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**DUBAI INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC CITY, DUBAI**

**SECOND SEMESTER 2013-14**  
**CHE F242 NUMERICAL METHODS FOR CHEMICAL ENGINEERS**  
**Comprehensive Examination (Closed Book)**

Weightage: 40%  
Max. Marks: 40

Date: 27. 5. 2014  
Time: 8.30 AM -11.30 AM

**Answer all the questions.**  
**No programmable calculators are allowed.**

1. Solve  $\sin x - y + 1.32 = 0$ ;  $x - \cos y - 0.85 = 0$  by Newton-Raphson method, up to one iteration with  $x_0 = 0.6, y_0 = 1.9$ . (3M)
2. Solve  $x^4 - 8x^3 + 39x^2 - 62x + 50 = 0$ , using Bairstow's method, taking  $p_0 = 1.97, q_0 = -1.57$ . (4M)
3. Solve by Gauss-Jordan method, using partial pivoting  
 $x + 7y - 3z = -22, 2x - y + 6z = 22, 5x - 2y + 3z = 18$  (3M)
4. Using Gauss Jacobi method, solve  
 $10x + y - z = 11.19, x + 10y + z = 28.08, -x + y + 10z = 35.61$ , correct to 3 d.p. (3M)
5. Fit a cubic spline to the data:

x	0	1	2
y	1	2	5

(4M)

6. Find the dominant eigenvalue and the corresponding eigenvector of

$$\begin{pmatrix} 15 & -4 & -3 \\ -10 & 12 & -6 \\ -20 & 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(3M)

7. Find an interpolating polynomial:

x	-2	0	2	3
y	0	1	0.4	-1

(3M)

8. Evaluate  $\int_{0.2}^{1.4} (\sin x - \ln x + e^x) dx$  by (i) Simpson's 1/3 rule and (ii) Trapezoidal rule.

Compare the results.

(3M)

9. Use the following set of Pressure-volume data to find the best possible virial constants ( $A_1$  &  $A_2$ ) for the equation of the state shown below.  $R=0.082$  and  $T = 303$ .

$$\frac{PV}{RT} = 1 + \frac{A_1}{V} + \frac{A_2}{V^2}$$

$P$	0.985	1.108	1.363	1.631
$V$	25	22.2	18	15

(4M)

10. Solve using RK method of 4<sup>th</sup> order:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y - \frac{2x}{y}, y(0) = 1 \text{ by finding } y(0.2) \text{ and } y(0.4)$$

(4M)

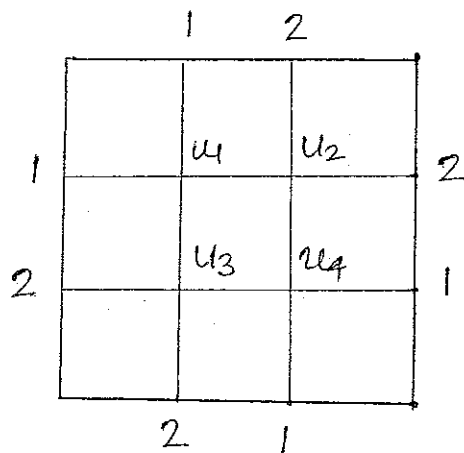
11. Solve the equation by an Implicit Scheme:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \text{ with}$$

$$h = 0.5, u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0, u(x, 0) = 5 - \sin(\pi x), 0 < x < 1 \text{ for one time step.}$$

(3M)

12. Solve the Laplace equation for the following square mesh:



(3M)

All the Best!

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Test 1 (Closed Book)

Weightage: 25%  
Max. Marks: 25

Date: 03.03.2014  
Time: 9.20 AM -10.10 AM

**Answer all the questions.**  
**No programmable calculator is allowed.**

1. Compute the relative maximum error in  $f$  when  $x = y = z = 1$  and  $f(x, y, z) = \frac{4x^2y^3}{z^4}$ . Use the errors in  $x, y, z$  as 0.001. (6M)
2. Find a real root of  $x^4 - x - 10 = 0$  by the secant's method which lies between 1 and 2 by performing five iterations. (6M)
3. Find a real root of  $x e^x = \cos x$  lying between 0 and 1 by the regula-falsi formula correct to 3 d. p. (6M)
4. Use the Newton-Raphson method to find a negative real root of  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi(x+1)}{8}\right) + 0.148x - 0.9602 = 0$  correct to 4 d. p. Also compute the true relative percent error. (7M)

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**QUIZ 1**

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Weightage: 8%  
Max. Marks: 8

Date: 23.03.2014  
Time: 9.30 AM -9.50 AM

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Using Gauss elimination method, solve  $x + z = 0.25$ ,  $y + z = 2.5$ ,  $x + y + z = 1.5$  (2M)

2. The order of convergence of Newton-Raphson method is \_\_\_\_\_ (2M)

3. Find a recurrence formula to find the square root of a positive number N by Newton's method. (2M)

4. Write any two differences of partial pivoting and complete pivoting techniques used in Gauss/Gauss Jordan methods. (2M)

**All the Best!**