## BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI (MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION SP/2023)

CLASS: BTECH SEMESTER: IV BRANCH: CHEM. ENGG, EEE AND MECH. ENGG SESSION: SP2023

**SUBJECT: MA308 DIFFERENCE EQUATIONS** 

TIME: 02 Hours FULL MARKS: 25

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
- 2. Attempt all questions.
- 3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
- 4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates

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Q.1(a) Q.1(b)	Derive a difference equation from $y_{k+1} {=} c_1 2^k {+} c_2 5^k$ Derive $\Delta^n(x_k y_k)$	[2] [3]	CO CO1	BL 1.10
Q.2	Evaluate $\Delta^n(x_k)$	[5]	CO1	1.10
Q.3	Find the solution of $y_{k+1}$ - $\beta y_k$ = $\alpha$	[5]	CO2	1.12, 1.20
Q.4	Describe the geometrical methods to solve a general first or nonlinear difference equation.	[5]	CO1, CO2, CO3	1.10,1.11, 1.12,1.20, 1.21,1.24, 1.25 and 1.26
Q.5	Show that the functions $3^k$ , $k3^k$ and $k^23^k$ are linearly independent.	[5]	CO1, CO2, CO3	1.10,1.11, 1.12,1.20, 1.21,1.24, 1.25 and 1.26

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