

**Birla Institute of Technology & Science, Pilani**

**Mid Semester Exam (Closed Book)      I<sup>st</sup> Semester 2022 – 2023**  
**Course Name : Numerical Analysis (MATH F313)      Date: 3rd November 2022**

**Max. Time: 90 Minutes**

**Max. Marks: 70**

**Note: Use four significant digits with rounding wherever not mentioned. Start answering each question on a fresh page.**

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1. Solutions of  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ ) are  $x = \left( \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \right)$ . Using this formula, find the smallest root of the equation  $0.2x^2 - 47.913x + 6.0003 = 0$  as accurate as possible. [4]

2. To find  $\sqrt{17}$  by fixed point method, the following iteration function is proposed:

$$g(x) = \frac{\alpha}{x} + \beta x + \gamma x^3. \text{ Find } \alpha, \beta \text{ and } \gamma \text{ so that the method converge cubically. [6]}$$

3. Find the upper bound of the error in interpolating the values of  $f(x) = e^{(-2x^2)}$  at  $x = 1/3$  based on the values at  $x = 0$  and  $1$ . [6]

4. Gauss-Elimination (G-E) with scaled partial pivoting is performed on a 3x3 matrix A. After **One- Step** of G-E, the working matrix with scaling factors 7, 4 and 7 respectively, pivoting vector  $P = (2, 1, 3)$  and multipliers obtained is as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.2858 & -0.7144 & 1.214 \\ 0.5000 & 1.000 & -0.7500 \\ -0.8572 & 1.857 & -0.3572 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the second column of  $A^{-1}$  (inverse of A) using the forward and backward substitutions. Hence, find the value of determinant of A. [12]

5. Using Newton's method, reduce the nonlinear system:

$$8y - \cos^2(z - y) = 1$$

$$10x + \sin(x + y) = 1$$

$$12z + \sin z = 1$$

to a system of linear equations in  $h_1, h_2$  and  $h_3$  to obtain the solution:

$$x_1 = 0.1 + h_1, \quad y_1 = 0.25 + h_2 \text{ and } z_1 = 0.0833 + h_3$$

Hence, perform one iteration of Gauss-Seidel method to find the solution of resulting system in  $h_1, h_2$  and  $h_3$  with initial vector  $(1,1,1)^T$  so that the iteration scheme converges to true solution. [12]

6. Using the definition of divided difference, complete the following divided difference table:

$x_i$	$f_i$	$f[,]$	$f[,]$	$f[,]$	$f[,]$
-1	2				
		-1			
1	.....		.....		
		1		2	
1	.....		.....		4
		.....		.....	
1	.....		.....		
		.....			
1	.....				

Hence, using the above table, find

(a) The values of  $f''(1)$  and  $f'''(1)$ .

(b) The interpolating polynomial  $P(x)$  (in simplified form of degree as high as possible) which interpolate f at above points. [12]

7. Derive Newton's backward interpolating formula to approximate a function using Newton's divided difference formula. [8]

8. Let  $Ax = b$  be written as  $x = Bx + c$ , with some norm of  $B, \|B\| < 1$ , then prove that  $x = Bx + c$  has a unique solution  $R$ . Further, the sequence generated by  $x^{(m+1)} = Bx^{(m)} + c, m = 0,1,2,3, \dots$ , starting with some initial guess  $x^{(0)}$ , will converge to the exact solution  $R$ . [10]