

Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi

Tentative Teaching Plan

Academic Year: 2024-25

Teacher Name: Dr Rajni Arora

Course Name: B.Sc. (Physical Sciences)

Paper Name: Differential Equations (Theory + Tutorial)

Semester: III (August 1, 2024 to November 28, 2024)

UPC: 2352572301

Week	Topics to be covered	Activity	Remarks (References/ Resources)
Weeks 1 & 2	First order ordinary differential equations: Basic concepts and ideas, First order exact differential equations, Integrating factors and rules to find integrating factors	Discussion and illustration	[2]: Chapter 1 (Sections 1.1, and 1.2), Chapter 2 (Sections 2.1, 2.2, and 2.4 up to page 64).
Week 3	Linear equations and Bernoulli equations, Initial Value Problems, Applications of first order differential equations: Orthogonal trajectories and Rate Problems	Discussion and illustration	[2]: Chapter 2 (Sections 2.3), Chapter 3 (Section 3.1 up to page 74, and Section 3.3 up to page 94).
Weeks 4 & 5	Basic theory of higher order linear differential equations, Wronskian and its properties	Discussion and illustration	[2]: Chapter 4 (Sections 4.1 up to page 115).
Weeks 6 & 7	Linear homogeneous equations with constant coefficients, Linear non-homogeneous equations, Method of undetermined coefficients	Discussion and illustration	[2]: Chapter 4 (Section 4.1 from page 120 onwards, Sections 4.2, and 4.3).
Weeks 8 & 9	Method of variation of parameters (only second order), Two-point boundary value problems, Cauchy-Euler equations, Systems of linear differential equations.	Discussion and illustration	[2]: Chapter 4 (Sections 4.4, and 4.5). [2]: Chapter 1 (Section 1.3 up to page 16). [2]: Chapter 7 (Sections 7.1, and 7.3).
Weeks 10 & 11	Partial differential equations: Basic concepts and definitions, Classification and construction of first-order partial differential equations, Method of characteristics and general solutions of first order partial	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 2 (Sections 2.1 to 2.3, and 2.5).

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Weeks 12 & 13	Canonical forms and method of separation of variables for first-order partial differential equations	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 2 (Sections 2.6, and 2.7).
Weeks 14 & 15	Classification and reduction to canonical forms of second-order linear partial differential equations and their general solutions.	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 4 (Sections 4.1 to 4.4).

Reference Books:

1. Myint-U, Tyn and Debnath, Lokenath (2007). Linear Partial Differential Equations for Scientist and Engineers (4th ed.). Birkhäuser. Indian Reprint.
2. Ross, Shepley L. (1984). Differential Equations (3rd ed.). John Wiley & Sons.

Additional Readings:

1. Edwards, C. Henry, Penney, David E., & Calvis, David T. (2015). Differential Equations and Boundary Value Problems: Computing and Modeling (5th ed.). Pearson Education.
2. Kreyszig, Erwin. (2011). Advanced Engineering Mathematics (10th ed.). Wiley India.
3. Sneddon I. N. (2006). Elements of Partial Differential Equations. Dover Publications.

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Course Name: B.Sc. (Hons) Mathematics

Paper Name: Discrete Mathematics (Theory + Practical)

Semester: III (August 1, 2024 to November 28, 2024)

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Theory classes

Week	Topic to be covered	Activity	Remarks (References/Resources)
Week 1	The cardinality of a set	Discussion and illustration	[2] Chapter 3 (Section 3.3).
Weeks 2 & 3	Definitions, examples and basic properties of partially ordered sets, Order-isomorphisms, Covering relations, Hasse diagrams	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 1 (Sections 1.1 to 1.5, Section 1.6 (up to second bullet page 4), Sections 1.14 to 1.18). [3]: Chapter 1 (Subsection 1.1)
Weeks 4 & 5	Dual of an ordered set, Duality principle, Bottom and top elements, Maximal and minimal elements, Zorn's lemma, Building new ordered sets, Maps between ordered sets.	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 1 (Sections 1.19 to 1.24, Section 1.25 (only definition of product of partially ordered sets and diagrams to be done), Sections 1.26, 1.34, 1.35(1), and 1.36). [1]: Chapter 2 (Sections 2.1 to 2.2); [3]: Chapter 1 (Subsections 1.2 to 1.4)
Weeks 6 & 7	Lattices as ordered sets, Lattices as algebraic structures, sublattices, Products, Lattice isomorphism	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 2 (Sections 2.3 to 2.5, 2.6 (excluding portion on down-set and up-set), 2.7 (only definition of lattices Sub G and N-Sub G to be done), 2.8 to 2.19, 2.22 to 2.25; all results to be stated without proof). [3]: Chapter 1 (Subsections

