f) Linearize the relation $y = ax^b$ where a and b are constants. **(5 marks)**

Q2. a) Find the eigenvalues and the corresponding eigenvector of matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (13 \text{ marks})$$

b) Solve the system below using Gaussian elimination with pivoting. Perform the computation to 4 decimal places.

$$\begin{aligned} 5x + 3y + z &= 18 \\ 10x + 6y + 7z &= 43 \\ 20x + y - z &= 19 \end{aligned} \quad (7 \text{ marks})$$

Q3. a) Use Jacobi's iterative method to solve the system of equations below using $x^{(0)} = 1, y^{(0)} = 0, z^{(0)} = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} 3x + 20y + 30z &= 12.3 \\ 20x + 5y + 7z &= 4.9 \\ 5x + 20y + 4z &= 7.3 \end{aligned} \quad (15 \text{ marks})$$

b) Derive normal equations of least square fit of the form $y = a_1 f_1(x) + a_2 f_2(x) + a_3 f_3(x) + \dots + a_n f_n(x)$.
(5 marks)

Q4. a) Find the Taylor series solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \frac{y}{x}; y(1) = 2 \text{ up to the term in } (x-1)^4. \quad (10 \text{ marks})$$

b) Given $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x - y; y(0) = 1$ find $y(1)$ using simple Euler method with 10 steps.
(10 marks)

Q5. Given that $x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Use the power method to get the dominant eigenvalue of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -8 \\ 5 & -2 & 5 \\ -8 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ to the nearest whole number and the corresponding}$$

eigenvector with components whole numbers. Verify that $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^T$ is also an eigenvector and state the corresponding eigenvalue.

Using the fact that eigenvectors of a symmetric matrix are mutually orthogonal find the third eigenvector and the corresponding eigenvalue.

(20 marks)