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**MAT 222 – Differential Equations II**  
***[Persamaan Pembezaan II]***

Duration : 3 hours  
*[Masa : 3 jam]*

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**Instructions:** Answer **all five** [5] questions.

**Arahan:** Jawab **semua lima** [5] soalan.]

In the event of any discrepancies, the English version shall be used.

*[Sekiranya terdapat sebarang percanggahan pada soalan peperiksaan, versi Bahasa Inggeris hendaklah diguna pakai].*

1. (a) Consider the nonlinear system

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= x^2 + 1 \\y'(t) &= x(y - 1)\end{aligned}$$

- (i) Find the x-nullcline and the y-nullcline  
(ii) Find the fixed point.
- (b) Let  $\alpha$  be a real constant. Given the system

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= y \\y'(t) &= \alpha x - 2y\end{aligned}$$

- (i) what is the characteristic polynomial of the coefficient matrix for the system  
(ii) compute its eigenvalues and eigenvectors (the answer depends on  $\alpha$ , hence the need to break the answer into cases)  
(iii) write down the general solution of the system.
- (c) Explain what is meant when we say the trajectories in the neighbourhood of an equilibrium point is structurally stable.

[100 marks]

1. (a) *Pertimbangkan sistem tak linear berikut*

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= x^2 + 1 \\y'(t) &= x(y - 1)\end{aligned}$$

- (i) *Carikan nullcline-x dan nullcline-y*  
(ii) *Dapatkan titik tetap.*
- (b) *Andaikan  $\alpha$  satu pemalar nyata. Diberi sistem*

$$\begin{aligned}x'(t) &= y \\y'(t) &= \alpha x - 2y\end{aligned}$$

- (i) *apakah polinom cirian bagi matriks pekali untuk sistem*  
(ii) *hitungkan nilai eigen dan vektor eigen (jawapan bergantung kepada  $\alpha$ , maka perlu untuk bahagikan jawapan kepada kes)*  
(iii) *tuliskan penyelesaian am bagi sistem.*
- (c) *Terangkan apa yang dimaksudkan apabila kita mengatakan trajektori dalam kawasan ke jiranan titik keseimbangan stabil secara berstruktur.*

[100 markah]

2. (a) Find the solutions of the following system

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = F(x, y) = x^3 - x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = G(x, y) = -2y$$

- (i) Find the critical points
  - (ii) Are these points stable?
  - (iii) Give a rough sketch of the phase portrait
- (b) In a linearised system, the eigenvalues at a critical point are pure imaginary
- (i) Describe the trajectories around the critical point
  - (ii) If the parameters (constants) in the system are slightly perturbed, what are the effects on the trajectories?
- (c) What is the difference between an autonomous and a non-autonomous system? Give an example of each.

[100 marks]

2. (a) *Cari penyelesaian untuk sistem berikut*

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = F(x, y) = x^3 - x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = G(x, y) = -2y$$

- (i) *Carikan titik kritikal*
  - (ii) *Adakah titik-titik ini stabil ?*
  - (iii) *Berikan lakaran kasar potret fasa*
- (b) *Dalam satu sistem terlinear, nilai eigen pada satu titik kritikal adalah nombor khayalan*
- (i) *Perihalkan trajektori-trajektori di sekitar titik kritikal*
  - (ii) *Jika parameter (pemalar) dalam sistem diusik, apakah kesan keatas trajektori?*
- (c) *Apakah perbezaan di antara sistem otonomi dan sistem bukan otonomi? Berikan contoh bagi setiap satu.*

[100 markah]

3. (a) (i) What is an isocline?  
(ii) Given a system

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x}, \quad x \in [-2, 2], \quad y \in [-2, 2]$$

sketch a direction field.

- (b) (i) What is a periodic function?  
(ii) Given a periodic function  $f(x)$ , with period  $P$ , it can be represented by a Fourier series

$$f(x) \sim \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos(nx) + b_n \sin(nx))$$

Find formulae for  $a_0$ ,  $a_n$  and  $b_n$ .

- (c) A function  $f(x)$  is defined as

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & -\pi \leq x \leq 0 \\ 1, & 0 < x < \pi \end{cases}$$

- (i) Find a Fourier representation of the function  
(ii) Under what theoretical condition will the given function equals the Fourier representation?

[100 marks]

3. (a) (i) *Apakah yang dimaksudkan dengan secerun?*  
(ii) *Diberi sistem*

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x}, \quad x \in [-2, 2], \quad y \in [-2, 2]$$

*Lakarkan medan arah.*

- (b) (i) *Apakah yang dimaksudkan dengan fungsi berkala?*  
(ii) *Diberi fungsi  $f$  berkala ( $x$ ), dengan kala  $P$ , ianya boleh diwakili oleh siri Fourier*

$$f(x) \sim \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos(nx) + b_n \sin(nx))$$

*Cari formula untuk  $a_0$ ,  $a_n$  dan  $b_n$ .*

- (c) *Satu fungsi  $f(x)$  ditakrifkan sebagai*

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & -\pi \leq x \leq 0 \\ 1, & 0 < x < \pi \end{cases}$$

- (i) *Cari perwakilan Fourier untuk fungsi*  
(ii) *Apakah keadaan teoretis agar fungsi yang diberikan sama dengan perwakilan Fourier?*

[100 markah]

4. (a) The Sturm Liouville operator is defined as

$$L = \frac{d}{dx} p(x) \frac{d}{dx} + q(x)$$

Give a description of the Sturm-Liouville eigenvalue problem

- (b) Given the following differential equation

$$a_2(x) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x) y = f(x),$$

put it into Sturm-Liouville form.

- (c) Consider the following boundary value problem

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( x \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{x}, \quad x \in [1, b]$$
$$y(1) = 0 = y(b)$$

Write down the solution in terms of the generalised Fourier series expansion.

[100 mark]

4. (a) *Operator Sturm Liouville ditakrifkan sebagai*

$$L = \frac{d}{dx} p(x) \frac{d}{dx} + q(x)$$

*Berikan satu perihalan mengenai masalah nilai eigen Sturm-Liouville*

- (b) *Diberi persamaan pembezaan berikut*

$$a_2(x) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x) y = f(x),$$

*letakannya ke dalam bentuk Sturm-Liouville.*

- (c) *Pertimbangkan masalah nilai sempadan berikut*

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left( x \frac{dy}{dx} \right) + \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{x}, \quad x \in [1, b]$$
$$y(1) = 0 = y(b)$$

*Tuliskan penyelesaian dalam sebutan kembangan siri Fourier am.*

[100 markah]

5. A partial differential equation problem can be written as

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial t}u(x,t) &= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}u(x,t), & 0 < x < l \\ u(x,0) &= x - x^2 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0,t) &= 0, u(l,t) = 0\end{aligned}$$

- (i) Evaluate the eigenvalues
- (ii) Find the corresponding orthonormalised eigenfunctions
- (iii) Find the general solution.

[100 marks]

5. Satu masalah persamaan pembezaan separa boleh ditulis sebagai.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial t}u(x,t) &= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}u(x,t), & 0 < x < l \\ u(x,0) &= x - x^2 \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0,t) &= 0, u(l,t) = 0\end{aligned}$$

- (i) Dapatkan nilai eigen
- (ii) Dapatkan fungsi eigen pengortonormalan yang sepadan
- (iii) Cari penyelesaian am.

[100 markah]