

Partial Differential Equations

Previous year Questions from
2017 to 1992

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2017

2017

1. Solve $(D^2 - 2DD' - D'^2)z = e^{x+2y} + x^3 + \sin 2x$ where $D \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$, $D' \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$, $D^2 \equiv \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$, $D'^2 \equiv \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2}$. **[10 Marks]**
2. Let Γ be a closed curve in xy -plane and let S denote the region bounded by the curve Γ . Let $\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} = f(x, y) \quad \forall (x, y) \in S$. If f is prescribed at each point (x, y) of S and w is prescribed on the boundary Γ of S then prove that any solution $w = w(x, y)$, satisfying these conditions, is unique. **[10 Marks]**
3. Find a complete integral of the partial differential equation $2(pq + yp + qx) + x^2 + y^2 = 0$. **[15 Marks]**
4. Reduce the equation $y^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 2xy \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \frac{y^2}{x} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{x^2}{y} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ to canonical form and hence solve it. **[15 Marks]**
5. Given the one-dimensional wave equation $\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}$; $t > 0$, where $c^2 = \frac{T}{m}$, T the constant tension in the string and m is the mass per unit length of the string.
 - (i) Find the appropriate solution of the wave equation
 - (ii) Find also the solution under the conditions $y(0, t) = 0$, $y(l, t) = 0$ for all t and $\left[\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right]_{t=0} = 0$, $y(x, 0) = a \sin \frac{\pi x}{l}$, $0 < x < l$, $a > 0$. **[20 Marks]**

2016

6. Find the general equation of surfaces orthogonal to the family of spheres given by $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = cz$. **(10 marks)**
7. Find the general integral of the partial differential equation $(y + zx)p - (x + yz)q = x^2 - y^2$ **(10 marks)**
8. Determine the characteristics of the equation $z = p^2 - q^2$ and find the integral surface which passes through the parabola $4z + x^2 = 0$ **(15 marks)**
9. Solve the partial differential equation $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^3} - 2 \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^2 \partial y} + \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x \partial y^2} + 2 \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial y^3} = e^{x+y}$ **(15 marks)**
10. Find the temperature $u(x, t)$ in a bar of silver of length and constant cross section of area 1 cm^2 . Let density $\rho = 10.6 \text{ g/cm}^3$, thermal conductivity $K = 1.04 \text{ / (cm sec}^\circ \text{C)}$ and specific heat $\sigma = 0.056 \text{ / g}^\circ \text{C}$ the bar is perfectly isolated laterally with ends kept at 0°C and initial temperature $f(x) = \sin(0.1\pi x)^\circ \text{C}$ note that $u(x, t)$ follows the heat equation $u_t = c^2 u_{xx}$ where $c^2 = k / (\rho\sigma)$ **(20 marks)**

2015

11. Solve the partial differential equation: $(y^2 + z^2 - x^2)p - 2xyq + 2xz = 0$ where $p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ **(10 Marks)**

12. Solve : $(D^2 + DD' - 2D'^2)u = e^{x+y}$, where $D = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ and $D' = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ (10 Marks)
13. Solve for the general solution $p \cos(x+y) + q \sin(x+y) = z$, where $p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ (15 Marks)
14. Find the solution of the initial-boundary value problem
 $u_t - u_{xx} + u = 0, \quad 0 < x < l, t > 0$
 $u(0, t) = u(l, t) = 0, \quad t \geq 0$
 $u(x, 0) = x(l-x), \quad 0 < x < l$ (15 Marks)
15. Reduce the second-order partial differential equation
 $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - 2xy \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + y^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 0$ into canonical form. Hence, find its general solution (15 Marks)

2014

16. Solve the partial differential equation $(2D^2 - 5DD' + 2D'^2)z = 24(y-x)$ (10 Marks)
17. Reduce the equation $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2}$ to canonical form. (15 Marks)
18. Find the deflection of a vibrating string (length = π , ends fixed, $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$) corresponding to zero initial velocity and initial deflection. $f(x) = k(\sin x - \sin 2x)$ (15 Marks)
19. Solve $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$, $0 < x < 1, t > 0$, given that
 (i) $u(x, 0) = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1;$
 (ii) $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(x, 0) = x^2, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$
 (iii) $u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0$, for all t (15 Marks)

