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Course: **Mathematical Physics II**  
Program: **B.Sc. Physics (H)**  
Course Code: **PHYS 2001**

Semester: **III**  
Duration: **03 hrs.**  
Max. Marks: **100**

**Instructions:**

- There are three Sections (Section A, Section B and Section C).
- Section A: All the questions are compulsory.
- Section B: one question has internal choice.
- Section C: one question has internal choice.

**SECTION A**

**(5Q × 4M = 20 Marks)**

S. No.		Marks	COs
Q1.	Define Isomorphism and Homomorphism with examples.	4	CO1
Q2.	Determine regular singular points of the differential equation $2x^2y'' + 3xy' + (x^2 - 4)y = 0.$	4	CO2
Q3.	Authenticate the recurrence relations of Bessel function $4J_n''(x) = J_{n-2}(x) - 2J_n(x) + J_{n+2}(x).$	4	CO2
Q4.	Validate $\Gamma(n + 1) = n\Gamma(n)$ , where $\Gamma$ is a gamma function.	4	CO3
Q5.	Assess the Auxiliary equations of one-dimensional wave equation.	4	CO4

**SECTION B**

**(4Q × 10M = 40 Marks)**

Q6.	Estimate the values of [22, 1] and [13, 3], using Christoffel symbols if $(ds)^2 = (dr)^2 + r^2(d\theta)^2 + r^2 \sin^2 \theta (d\varphi)^2$	10	CO1
Q7.	Validate for the function $f(x)$ , for which the nth derivative is continuous and $P_n(x)$ is the Legendre polynomial of degree $n$ . $\int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_n(x) dx = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2 - 1)^n f^n(x) dx$	10	CO2
Q8.	Establish the relation between beta and gamma function as	10	CO3

	$\beta(m, n) = \frac{\Gamma(m) \Gamma(n)}{\Gamma(m + n)}$ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Evaluate <math>\int_{-1}^1 (1 + x)^{p-1} (1 - x)^{q-1} dx</math> using gamma function.</p>		
Q9.	<p>Determine the extended power series solution of the differential equation</p> $x^2 y'' + 4xy' + (x^2 + 2) y = 0.$	<b>10</b>	<b>CO2</b>
<b>SECTION-C</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>(2Q × 20M = 40 Marks)</b></span>			
Q10.	<p>(a) A covariant tensor has components <math>xy, 2y - z^2, xz</math> in rectangular coordinates. Find its covariant components in spherical coordinates.</p> <p>(b) Prove that Bessel function, <math>J_n(x)</math> is the coefficient of <math>z^n</math> in the expansion of <math>e^{\frac{x}{2}(z - \frac{1}{z})}</math>.</p>	<b>10</b>	<b>CO1</b>
		<b>10</b>	<b>CO2</b>
Q11.	<p>Articulate one-dimensional equation for a stretched string and solve it via the method of separation of variables.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>(a) Formulate two-dimensional equation for a rectangular membrane.</p> <p>(b) Solve the Laplace's equation in polar coordinates</p> $r^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2} + r \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial \theta^2} = 0$ <p>using the method of separation of variables.</p>	<b>20</b>	<b>CO4</b>
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