



Answer all the following questions

No. of questions : 4

Total Mark: 70 marks

Q1 Solve the differential equations

[15 marks]

$$(x^3 + y^3)dx - 3xy^2 dy = 0 \quad y'' - 3y' + 2y = 2x^2 + e^x + xe^x \quad (D^2 - 6D + 13)y = 8e^{3x} \cos 2x$$

Q2 Test for convergence

[15 marks]

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5^n + 7^n}{13^n + 2^n}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(5n)^n}{(9n + 11)^n}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Q3 Answer the following

[25 marks]

I) At Kennedy middle School, the probability that a student takes Technology and Spanish is **0.087** and the probability that a student takes Technology is **0.68**. What is the probability that a student takes Spanish given that the student is taking Technology?

II) If a r.v. X takes the values 1, 2, 3, 4 such that $2P(X = 1) = 5P(X = 2) = P(X = 3) = 3P(X = 4)$. Find the probability distribution of X, also find mean and variance.

III) Let X be a continuous r.v. with p.d.f. $f(x) = (1/x)$ for $1 < x < e$, find $E(\ln X)$, $\text{Var}(X)$, median, $P(1.5 > x)$, $P(1.2 < x)$.

Q4 Answer the following

[15 marks]

I) Find the point on the plane $3x + 2y + z = 24$ that is nearest to the origin

II) Find envelope for the family of ellipses $\frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{(1-c)^2} - 1 = 0$

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Model answer

Answer of question 1

$$(x^3 + y^3)dx - 3xy^2 dy = 0 \text{ (solve)}$$

Answer

It is homogeneous, thus put $y = vx \Rightarrow dy = v dx + x dv$

$$\text{Thus } (1-2v^2) dx - 3 v^2 x dv = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x} - \frac{3v^2}{1-2v^3} dv = 0 \Rightarrow \ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln(1-2v^3) = c$$

$$y'' - 3y' + 2y = 2x^2 + e^x + xe^x$$

Answer

$$y(x) = y_p + y_H, \text{ therefore } y_H = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^x$$

$$y_p = \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} 2x^2 + \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} e^x + \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} x e^x$$

$$y_p = \frac{1}{2[1 + \frac{D^2 - 3D}{2}]} 2x^2 + \frac{1}{(D-1)(D-2)} e^x + e^x \frac{1}{(D+1)^2 - 3(D+1) + 2} x$$

$$y_p = [1 - (\frac{D^2 - 3D}{2}) + (\frac{D^2 - 3D}{2})^2 + \dots] x^2 - \frac{1}{(D-1)} e^x + e^x \frac{1}{D^2 - D} x$$

$$y_p = [1 + \frac{7D^2}{4} + \frac{3D}{2} + \dots] x^2 - x e^x - \frac{e^x}{2} [1 + D + D^2] x$$

$$y_p = 7/2 + 4x - 2x e^x - e^x - \frac{e^x}{2} x^2$$

$$(D^2 - 6D + 13)y = 8e^{3x} \cos 2x$$

Answer

$$y_h = e^{3x}[c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x],$$

$$y_p = \frac{1}{D^2 - 6D + 13} 8e^{3x} \cos 2x = 8e^{3x} \frac{1}{(D+3)^2 - 6(D+3) + 13} \cos 2x =$$

$$8e^{3x} \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \cos 2x = 2xe^{3x} \sin 2x$$

Answer of question 2

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5^n + 7^n}{3^n + 2^n} \text{ (Test for convergence)}$$

Answer

By ratio test, we get that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{5^{n+1} + 7^{n+1}}{3^{n+1} + 2^{n+1}} \right) \left(\frac{3^n + 2^n}{5^n + 7^n} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{7^{n+1}}{3^{n+1}} \left[\frac{(5/7)^{n+1} + 1}{1 + (2/3)^{n+1}} \right]$

$$\frac{3^n}{7^n} \left[\frac{3^n + 2^n}{5^n + 7^n} \right] = 7/3 > 1, \text{ therefore the series is divergent.}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(5n)^n}{(9n+11)^n} \text{ (Test for convergence)}$$

