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B. Tech (Fourth Semester – Regular/Supplementary) Examinations, April 2026
23BCHPC24004 – Numerical Methods in Chemical Engineering
(Chemical Engineering)

Time: 3 hrs

Maximum: 60 Marks

Answer ALL questions
(The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks)

PART – A**(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)**Q.1. Answer **ALL** questions

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| a. Write a formula for the Newton–Raphson method | CO1 | K1 |
| b. Explain about piecewise linear interpolation | CO2 | K2 |
| c. What is the Romberg integration method? | CO3 | K1 |
| d. What are the Advantages of multistep methods? | CO4 | K1 |
| e. Explain parabolic partial differential equation with one example | CO5 | K1 |

PART – B**(10 x 5 = 50 Marks)**Answer **ALL** the questions

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| 2. a. Find a real root of $x^3 + x - 5 = 0$, correct up to four decimals by Bisection method for five iterations. | 5 | CO1 | K3 |
| b. Find a real root of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$, by Fixed Point Iteration Method . | 5 | CO1 | K3 |
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| c. Solve the system
$x+y+2z=4$
$2x-y+3z=9$
$3x-y-z=2$ by LU decomposition method | 10 | CO1 | K3 |
| 3.a. Using the following data, Estimate the value of $f(1.5)$ & $f(0.5)$ by Hermite Interpolation. | 10 | CO2 | K3 |

x	f(x)	f'(x)
0	4	-5
1	-6	-14
2	-22	-17

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| b Obtain the Piecewise Linear Interpolation for the function $f(x)$. Also find $f(7)$. | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
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x	1	2	4	8
y=f(x)	3	7	21	73

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| c. Find the Lagrange's Quadratic Interpolating polynomial for the data, | 5 | CO2 | K3 |
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x	0	1	3
y	1	3	5.5

- 4.a. Find $f'(0)$ from the following data by using Richardson's extrapolation. 10 CO2 K3

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
f(x)	-5	-2	7	34	91	190	343	562	859

(OR)

- b. Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{1-x}{1+x}$, by Trapezoidal rule with 10 number of intervals. 5 CO3 K3
- c. Find the Jacobian Matrix for the following system of the equations. 5 CO3 K3
 $F_1(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - x = 0$ & $F_2(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 - y = 0$ at point (2,2) with $h=k=1$
- 5.a. Find $y(0.4)$ by Improved Euler's method given $y' = (x+y)$ and $y(0) = 1$. 5 CO4 K3
- b. Estimate $y(0.4)$ for the initial value problem $y' = -2xy^2$ & $y(0) = 1$. by Adams bash- forth method of order 4. 5 CO4 K3

(OR)

- c. Estimate $y(0.4)$ for the initial value problem $y' = -2xy^2$ & $y(0) = 1$ by Adams bash- forth predictor –corrector formula 5 CO4 K3
- d. Find $y(0.4)$ and $y(0.5)$ by Milne-Simpson Formula. given $y' = xy + y^2$ and $y(0) = 1$ 5 CO4 K3
- 6.a. Solve $U_{xx} = U_t$ given $U(0, t) = 0$ & $U(1, t) = t$ & $U(x, 0) = \sin \pi x$ by Bender-Schmidt formula, find the values of U up to $t=5$. assume $h=k=1$ 5 CO6 K3
- b. Explain about the Method of solution for Laplace Equation. 5 CO5 K3

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- c. Solve the equation $U_{xx} = U_t$ subject to $U(x, 0) = 0$, $U(0, t) = 0$ & $U(1, t) = t$ for one -time step, with $h=1$ by Crank –Nicholson Method. 5 CO5 K3
- d. Solve $4U_{xx} = Utt$. given $U(0, t) = 0$; $U(4, t) = 0$ with initial condition $U(x, 0) = x(4-x)$ and $U_t(x, 0) = 0$; find the values of u for five steps in t . 5 CO6 K3

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