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PH-331: Mathematical Method in Physics - II (2013 Pattern) (Semester - III) (Paper - I)

Time: 2 Hours] [Max. Marks: 40

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Use of log table and calculator is allowed.
- **Q1)** Attempt all of the following: (One mark each)

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- a) Write generating function for Hermite polynomials.
- b) State the postulate of special theory of relativity.
- c) State Fuch's theorem.
- d) State degree of differential equations.
- e) Define orthogonal co-ordinate system.
- f) Define Metric coefficients.
- g) What is length contraction?
- h) What is partial differential equation? Give one example.
- i) What is co-ordinate system.
- j) State order and degree of differential equation $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + \frac{\sqrt{d^2y}}{dx^2} + x = 0$
- **Q2)** Attempt any two of the following: (5 Mark each) [10]
 - a) Prove that $J_{n+1}(x) + J_{n-1}(x) = \frac{2n}{x} J_n(x)$.
 - b) Derive an expression for length contraction on the basis of lorent'z transformation equation.
 - c) Find the element of are length and volume element in cylindrical coordinates.

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Q3) Attempt any two of the following: (5 Mark each)

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- a) Show that the point x=0 is a regular singular point of the Bessel differential equation $x^2y''+xy'+(x^2-n^2)y=0$.
- b) Prove that the spherical polar co-ordinate system is orthogonal.
- c) Show that the point $x=\infty$ is a regular singular point of the Legendre's differential equation $(1-x^2)y''-2xy'+l(l+1)=0$.
- **Q4)** a) Attempt any one of the following:

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- i) Obtain power series solution of y" $-2xy'+2\lambda y=0$ for x=0.
- ii) Describe Micheson-Morley experiment and explain the physical significance of negative result.
- b) Attempt any one of the following:

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- i) Prove that $P_n(1)=1$.
- ii) What is the increase in relativistic mass of a particle of rest mass 1 gm when it is moving with velocity 0.8c?

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