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**B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – PHYSICS**

**FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2016**

**PH 4504/PH 4502/PH 6604 – MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS**

Date: 20-04-2016  
Time: 09:00-12:00

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Max. : 100 Marks

## PART – A

Answer ALL questions

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Find the real and imaginary part of  $\frac{1-i}{2+i}$ .
2. Check whether  $f(z) = Re z + Im z$  is analytic or not.
3. Show that  $\int_c f(z) dz$  is independent of path followed if  $f(z)$  is analytic.
4. Evaluate  $\int_{-i}^{-i-i} \frac{dz}{z}$ .
5. Find the value of  $c$  if  $u(x,t) = e^{-2kt} \cos 8x$  is a solution of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ .
6. Write down the two dimensional wave equations.
7. Define inverse Fourier transform of a function.
8. State convolution theorem.
9. Give the formula for forward difference operator and shift operator.
10. Using Trapezoidal rule, Evaluate  $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$

x	0	0.25	0.50	0.75	1.00
f(x)	1.000	0.800	0.667	0.571	0.500

## PART – B

Answer any FOUR questions

(4 x 7.5 = 30 Marks)

11. Show that
  - (a)  $\cos z = \cos x \cosh y - i \sin x \sinh y$
  - (b)  $\sinh z = \sinh x \cos y + i \cosh x \sin y$
12. Using Cauchy's integral formula, evaluate  $\int_C \frac{\sin z}{(z-\frac{i\pi}{2})^4} dz$  where  $C$  is the circle  $|z| = 2$ .
13. Derive the wave equation for a vibrating string.
14. Find the Fourier cosine transform of  $e^{-kx}$  where  $k > 0$ .
15. Find the value of  $y$  at  $x=0.23$  from the following table using Newton's forward interpolation formula

$x$	0.20	0.22	0.24	0.26	0.28	0.30
$y$	1.6596	1.6698	1.6804	1.6912	1.7024	1.7139

16. Find the value of  $y(0.4)$  for  $y' = 1 + y^2, y(0) = 1, h = 0.1$  using Euler's method.

PART – C

Answer any FOUR questions:

(4 x 12.5 =50 Marks)

17. Verify that  $u = x^3 - 3xy^2$  is harmonic. Find a harmonic conjugate function  $v$  and hence find the analytic function  $f(z)$ . (5+5+2.5)

18. (a) State and prove Cauchy's integral theorem.

(b) Evaluate  $\int_C \frac{z^2 + 4}{z^2 - 4} dz$  in counter clockwise where  $C: |z-1|=2$ . (7.5+5)

19. Derive the D'Alembert's solution for the wave equation.

20. (a) If  $F(s)$  is the Fourier transform of  $f(t)$ , show that  $F\{t f(t)\} = -iF'(s)$ .

(b) A semi-infinite solid  $x > 0$  is initially at temperature zero. At time  $t=0$ , a constant temperature  $u_0$  is applied and maintained at the face  $x = 0$ . Find the temperature at any point of the solid and at any time  $t > 0$ . (6+6.5)

21. Deduce Lagrange interpolation formula for unequal intervals and using it find  $y(10)$  from the following table:

x	5	6	9	11
y	12	13	14	16

(6.5+6)

22. (a) Derive Cauchy-Riemann equations for a function  $f(z)$  to be analytic. (7.5)

(b) Find the real and imaginary parts of  $\exp(z^2)$ . (5.0)

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