2013

20. From a partial differential equation by eliminating the arbitrary functions f and g from
 $z = yf(x) + xg(y)$ (10 Marks)
21. Reduce the equation $y \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + (x+y) \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + x \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$ to its canonical form when $x \neq y$ (10 Marks)
22. Solve $(D^2 + DD' - 6D'^2)z = x^2 \sin(x+y)$ where D and D' denote $\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ (15 Marks)
23. Find the surface which intersects the surfaces of the system $z(x+y) = C(3z+1)$, (C being a constant) orthogonally and which passes through the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1, z = 1$ (15 Marks)
24. A tightly stretched string with fixed end points $x = 0$ and $x = l$ is initially at rest in equilibrium position. If it is set vibrating by giving each point a velocity $\lambda.x(l-x)$, find the displacement of the string at any distance x from one end at any time t (20 Marks)

2012

25. Solve partial differential equation $(D - 2D')(D - D')^2 z = e^{x+y}$ (12 Marks)
26. Solve partial differential equation $px + qy = 3z$ (20 Marks)
27. A string of length l is fixed at its ends. The string from the mid-point is pulled up to a height k and then released from rest. Find the deflection $y(x, t)$ of the vibrating string. (20 Marks)
28. The edge $r = a$ of a circular plate is kept at temperature $f(\theta)$. The plate is insulated so that there is no loss of heat from either surface. Find the temperature distribution in steady state. (20 Marks)

2011

29. Solve the PDE $(D^2 - D'^2 + D + 3D' - 2)z = e^{(x-y)} - x^2y$ (12 Marks)
30. Solve the PDE $(x + 2z)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + (4zx - y)\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 2x^2 + y$ (12 Marks)
31. Find the surface satisfying $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = 6x + 2$ and touching $z = x^3 + y^3$ along its section by the plane $x + y + 1 = 0$. (20 Marks)
32. Solve $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$, $0 \leq x \leq a$, $0 \leq y \leq b$ satisfying the boundary conditions $u(0, y) = 0$, $u(x, 0) = 0$, $u(x, b) = 0$, $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(a, y) = T \sin^3 \frac{\pi y}{a}$ (20 Marks)
33. Obtain temperature distribution $y(x, t)$ in a uniform bar of unit length whose one end is kept at 10^0 and the other end is insulated. Also it is given that $y(x, 0) = 1 - x$, $0 < x < 1$ (20 Marks)

2010

34. Solve the PDE $(D^2 - D')(D - 2D')Z = e^{2x+y} + xy$ (12 Marks)
35. Find the surface satisfying the PDE $(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)Z = 0$ and the conditions that $bZ = y^2$ when $x = 0$ and $aZ = x^2$ when $y = 0$ (12 Marks)
36. Solve the following partial differential equation $zp + yq = x$
 $x_0(s) = s$, $y_0(s) = 1$, $z_0(s) = 2s$
by the method of characteristics. (20 Marks)
37. Reduce the following 2nd order partial differential equation into canonical form and find its general solution. $xu_{xx} + 2x^2u_{xy} - u_x = 0$ (20 Marks)
38. Solve the following heat equation $u_t - u_{xx} = 0$, $0 < x < 2$, $t > 0$
 $u(0, t) = u(2, t) = 0$ $t > 0$ (20 Marks)
 $u(x, 0) = x(2 - x)$, $0 \leq x \leq 2$

2009

39. Show that the differential equation of all cones which have their vertex at the origin is $px + qy = z$. Verify that this equation is satisfied by the surface $yz + zx + xy = 0$. **(12 Marks)**
40. (i) Form the partial differential equation by elimination the arbitrary function f given by:
 $f(x^2 + y^2, z - xy) = 0$ **(20 Marks)**
- (ii) Find the integral surface of: $x^2p + y^2p + z^2 = 0$ which passes through the curve:
 $xy = x + y, z = 1$ **(20 Marks)**
41. Find the characteristics of: $y^2r - x^2t = 0$ where r and t have their usual meanings. **(15 Marks)**
42. Solve : $(D^2 - DD' - 2D'^2)z = (2x^2 + xy - y^2)\sin xy - \cos xy$ where D and D' represent $\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ **(15 Marks)**
43. A tightly stretched string has its ends fixed at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$. At time $t = 0$, the string is given a shape defined by $f(x) = \mu x(l - x)$, where μ is a constant, and then released. Find the displacement of any point x of the string at time $t > 0$. **(30 Marks)**