Answer

Since $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\left(\frac{5n}{9n+11} \right)^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{5n}{9n+11} \right) = \frac{5}{9} < 1$, therefore $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(5n)^n}{(9n+11)^n}$ is

convergent

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{\sqrt{n}} \quad (\text{Test for convergence})$$

Answer

Let $U_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = 0$, $U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}}$, hence $U_n > U_{n+1}$. By using integral test,

we will get that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ is divergent, so $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{\sqrt{n}}$ is called conditionally

convergent.

Answer of question 3

I) $P(T \cap S) = 0.087$, $P(T) = 0.68$, therefore $P(S/T) = P(T \cap S) / P(T) = 0.087/0.68$

II) Let $2P(X = 1) = 3P(X = 2) = P(X = 3) = 5P(X = 4) = 30P$, therefore $P(X=1) = 15P$, $P(X=2) = 10P$, $P(X = 3) = 30P$, $P(X = 4) = 6P$, but $P(X=1) + P(X=2) + P(X=3) + P(X=4) = 1$, thus $P = 1/61$

X	1	2	3	4
f(X)	15/61	10/61	30/61	6/61

$$E(X) = (1/61)[15 + 20 + 90 + 24] = 149/61$$

$$E(X^2) = (1/61)[15 + 40 + 270 + 96] = 421/61$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = (421/61) - (149/61)^2$$

$$\text{III) } E(\ln x) = \int_1^e \ln x \cdot x \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) dx = \frac{(\ln x)^2}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \quad E(x) = \int_1^e x \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) dx = \int_1^e dx = e - 1$$

$$E(x^2) = \int_1^e x^2 \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) dx = \int_1^e x dx = \frac{x^2}{2} = \frac{e^2 - 1}{2}$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - E(X)^2 = \frac{e^2 - 1}{2} - \frac{2(e^2 - 2e + 1)}{2} = \frac{4e - e^2 - 3}{2}$$

$$\int_1^x \frac{1}{x} dx = 0.5 \Rightarrow \ln x = 0.5 \Rightarrow x = 1.64872 \text{ is the median}$$

$$P(1.5 > x) = \int_1^{1.5} \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln(1.5) = 0.4055$$

$$P(1.2 < x) = \int_{1.2}^e \frac{1}{x} dx = 1 - \ln(1.2) = 0.8177$$

Answer of question 4

I) $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ s.t. $g(x, y, z) = 3x + 2y + z = 24$, therefore $f_x = \lambda g_x \Rightarrow 2x = 3\lambda$ and $f_y = \lambda g_y \Rightarrow 2y = 2\lambda$ and $f_z = \lambda g_z \Rightarrow 2z = \lambda$, thus $(2/3)x = y = 2z$, hence $y = (2/3)x$ and $z = (1/3)x$, but $3x + 2y + z = 24$ and so $3x + 2(2/3)x + (1/3)x = 24 \Rightarrow 14x = 72 \Rightarrow x = 36/7$ and $y = 24/7$ and $z = 12/7$, therefore $(36/7, 24/7, 12/7)$ is the nearest point

$$\text{II) } \frac{\partial}{\partial c} \left[\frac{x^2}{c^2} + \frac{y^2}{(1-c)^2} - 1 = 0 \right] \Rightarrow \frac{-2x^2}{c^3} + \frac{2y^2}{(1-c)^3} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{(1-c)^3}{c^3} = \frac{y^2}{x^2} \Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{\frac{y^2}{x^2} + 1}}$$

The envelope is $\frac{x^2}{\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{\frac{y^2}{x^2} + 1}}\right]^2} + \frac{y^2}{\left(1 - \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{\frac{y^2}{x^2} + 1}}\right]\right)^2} - 1 = 0$