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DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
2023_2 EXAMINATIONS_

Course Code: MTH 307

Course Title: Numerical Analysis II

Credit Unit: 3

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Instruction: Answer Question Number One and Any Other Four Questions

- 1a. Define Polynomial and Polynomial equation. (3 marks)
- b. What is the degree of the polynomial involved in these equations:
i. $(5x^2 + 4)(x - 9)$ ii. $(3x^5 + 7x)(1/x + x)$ (4 marks)
- c. Find the Cubic approximation to e^x by using Chebyshev polynomial. (8 marks)
- d. Calculate a linear least square approximation to $f(x)$, if $f(x) = e^x$ on interval $[-1, 1]$. (7 marks)

- 2a. Define $P_n(x)$ by RODRIGUE'S formula and state the three properties of $P_n(x)$. (4 marks)
- b. Prove the orthogonality of Chebyshev polynomial with respect to weight function $w(x) = (1 - x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ where

$$\int_{x_0=-1}^{x_1=1} T_n(x)T_m(x)w(x)dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ \frac{\pi}{2}, & m = n \neq 0 \\ \pi, & m = n = 0 \end{cases} \quad (8 \text{ marks})$$

- 3a. If $f(x)$ be a continuous function for $a \leq x \leq b$, then $C[a, b]$ the set of all continuous real valued function in the interval $[a, b]$, State the infinite or Chebyshev norm and its properties.

(5 marks)

- b. Construct the cubic Spline Interpolant to $f(x) = x$ with knots $-1, 0, 1$ subject to clamped boundary conditions. (7 marks)