

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)**

**CLASS: BSC
BRANCH: Maths & Comp**

**SEMESTER : I
SESSION : MO/2025**

SUBJECT: MA25111 ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

TIME: 3 Hours

FULL MARKS: 50

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 10 marks and total 50 marks.
 2. Attempt all questions.
 3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
 4. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
 5. Tables/Data hand book/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.
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Q.1(a) Solve the following differential equation: $(y \sin 2x)dx - (1 + y^2 + \cos^2 x)dy = 0$	[5]	1	1
Q.1(b) Find general of the following differential equation: $y = 2px + p^2$	[5]	1	1
Q.2(a) Show that the functions x and xe^x are linearly independent. Hence, set up the differential equation having them as its independent solutions.	[5]	2	2
Q.2(b) Solve the following differential equation: $y''' - y = x^2 + \cos x + e^x$	[5]	2	2
Q.3(a) Solve the simultaneous differential equations: $\frac{dx}{dt} + x - y = e^t; \quad \frac{dy}{dt} - x + y = e^t$	[5]	3	2
Q.3(b) Verify that $x(y^2 - 1) dx + y(x^2 - z^2) dy - z(y^2 - 1) dz = 0$ is integrable. Then solve the differential equation.	[5]	3	2
Q.4(a) Find the power series solution of the equation: $(x^2 + 1)y'' + xy' - xy = 0$ about $x = 0$.	[5]	4	1
Q.4(b) Express $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x - 3$ in terms of Legendre polynomials.	[5]	4	2
Q.5(a) Apply Picard's method to solve the following initial value problem upto third approximation: $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x + y^2, \quad y(0) = 1$	[5]	5	2
Q.5(b) Find the eigenvalues and the corresponding eigenfunctions of the following Sturm-Liouville problem: $y''(x) + \lambda y(x) = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq L, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(L) = 0$.	[5]	5	2

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