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**FACULTY OF SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS**  
2023\_1 POP EXAMINATION.

**Course Code:** MTH 302  
**Course Title:** Elementary Differential Equations II  
**Credit Unit:** 3  
**Time allowed:** 3 Hours  
**Instruction:** Answer Question One and Any Other Three our Questions

1(a) Define the following terms

- (i) Power series (2 marks)
- (ii) Radius of convergence (2 marks)
- (iii) Ordinary points (2 marks)
- (iv) Singular points (2 marks)

(b) Solve the equation  $y'' + 4y = 0$  near the ordinary point  $x = 0$  (10 marks)

(c) By using change of variable  $x = e^z$  and  $x > 0$ , obtain solution of the equation

$$x^2 y'' + \alpha x y' + \beta y = 0 \quad (7 \text{ marks})$$

2(a) Find the series solution of the equation

$$2xy'' + (1 + x)y' - 2y = 0 \quad (8 \text{ marks})$$

(b) Solve the equation  $y'' + (x - 1)y' - 4(x - 1) = 0$  about the ordinary point  $x = 1$  (7 marks)

3(a) Define the following terms

- (i) Even function
- (ii) Odd function

(b) Classify of the following functions into even, odd or neither

- (i)  $x \sin nx$  (1 mark)
- (ii)  $x \sin x \cos 4x$  (1 mark)
- (iii)  $(2x + 3) \sin 4x$  (1 mark)
- (iv)  $\sin^2 x \cos 3x$
- (v)  $x^3 e^x$  (1 mark)

(b) Determine the Fourier series representation of  $f(x) = x^2$

in the interval  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ .

**(10 marks)**

4(a). Determine the Fourier series of a function  $f(x)$  defined on the interval  $-L \leq X \leq L$  **(5 marks)**

(b). Obtain the Fourier series representation of function  $f(x) = x + 1$  for  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$  **(10 marks)**

5(a). Define the orthogonality conditions of the set of functions  $f_0(x), f_1(x), f_2(x), \dots, f_n(x)$

with respect to a weight function  $w(x)$ .

**(2 marks)**

(b). Determine the Eigen values and Eigen functions of the system.

$$u'' + \lambda u = 0, u(0) = 0, u(\pi) = 0$$

**(6 marks)**

(c). Prove that Eigen functions of the equation are orthogonal in  $[0, \pi]$ . **(4 marks)**

6(a). Determine for what values of  $x$  the series  $\sum_r a_r (x - x_0)^r$

(i) converges

**(2 1/2 marks)**

(ii) diverges

**(2 1/2 marks)**

6(b). Solve the differential equation  $y'' + y = 0$  near an ordinary point  $x = 0$  **(7 marks)**