

IV B.Tech. II Semester Supplementary Examinations, July -2005
COMPUTER APPLICATIONS IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
(Chemical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours**Max Marks: 80**

Answer any FIVE Questions
All Questions carry equal marks

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1. Solve the following differential equation by Runge-Kutta 4th order method: $dy/dx = x^2y^2 - xy$ with $y = 1$ at $x = 0$ and $h = 0.1$ in the range $0 \leq x \leq 1$.
2. Solve the following equations using Cramer's rule: $x+3y+6z = 2$; $3x-y+4z = 9$; $x-4y+2z = 7$.
3. Solve the following equation by matrix inversion method $x + y + 2z = 4$, $2x - y + 3z = 9$, $3x - y - z = 2$
4. Determine the two smallest roots of the following equation $F(x) = x \cos x + \cos x = 0$ and correct to 3 significant digits using false position method.
5. For the reaction $CO_2(g) + 4H_2(g) \rightarrow 2H_2O(g) + CH_4(g)$ the standard heat of reaction can be expressed as $\Delta H_T^0 = \Delta H' + \Delta\alpha T + (\Delta\beta/2)T^2 + (\Delta\gamma/3)T^3$; $\Delta H' = -148345$ J; $\Delta\alpha = -62.54$; $\Delta\beta = 46.3510^{-3}$; $\Delta\gamma = -7.21 \times 10^{-6}$. Find the relevant temperature at which standard heat of reaction is equal to -183950J using iterative method.
6. The specific heat of the Hexane was measured at various temperatures during the heating and given in the following table

Temp(T),K	298	350	400	450	500	550
Cp/R	16.24	18.229	20.07	21.84	23.53	25.14

If the relationship between specific heat and temperature is of the form: $C_p/R = A + BT + CT^2 + DT^3$
 Estimate the coefficients using polynomial regression. What is the value of specific heat at 700K.

7. a) Describe the Newton-Raphson method of solving a single variable function.
 b) Find the root of the following equation by Newton-Raphson method. $x^3 - 5x^2 + 4x - 3 = 0$
8. a) Compare the Fibonacci method and modified Fibonacci method by computing the number of experiments required to get an accuracy of $\alpha \leq 0.01$.
 b) Find the effectiveness of Fibonacci method and modified Fibonacci method when the number of experiments is 10.

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1. Solve the differential equation : $dy/dx = -x^2 + y^2$, $y = 2$ at $x = 0$, by modified Euler's method and obtain y at $x = 0.2$ in two stages of 0.1 each.
2. Solve by Cramer's rule, the equations: $2x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3 = 1$, $-x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 2$, $x_1 + x_3 + x_2 = 0$.
3. Solve the following equation by matrix inversion method $2x + 3y + 2z = 9$, $x + 2y + 3z = 6$, $3x + y + 2z = 8$.
4. Find the three roots of the equation $x^3 - 4x + 1 = 0$ to 3 significant digits using Newton-Raphson method.
5. For the reaction $CO_2(g) + 4H_2(g) \rightarrow 2H_2O(g) + CH_4(g)$ the standard heat of reaction can be expressed as $\Delta H_T^0 = \Delta H^\circ + \Delta\alpha T + (\Delta\beta/2)T^2 + (\Delta\gamma/3)T^3$; $\Delta H^\circ = -148345$ j; $\Delta\alpha = -62.54$; $\Delta\beta = 46.3510^{-3}$; $\Delta\gamma = -7.21 \times 10^{-6}$. Find the relevant temperature at which standard heat of reaction is equal to -183950j using iterative method.
6. A new microorganism has been discovered which at each cell division yields three daughter cells. The growth rate data during the batch cultivation is given below

Time(t),h	0	.5	1	1.5	2.0
Dry Wt(X),g/l	0.1	0.15	0.23	0.34	0.51

Fit the above data using least square regression in the exponential growth model $x = a.e^{bt}$ where a and b are constants.

7. a) Describe the Newton-Raphson method of solving a single variable function.
 b) Find the root of the following equation by Newton-Raphson method. $x^3 - 5x^2 + 4x - 3 = 0$
8. Minimize the function $f(x) = x^2 - x$ by golden section search for 6 iterations using starting value and step size of x as 3.0 and 0.1 respectively.