2008

44. Find the general solution of the partial differential equation $(2xy - 1)p + (z - 2x^2)q = 2(x - yz)$ and also find the particular solution which passes through the lines $x = 1, y = 0$ **(12 Marks)**
45. Find the general solution of the partial differential equation: $(D^2 + DD' - 6D'^2)z = y \cos x$, where
 $D \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial x}, D' \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ **(12 Marks)**
46. Find the steady state temperature distribution in a thin rectangular plate bounded by the lines $x = 0, x = a, y = 0$ and $y = b$. The edges $x = 0, x = a$ and $y = 0$ are kept at temperature zero while the edge $y = b$ is kept at 100°C . **(30 Marks)**
47. Find complete and singular integrals of $2xz - px^2 - 2qxy + pq = 0$ using Charpit's method. **(15 Marks)**
48. Reduce $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2}$ canonical form. **(15 Marks)**

2007

49. (i) Form a partial differential equation by eliminating the function f from:
 $z = y^2 + 2f\left(\frac{1}{x} + \log y\right)$
- (ii) Solve $2zx - px^2 - 2qxy + pq = 0$ **(6+6=12 Marks)**
50. Transform the equation $yz_x - xz_y = 0$ into one in polar coordinates and thereby show that the solution of the given equation represents surfaces of revolution. **(12 Marks)**
51. Solve $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$ in D where $D = \{(x, y) : 0 < x < a, 0 < y < b\}$ is a rectangle in a plane with the boundary conditions:

$$u(x,0) = 0, \quad u(x,b) = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq a$$

$$u(0,y) = g(y), \quad u_x(a,y) = h(y), \quad 0 \leq y \leq b.$$

(30 Marks)

52. Solve the equation $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ by separation of variables method subject to the conditions:

$$u(0,t) = 0 = u(l,t), \text{ for all } t \text{ and } u(x,0) = f(x) \text{ for all } x \text{ in } [0, l]$$

(30 Marks)

2006

53. Solve : $px(z - 2y^2) = (z - qy)(z - y^2 - 2x^3)$ (12 Marks)

54. Solve : $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^3} - 4 \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^2 \partial y} + 4 \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x \partial y^2} = 2 \sin(3x + 2y)$ (12 Marks)

55. The deflection of vibrating string of length l , is governed by the partial differential equation $u_{tt} = C^2 u_{xx}$. The ends of the string are fixed at and $x = 0$ and l . The initial velocity is zero. The initial displacement is given by $u(x,0) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{l}, & 0 < x < \frac{l}{2} \\ \frac{1}{l}(l-x), & \frac{l}{2} < x < l. \end{cases}$

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Find the deflection of the string at any instant of time.

(30 Marks)

56. Find the surface passing through the parabolas $z = 0, y^2 = 4ax$ and $z = 1, y^2 = -4ax$ and

satisfying the equation $x \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + 2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$ (15 Marks)

57. Solve the equation $p^2x + q^2y = z, p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ (15 Marks)

2005

58. Formulate partial differential equation for surfaces whose tangent planes form a tetrahedron of constant volume with the coordinate planes. (12 Marks)

59. Find the particular integral of $x(y-z)p + y(z-x)q = z(x-y)$ which represents a surface passing through $x = y = z$ (12 Marks)

60. The ends A and B of a rod 20cm long have the temperature at 30°C and 80°C until steady state prevails. The temperatures of ends are changed to 40°C and 60°C respectively. Find the temperature distribution in the rod at time t . (30 Marks)

61. Obtain the general solution of $(D - 3D' - 2)^2 z = 2e^{2x} \sin(y + 3x)$ where $D = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ and $D' = \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ (30 Marks)

2004

62. Find the integral surface of the following partial differential equation :

$$x(y^2 + z)p - y(x^2 + z)q = (x^2 - y^2)z$$

(12 Marks)

