國立中央大學八十八學年度碩士班研究生入學試題卷

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1. (a) Find the Fourier integral representation of the non-periodic function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } |x| < 1, \\ 0 & \text{if } |x| > 1. \end{cases}$$
 (10 %)

- (b) Based on (a), show that $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}.$ (5 %)
- 2. (a) Solve the heat equation given by

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \qquad (c \text{ is real})$$

for a finite bar at length of 2π with the initial condition u(x, 0) = f(x) where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } 0 < x < \pi, \\ 2\pi - x & \text{if } \pi < x < 2\pi. \end{cases}$$
 (15 %)

- (b) Obtain the steady-state solution of u. (5 %)
- 3. Find the general solution y for a coupled first-order system given by $y' = Ay + g e^{2t}$ where

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{g} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}. \tag{15\%}$$

4. Solve the second-order differential equation for y(t) ($t \ge 0$) using Laplace transform:

$$y' + \omega^2 y = 0$$
, $y(0) = A$, $y'(0) = B$

where ω , A and B are real (all not zero).

(15%)

- 5. Transform the quadratic form $Q = 17x_1^2 30x_1x_2 + 17x_2^2 = 128$ to the principal axes in the y_1y_2 -coordinates and geometrically show the rotation angle between the original axes in the x_1x_2 -coordinates and the principal axes.

 (15 %)
- 6. Show that the inverse A^{-1} (if exists) has the eigenvalues of $1/\lambda_1, \dots, 1/\lambda_n$ where $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n$ are eigenvalues of the $n \times n$ matrix A. (10%)
- 7. For a cloud in the sky, the local time change rate is given by

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot \rho \mathbf{V}$$

where ρ is the cloud density and V is a three-dimensional wind vector.

Show that the total mass of the cloud must be conserved at any time.

(Hint: Apply Gauss divergence theorem)