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1. Give the algorithm for the solution of differential equation of the form $dy/dx = f(x,y)$ using Euler's method.
2. In a given electrical network, the equations for the currents i_1, i_2, i_3 are $3i_1 + i_2 + i_3 = 8$; $2i_1 - 3i_2 - 2i_3 = -5$; $7i_1 + 2i_2 - 5i_3 = 0$. Calculate i_1 and i_3 by Cramers rule
3. Solve by Gauss elimination method $2x + y + z = 10$, $3x + 2y + 3z = 18$, $x + 4y + 9z = 16$.
4. Find the negative root of the equation $x^3 - 21x + 3500 = 0$ correct to 2 decimal places by Newton-raphson method and also develop a computer algorithm.
5. Ethane gas is processed at 7.3 Mpa and 423 K (150°C) if following Beattie- Bridge-man equation of state $P = [RT(1-\epsilon)/v^2](v + B) - A/v^2$ where $A = A_0(1 - a/v)$; $B = B_0(1 - b/v)$; $\epsilon = C/vT^3$ Data: For ethane: $A_0 = 0.588 \text{ Mpa}(m^3)^2/(\text{kmol})^2$, $B_0 = 0.094 \text{ m}^3/\text{kmol}$, $a = 0.05861 \text{ m}^3/\text{kmol}$, $b = 0.01915 \text{ m}^3/\text{kmol}$ and $C = 90 \times 10^4 \text{ m}^3(\text{K})^2/\text{kmol}$. Find the molar volume of the ethane gas at the conditions using iterative method.
6. During the protein estimation by the Lowrys method using spectrophotometer the following data were obtained

mg of protein(X)	0	1	3	4	6	8	9	11
Absorbancy (y)	0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8

Use the least square regression to fit a straight line to the above data.

7. a) Given the function $f(x) = (x^2 + 2)/x$, find the stationary points and test them for maxima and minima.
 b) Find the root of the following equation by Regula-Falsi method: $x^3 - 2x - 5 = 0$
8. a) Determine the number of experiments required to locate the final region with in 1 % of the original search region by Fibonacci and preplanned regular intervals search methods.
 b) Find the effectiveness of Fibonacci and preplanned regular intervals methods when the number of experiments is 6.

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 $h = 0.1$ for $0 \leq x \leq 0.5$.
2. Solve the following equations using Cramer's rule: $x+y+z = 3$; $x+2y+3z = 4$;
 $x+4y+9z = 6$.
3. Write a computational procedure and to solve the following equation by matrix
inversion method $2x - 3y + z = -1$, $x + 4y + 5z = 25$, $3x - 4y + z = 2$.
4. a) Find the roots of $X^2 - 25 = 0$ numerically using Regula-falsi method. b) Write
the computational procedure to evaluate the roots of the equation.
5. Hydrolysis of rice bran oil was conducted using immobilized lipase enzyme in a
packed bed reactor. Due to the formation of external film around the immobi-
lized solid particle, substrate diffuses through the film to the solid surface and
then getting reacted. The rate of transfer of substrate through the film can be
expressed as $K_{la}(S_0-S)$. The rate of reaction at the solid surface can be ex-
pressed using Michaelis-Menten kinetics $V = V_{max} \cdot S / (k_m + s)$. Find the substrate
concentration at the solid-liquid interface, when the rate of transfer of substrate
balances the reaction rate. Use the Iterative method. Data: Mass transfer coeffi-
cient (K_{La}) = 0.08 min^{-1} , Apparent Michaelis constants, $V_{max} = 0.02 \text{ gmol/lit.min}$,
 $K_m = 0.2 \text{ gmol/lit}$ and Initial substrate concentration (S_0) = 0.4 gmol/lit
6. For the following data for y measured for a set of values of x plot y vs x. From the
plot guess the nature of the curve to be fitted. Using least squares method fit the
curve.

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
y	7.6	13.2	27.4	33.0	62.5	86.4	115.1	147.0	182.2
7. a) Give mathematical definitions and show the shape of curves for convex, concave
and convex-concave functions.
b) Express mathematically which of these functions are convex, concave and convex-
concave : (i) $f(x) = 2x^2$ (ii) $f(x) = -2x^2$ (iii) $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2$
8. Minimize $y = (2x - 9)^2$
 $0 < x < 10$ for 6 Fibonacci experiments.

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