63. Find the complete integral of the partial differential equation $(p^2 + q^2)x = pz$ and deduce the solution which passes through the curve $x = 0, z^2 = 4y$. **(12 Marks)**
64. Solve the partial differential equation : $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} - 2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = (y-1)e^x$ **(15 Marks)**
65. A uniform string of length l , held tightly between $x = 0$ and $x = l$ with no initial displacement, is struck at $x = a, 0 < a < l$, with velocity v_0 . Find the displacement of the string at any time $t > 0$ **(30 Marks)**
66. Using Charpit's method, find the complete solution of the partial differential equation $p^2x + q^2y = z$ **(15 Marks)**

2003

67. Find the general solution of $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + 3 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = x + y + \cos(2x + 3y)$ **(12 Marks)**
68. Show that the differential equations of all cones which have their vertex at the origin are $px + qy = z$. Verify that $yz + zx + xy = 0$ is a surface satisfying the above equation. **(12 Marks)**
69. Solve $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} - 3 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + 3 \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = xy + e^{x+2y}$ **(15 Marks)**
70. Solve the equation $p^2 - q^2 - 2px - 2qy + 2xy = 0$ using Charpit's method. Also find the singular solution of the equation, if it exists. **(15 Marks)**
71. Find the deflection $u(x, t)$ of a vibrating string, stretched between fixed points $(0, 0)$ and $(3l, 0)$, corresponding to zero initial velocity and following initial deflection:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{hx}{l} & \text{when } 0 \leq x \leq l \\ \frac{h(3l-2x)}{l} & \text{when } l \leq x \leq 2l \\ \frac{h(x-3l)}{l} & \text{when } 2l \leq x \leq 3l \end{cases}$$

Where h is a constant.

(15 Marks)

2002

72. Find two complete integrals of the partial differential equation $x^2p^2 + y^2q^2 - 4 = 0$ **(12 Marks)**
73. Find the solution of the equation $z = \frac{1}{2}(p^2 + q^2) + (p-x)(q-y)$ **(12 Marks)**
74. Frame the partial differential equation by eliminating the arbitrary constants a and b from $\log(az-1) = x + ay + b$ **(10 Marks)**
75. Find the characteristic strips of the equation $xp + yq - pq = 0$ and then find the equation of the integral surface through the curve $z = \frac{x}{2}, y = 0$ **(20 Marks)**
76. Solve: $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, 0 < x < l, t > 0$
 $u(0, t) = u(l, t) = 0$
 $u(x, 0) = x(l-x), 0 \leq x \leq l$ **(30 Marks)**

2001

77. Find the complete integral partial differential equation $2p^2q^2 + 3x^2y^2 = 8x^2q^2(x^2 + y^2)$ **(12 Marks)**
78. Find the general integral of the equation $\{my(x+y) - nz^2\} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - \{lx(x+y) - nz^2\} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = (lx - my)z$ **(12 Marks)**
79. Prove that for the equation $z + px + qy - 1 - pqx^2y^2 = 0$ the characteristic strips are given by
$$x(t) = \frac{1}{B + Ce^{-t}}, y(t) = \frac{1}{A + De^{-t}}, z(t) = E - (AC + BD)e^{-t}$$
$$p(t) = A(B + Ce^{-t})^2, q(t) = B(A + De^{-t})^2$$
 where A, B, C, D and E are arbitrary constants. Hence find the values of these arbitrary constants if the integral surface passes through the line $z = 0, x = y$ **(30 Marks)**
80. Write down the system of equations for obtaining the general equation of surfaces orthogonal to the family given by $x(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = C_1y^2$ **(10 Marks)**
81. Solve the equation $x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - y^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} + x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = x^2y^4$ by reducing it to the equation with constant coefficients. **(20 Marks)**