			1.5 to 1.20).
Weeks 8 & 9	Definitions, examples and properties of modular and distributive lattices	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 4 (Sections (4.1 to 4.9); [3]: Chapter 1 (Subsections 2.1 to 2.6).
Week 10	The M3–N5 theorem with applications, Complemented lattice, Relatively complemented lattice, Sectionally complemented lattice	Discussion and illustration	[1]: Chapter 4 (Section 4.10 (result to be stated without proof), and Section 4.11). [3]: Chapter 1 (Subsections 2.7, 2.8 (except example(v)), 2.9 - 2.14).(Results in 2.12, and 2.13 to be stated without proof)
Weeks 11 & 12	Boolean algebras, De Morgan's laws, Boolean homomorphism, Representation theorem, Boolean polynomials, Boolean polynomial functions, Equivalence of Boolean polynomials.	Discussion and illustration	[3]: Chapter 1 [Subsections 3.1 to 3.8, and 3.9 (example(i); example (ii) and (iii) both without proofs); For 3.10 to 3.16 (Definitions and examples to be done. All results to be stated without proofs.)]. [3]: Chapter 1 [Subsections 4.1 to 4.10 (Definitions and examples to be done. All results to be stated without proofs)].
Weeks 13 & 14	Disjunctive normal form and conjunctive normal form of Boolean polynomials; Minimal forms of Boolean polynomials, Quine-McCluskey method, Karnaugh diagrams.	Discussion and illustration	[3]: Chapter 1 [Subsections 4.11 to 4.14, 4.16 to 4.18 (Definitions and examples to be done. All results to be stated without proofs)]. [3]: Chapter 1 [Subsections 6.1 to 6.6 (Definitions and examples to be done. All results to be stated without proofs)].
Week 15	Switching circuits and applications, Applications of Boolean algebras to logic, set theory and probability theory.	Discussion and illustration	[3]: Chapter 2 [Subsections 7.1 to 7.5; 8.1, 8.3 to 8.5; 9.1 to 9.13, 9.14{(i) to (iii)}].

Practical classes:

Week	Topic to be covered	Activity
Week 1	Learning basics of Mathematica	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 2	Expressing relations as ordered pairs and creating relations	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 3 & 4	Finding whether or not, a given relation is: i. Reflexive ii. Antisymmetric iii. Transitive iv. Partial order	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 5 & 6	Finding the following for a given partially ordered set i. Covering relations. ii. The corresponding Hasse diagram representation. iii. Minimal and maximal elements	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 7 & 8	Finding the following for a subset S of a given partially ordered set P i. Whether a given element in P is an upper bound (lower bound) of S or not. ii. Set of all upper bounds (lower bounds) of S. iii. The least upper bound (greatest lower bound) of S, if it exists.	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Week 9 & 10	Creating lattices and determining whether or not, a given partially ordered set is a lattice.	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 11	Finding the following for a given Boolean polynomial function: i. Representation of Boolean polynomial function and finding its value when the Boolean variables in it take particular values over the Boolean algebra $\{0,1\}$. ii. Display in table form of all possible values of Boolean polynomial function over the Boolean algebra $\{0,1\}$.	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Weeks 12	Finding the following: i. Dual of a given Boolean polynomial/expression. ii. Whether or not two given Boolean polynomials are equivalent. iii. Disjunctive normal form (Conjunctive normal form) from a given Boolean expression. iv. Disjunctive normal form (Conjunctive normal form) when the given Boolean polynomial function is expressed by a table of value	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Week 13	Representing a given circuit diagram (expressed using gates) in the form of Boolean expression. 9) Minimizing a given Boolean expression to find minimal expressions	Discussion and illustration on Mathematica
Week 14 & 15	Practice sessions and test	

Reference Books:

1. Davey, B. A., & Priestley, H. A. (2002). Introduction to Lattices and Order (2nd ed.). Cambridge University press, Cambridge.
2. Goodaire, Edgar G., & Parmenter, Michael M. (2006). Discrete Mathematics with Graph Theory (3rd ed.). Pearson Education Pvt. Ltd. Indian Reprint.
3. Lidl, Rudolf & Pilz, Gunter. (2004). Applied Abstract Algebra (2nd ed.), Undergraduate Texts in Mathematics. Springer (SIE). Indian Reprint

Additional Readings:

1. Donnellan, Thomas. (1999). Lattice Theory (1st ed.). Khosla Pub. House. Indian Reprint.
2. Rosen, Kenneth H. (2019). Discrete Mathematics and its Applications (8th ed.), Indian adaptation by Kamala Krithivasan. McGraw-Hill Education. Indian Reprint 2021.

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