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$$\text{and } \frac{d}{dx} [x^{-p} J_p(x)] = -x^{-p} J_{p+1}(x).$$

13. (a) Show that the equation :

$$x_p - y_q = x$$

$$\text{and } x^2 p + q = xz$$

are compatible and find their solution.

(b) Using Jacobi's method, find complete integral of the equation $p^2 x + q^2 y = z$.

14. (a) Find the solution of the equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = x - y.$$

(b) Obtain the solution, valid when $x, y > 0, xy > 1$ of the equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{1}{x + y} \text{ such that}$$

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PART - A (8 × 5 = 40)

Answer any EIGHT questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Show that $y = C_1 e^{2x} + C_2 x e^{2x}$ is the general solution of $y'' - 4y' + 4y = 0$ on any interval. Find also the particular solution for which $y(0) = 2$ and $y'(0) = 2$.

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- 2. Find the general solution of $y'' + xy' + y = 0$ in terms of power series in x .
- 3. Prove that :

$$\frac{d}{dx} (J_0(x)) = -J_1(x)$$

and $\frac{d}{dx} (xJ_1(x)) = xJ_0(x)$.

- 4. Using Gamma function, prove that :

$$(n + \frac{1}{2})! = \frac{(2n + 1)!}{2^{2n+1} \cdot n!} \sqrt{\pi}$$

- 5. Find the general integrals of the partial differential equation $Z(xp - yq) = y^2 - x^2$.
- 6. Find the equation of the system of surfaces which cut orthogonally the cones of the system

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = cxy.$$

- 7. If $u = f(x + iy) + g(x - iy)$ where f and g are arbitrary, show that

$$\frac{\delta^2 u}{\delta x^2} + \frac{\delta^2 u}{\delta y^2} = 0.$$

- 8. Find particular integral of $(D^2 - D')Z = 2y - x^2$.

- 9. A gas is contained in a rigid sphere of radius a . Show that if C is the velocity of sound in the gas, the frequencies of purely radical oscillations are

$$\frac{c z_i}{a} \text{ when } z_1, z_2, \dots$$

are positive roots of the equation $\tan z = z$.

- 10. Derive the D'Alembert's solution of the one dimensional wave equation.

PART - B (3 × 20 = 60)

Answer any THREE questions.

Each question carries equal marks.

- 11. (a) Find the particular solution of $y'' + y = \sec x$.
- (b) For the differential equation

$$2x^2y'' + x(2x+1)y' - y = 0.$$

locate and classify its singular points in x axis.

- 12. (a) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$x(1-x)y'' + \left(\frac{3}{2} - 2x\right)y' + 2y = 0$$

near the singular point $x = 0$.

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