2000

82. Solve : $pq = x^m y^n z^{2l}$ **(12 Marks)**
83. Prove that if $x_1^3 + x_2^3 + x_3^3 = 1$ when $z = 0$, the solution of the equation $(S - x_1)p_1 + (S - x_2)p_2 + (S - x_3)p_3 = S - z$ can be given in the form
$$S^3 \{(x_1 - z)^3 + (x_2 - z)^3 + (x_3 - z)^3\}^4 = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 3z)^3$$
 where $S = x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + z$ and
$$p_i = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_i}, i = 1, 2, 3.$$
 (12 Marks)
84. Solve by Charpit's method the equation $p^2x(x-1) + 2pqxy + q^2y(y-1) - 2pxz - 2qyz + z^2 = 0$ **(15 Marks)**
85. Solve : $(D^2 - DD' - 2D'^2)z = 2x + 3y + e^{3x+4y}$. **(15 Marks)**
86. A tightly stretched string with fixed end points $x = 0, x = l$ is initially at rest in equilibrium position. If it is set vibrating by giving each point x of it a velocity $kx(l-x)$, obtain at time t the displacement y at a distance x from the end $x = 0$ **(30 Marks)**

1999

87. Verify that the differential equation $(y^2 + yz)dx + (xz + z^2)dy + (y^2 - xy)dz = 0$ is integrable and find its primitive. **(20 Marks)**
88. Find the surface which intersects the surfaces of the system $z(x+y) = c(3z+1)$, c is constant, orthogonally and which passes through the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 1, z = 1$ **(20 Marks)**

89. Find the characteristics of the equation $pq = z$, and determine the integral surface which passes through the parabola $x = 0, y^2 = z$. **(20 Marks)**
90. Use Charpit's method to find a complete integral to $p^2 + q^2 - 2px - 2qy + 1 = 0$ **(20 Marks)**
91. Find the solution of the equation $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{-x} \cos y$ which $\rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$ and has the value $\cos y$ when $x = 0$ **(20 Marks)**
92. One end of a string ($x = 0$) is fixed, and the point $x = a$ is made to oscillate, so that at time t the displacement is $g(t)$. Show that the displacement $u(x, t)$ of the point x at time t is given by $u(x, t) = f(ct - x) - f(ct + x)$ where f is a function satisfying the relation $f(t + 2a) = f(t) - g\left(\frac{t+a}{c}\right)$ **(20 Marks)**

1998

93. Find the differential equation of the set of all right circular cones whose axes coincide with the z -axis **(20 Marks)**
94. Form the differential equation by eliminating a, b and c from $z = a(x + y) + b(x - y) + abt + c$ **(20 Marks)**
95. Solve $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + w \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = xyz$ **(20 Marks)**
96. Find the integral surface of the linear partial the differential equation $x(y^2 + z) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} - y(x^2 + z) \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = (x^2 - y^2)z$ through the straight line $x + y = 0, z = 1$ **(20 Marks)**
97. Use Charpit's method to find a complete integral of $2x \left[\left(z \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)^2 + 1 \right] = z \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ **(20 Marks)**
98. Find a real function $V(x, y)$, which reduces to zero when $y = 0$ and satisfies the equation $\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} = -4\pi(x^2 + y^2)$ **(20 Marks)**
99. Apply Jacobi's method to find a complete integral of the equation $2x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_1} x_1 x_3 + 3 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_2} x_3^2 + x \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x_2} \right)^2 x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_3} = 0$ **(20 Marks)**

1997

100. (i) Find the differential equation of all surfaces of revolution having z -axis as the axis of rotation.
 (ii) Form the differential equation by eliminating a and b from $z = (x^2 + a)(y^2 + b)$ **(10+10=20 Marks)**
101. Find the equation of surfaces satisfying $4yzp + q + 2y = 0$ and passing through $y^2 + z^2 = 1, x + z = 2$ **(20 Marks)**
102. Solve : $(y + z)p + (z + x)q = x + y$ **(20 Marks)**
103. Use Charpit's method to find complete integral of $z^2(p^2 z^2 + q^2) = 1$ **(20 Marks)**
104. Solve : $(D_x^3 - D_y^3)z = x^3 y^3$ **(20 Marks)**

105. Apply Jacobi's method to find complete integral of $p_1^3 + p_2^2 + p_3 = 1$. Here

$$p_1 = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_1}, p_2 = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_2}, p_3 = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_3} \text{ and } z \text{ is a function of } x_1, x_2, x_3.$$

(20 Marks)

1996

106. (i) differential equation of all spheres of radius λ having their center in xy -plane

