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Mathematics : Paper - 5008

(Advanced Special Functions)

(Old Course)

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Instructions :

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- (2) Attempt all questions.  
 (3) Figures to the right indicates marks.  
 (4) Notations and conventions are all standard.

1 (a) Show that the general solution of the hypergeomotriz differential equation  $z(1-z)w'' + [c - (a+b+1)z]w' - abw = 0$  valid for  $|z| < 1$  is given by

$$w = AF(a, b, c, z) + Bz^{1-c}F(a+1-c, b+1-c, 2-c, z).$$

(b) If  $|z| < 1$  and  $|z/(1-z)| < 1$  show that

$$F\left[\begin{matrix} a, b, \\ c, \end{matrix} z\right] = (1-z)^{-a} F\left[\begin{matrix} a, c-b, \\ b, \end{matrix} \frac{-z}{1-z}\right]$$

OR

1 (a) If  $\left(a+b+\frac{1}{2}\right)$  is neither zero nor a negative integer

and if  $|x| < 1$  and  $|4x(1-x)| < 1$  then prove that

$$F\left[\begin{matrix} a, b, \\ a+b+\frac{1}{2}, \end{matrix} 4x(1-x)\right] = F\left[\begin{matrix} 2a, 2b, \\ a+b+\frac{1}{2}, \end{matrix} x\right]$$

(b) Obtain the recurrence relation  $[(1-x)\alpha_1 + (A-B)x]F =$  **7**

$$(1-x)\alpha_1 F(\alpha_1 +) - x \sum_{j=1}^q U_j F(\beta_j +), \quad p = q+1.$$

**2** (a) With usual notation prove that **8**

$${}_3F_2 \left[ \begin{matrix} a, & b, & c; \\ 1+a-b, & 1+a-c, & ; \end{matrix} \middle| 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{\left(1 + \frac{a}{2}\right) \left(1+a-b\right) \left(1+a-b\right) \left(1+a-c\right) \left(1 + \frac{a}{2} - b - c\right)}{\left(1+a\right) \left(1 + \frac{a}{2} - b\right) \left(1 + \frac{a}{2} - c\right) \left(1+a-b-c\right)}$$

(b) If  $k(K)$  is the complete elliptic integral of the second kind, then prove that **6**

$$\int_0^t k\left(\sqrt{x(1-x)}\right) dx = \pi \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$$

**OR**

**2** (a) If  $n$  is a non negative integer and if  $b$  and  $c$  are independent of  $n$ , show **8**

$$\text{that } {}_3F_2 \left[ \begin{matrix} -n, b, c; \\ 1-b-n, 1-c-n; \end{matrix} \middle| x \right] = (1-x)^n$$

$${}_3F_2 \left[ \begin{matrix} \frac{-n}{2}, \frac{-n}{2} + \frac{1}{2}, 1-b-c-n; \\ 1-b-n, 1-c-n; \end{matrix} \middle| \frac{-4x}{(1-x)^2} \right]$$

(b) Show that  $\int_0^t x^{1/2} (t-x)^{-1/2} \left[1-x^2(t-x)^2\right]^{-1/2} dx$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} t {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}; \\ 1; \end{matrix} \middle| \frac{t^4}{16} \right]$$

**3** (a) Define orthogonality of a simple set of real polynomials  $\phi_n(x)$ . Show that the set  $\phi_n(x)$  is orthogonal iff **6**

$$\int_a^b w(x) x^k \phi_n(x) dx = 0, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1; \quad \text{for } a < x < b.$$

(b) Show that the function  $w = {}_1F_1(a; bz)$  is a solution of the differential equation  $Zw'' + (b - z)w' - aw = 0$ . 4

(c) For the error function  $erf(x)$ . Show that  $erf(x)$ . 4

$$erf(x) = \frac{2x}{\sqrt{\pi}} {}_1F_1\left(\frac{1}{3}; \frac{3}{2}; -x^2\right)$$

**OR**

3 (a) If  $2a$  is not an odd integer. Prove that 6

$${}_1F_1(a; 2a; 2z) = e^z {}_0F_1\left(-; a + \frac{1}{2}; \frac{z^2}{4}\right)$$

(b) State and prove the Kummer's first formula for the confluent hypergeometric function  ${}_1F_1(a; b; z)$ . 4

(c) With usual notation prove that 4

$$(b)_k \frac{d^k}{dz^k} \left[ e^{-z} {}_1F_1(a; b; z) \right] = (-1)^k (b - a)_k e^{-z} {}_1F_1(a; b + k; z)$$

4 (a) Let the polynomials  $f_n(x)$  are defined by 8

$$(1-t)^{-c} \psi\left(\frac{-4xt}{(1-t)^2}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_n(x) t^n \quad \text{where}$$

$$\psi(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma_n u^n, \quad \gamma_0 \neq 0 \quad \text{then show that}$$

$$f_n(x) = \frac{(c)_n}{n!} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{(-n)_k (c+n)_k \gamma_k x^k}{\left(\frac{c}{2}\right)_k \left(\frac{c}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)_k}$$

(b) If  $A(t) \exp\left(\frac{-xt}{1-t}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x) t^n$  then prove that 6

$$y_0^1(x) = 0, \quad y_n^1(x) = y_{n-1}^1(x) - y_{n-1}(x) \quad \text{and}$$

$$y_n'(x) = -\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} y_k(x), \quad n \geq 1$$

**OR**

- 4 (a) Define generating function. Let  $\psi(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma_n u^n$ ,  $\gamma_0 \neq 0$  8

and the polynomials  $f_n(x)$  defined by

$$(1-t)^{-c} \psi\left(\frac{-4xt}{(1-t)^2}\right) = - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_n(x) t^n \quad \text{then show that}$$

$$x f'_n(x) - n f_n(x) = -(c+n-1) f_{n-1}(x) - x f'_{n-1}, \quad n \geq 1$$

- (b) If  $P_n(x)$  is defined by  $A(t)\psi(xH(t)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} p_n(x)t^n$  6

$$\text{with } \psi(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \gamma_n t^n, \quad A(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n t^n, \quad H(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} h_n t^{n+1}$$

where  $\gamma_0 \neq 0, a_0 \neq 0, h_0 \neq 0$ , then show that  $P_n(x)$  is a polynomial in  $x$  of degree precisely  $n$  if  $\gamma_n \neq 0$ .

- 5 (a) Prove that 8

$$\int_{-1}^1 (1-x)^\alpha (1+x)^\beta \left[ p_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) \right]^2 = \frac{2^{\alpha+\beta+1} \Gamma(1+\alpha+n) \Gamma(1+\beta+n)}{n! (1+\alpha+\beta+2n) \Gamma(1+\alpha+\beta+n)}$$

- (b) Prove that 6

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{p_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) t^n}{(1+\alpha)_n (1+\beta)_n} = {}_0F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} -; \\ 1+\alpha; \end{matrix} \frac{t(x-1)}{2} \right] {}_0F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} -; \\ 1+\beta; \end{matrix} \frac{t(x+1)}{2} \right]$$

**OR**

- 5 (a) With usual notation prove that 8

$$p_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) = \frac{(-1)^n (1-x)^{-\alpha} (1+x)^{-\beta}}{2^n n!} D^n \left[ (1-x)^{n+\alpha} (1+x)^{n+\beta} \right]$$

- (b) Prove that 6

$$p_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) = \frac{(-1)^n (1+\beta)_n}{n!} {}_2F_1 \left[ \begin{matrix} -n, 1+\alpha+\beta+n; \\ 1+\beta; \end{matrix} \frac{x+1}{2} \right]$$