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[Use a separate Answer Book for each group]

Notations and symbols have their usual meanings

Group – A

(Answer any one question)

[1×20]

1. a) If the function $f(x)$ be Riemann integrable on any finite interval and absolutely integrable on $(-\infty, \infty)$, then prove that $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)e^{ixt} dx = 0$. [6]
- b) Find the Fourier transform of $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x^2, & |x| \leq 1 \\ 0, & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$ and hence evaluate $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x \cos x - \sin x}{x^3} \cos \frac{x}{2} dx$. [3+3]
- c) Find the temperature distribution (u) in the semi-infinite rod $0 \leq x < \infty$ governed by the partial differential equation $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = K \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ subject to the conditions (i) $u = 0$ when $t = 0$, $x \geq 0$, (ii) $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -\mu$, a constant, when $x = 0$ and $t > 0$. [8]
2. a) If the functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are Riemann integrable on every finite interval and absolutely integrable on $(-\infty, \infty)$, also $g(x)$ is a bounded function on $(-\infty, \infty)$, then prove that $(f \circ g)(x)$ exists for all x in $(-\infty, \infty)$ and $(f \circ g)(x)$ is also bounded on $(-\infty, \infty)$. [6]
- b) If $f(t)$ exists finitely and continuous in the interval on $(-\infty, \infty)$, then prove that $\lim_{|t| \rightarrow +\infty} f(t) = 0$.
Using this result, prove that $F\{f^n(t); s\} = (-is)^n F\{f(t); s\}$, $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ provided $f', f'', \dots, f^{n-1}$ are continuous everywhere and absolutely integrable and f^n is piecewise continuous and absolutely integrable in $(-\infty, \infty)$. [3+3]
- c) Solve the equation $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$, $0 < x < \pi$, $0 < y < y_0$ under the boundary conditions $u(0, y) = 0$, $u(\pi, y) = 1$, $u_y(x, 0) = u(x, y_0) = 0$. [8]

Group – B

(Answer any three questions)

[3×5]

3. If $\gamma(x)$ is a good function, prove that the Fourier transform of $\gamma(x)$ is also good function.

4. Prove that $\left\{ e^{-\frac{x^2}{n}} \right\}$ and $\left\{ e^{-\frac{x^2}{2n}} \right\}$ are regular and equivalent.

5. Prove that $\left\{ \sqrt{\frac{n}{\pi}} e^{-nx^2} \right\}$ is regular and defines a generalized function $\delta(x)$. Deduce that the Fourier transform of $\delta(x)$ is 1.

6. Let
$$\rho(x) = \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{1-x^2}}}{\int_{-1}^1 e^{-\frac{1}{1-t^2}} dt} \quad (|x| < 1)$$

$$= 0 \quad (|x| \geq 1)$$

If $f \in K_1$ prove that the sequence $\{\gamma_n(x)\}$, where $\gamma_n(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \rho\{n(u-x)\} n e^{-\frac{u^2}{n}} du$ is regular.

Group – C

(Answer any three questions)

[3×5]

7. Convert the following differential equation into integral equation : $y''(x) + y(x) = 0$ when $y(0) = 0$ and $y'(0) = 0$.
8. Obtain the Neumann series of the integral equation : $\phi(x) = 1 + \lambda \int_0^1 xt\phi(t)dt$ where $0 < x < 1$.
9. Solve the Abel's integral equation for $y(x)$: $\int_0^x \frac{y(u)}{\sqrt{x-u}} du = \sqrt{x}$.
10. Solve the integral equation for $F(t)$: $F(t) = t^2 + \int_0^t F(x) \sin(t-x) dx$.
11. Find the eigen-values of the homogeneous integral equation : $y(x) = \lambda \int_1^2 \left(xt + \frac{1}{xt} \right) y(t) dt$.

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