(ii) Form differential equation by eliminating f and g from $z = f(x^2 - y) + g(x^2 + y)$

(10+10=20 Marks)

107. Solve : $z^2(p^2 + q^2 + 1) = C^2$

(20 Marks)

108. Find the integral surface of the equation $(x - y)y^2p + (y - x)x^2q = (x^2 + y^2)z$ passing through the curve $xz = a^3, y = 0$

(20 Marks)

109. Apply Charpit's method to find the complete integral of $z = px + ay + p^2 + q^2$

(20 Marks)

110. Solve : $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \cos mx \cos ny$

(20 Marks)

111. Find a surface passing through the lines $z = x = 0$ and $z - 1 = x - y = 0$ satisfying

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 4 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 4 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

(20 Marks)

1995

112. In the context of a partial differential equation of the first order in three independent variables, define and illustrate the terms:

(i) The complete integral

(ii) The singular integral

(20 Marks)

113. Find the general integral of $(y + z + w) \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + (z + x + w) \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + (x + y + w) \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = x + y + z$

(20 Marks)

114. Obtain the differential equation of the surfaces which are the envelopes of a one-parameter family of planes.

(20 Marks)

115. Explain in detail the Charpit's method of solving the nonlinear partial differential equation

$$f\left(x, y, z, \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right) = 0$$

(20 Marks)

116. Solve $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x_1} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_2} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x_3} = z^3 x_1 x_2 x_3$

(20 Marks)

117. Solve $(D_x^3 - 7D_x D_y^2 - 6D_y^3)z = \sin(x + 2y) + e^{3x+y}$

(20 Marks)

1994

118. Find the differential equation of the family of all cones with vertex at $(2, -3, 1)$

(20 Marks)

119. Find the integral surface of $x^2 p + y^2 q + z^2 = 0, p \equiv \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, q \equiv \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$ which passes through the hyperbola

$$xy = x + y, z = 1$$

(20 Marks)

120. Obtain a Complete Solution of $pq = x^m y^n z^{2l}$ (20 Marks)
121. Use the Charpit's method to solve $16p^2z^2 + 9q^2z^2 + 4z^2 - 4 = 0$. Interpret geometrically the complete solution and mention the singular solution. (20 Marks)
122. Solve $(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = x + y$, by expanding the particular integral in ascending powers of D , as well as in ascending powers of D' . (20 Marks)
123. Find a surface satisfying $(D^2 + DD')z = 0$ and touching the elliptic paraboloid $z = 4x^2 + y^2$ along its section by the plane $y = 2x + 1$. (20 Marks)

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124. Find the surface whose tangent planes cut off an intercept of constant length R from the axis of z . (20 Marks)
125. Solve $(x^3 + 3xy^2)p + (y^3 + 3x^2y)q = 2(x^2 + y^2)z$ (20 Marks)
126. Find the integral surface of the partial differential equation $(x - y)p + (y - x - z)q = z$ through the circle $z = 1, x^2 + y^2 = 1$ (20 Marks)
127. Using Charpit's method find the complete integral of $2xz - px^2 - 2qxy + pq = 0$ (20 Marks)
128. Solve $r - s + 2q - z = x^2y^2$ (20 Marks)
129. Find the general solution of $x^2r - y^2t + xp - yq = \log x$ (20 Marks)

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130. Solve:
 $(2x^2 - y^2 + z^2 - 2yz - zx - xy)p + (x^2 + 2y^2 + z^2 - yz - 2zx - xy)q = (x^2 + y^2 + 2z^2 - yz - zx - 2xy)$ (20 Marks)
131. Find the complete integral of $(y - x)(qy - px) = (p - q)^2$ (20 Marks)
132. Use Charpit's method to solve $px + qy = z\sqrt{1 + pq}$ (20 Marks)
133. Find the surface passing through the parabolas $z = 0, y^2 = 4ax; z = 1, y^2 = -4ax$ and satisfying the differential equation $xr + 2p = 0$ (20 Marks)
134. Solve : $r + s - 6t = y \cos x$ (20 Marks)
135. Solve: $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} - z = \cos(x + 2y) + e^y$ (20 Marks)