

EXAM 1

1. Suppose we have the following differential equation $x \left(\frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} \right) + \frac{du}{dx} = 3 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$

and we are using the approximation of $u(x) = c_1 x^2 + c_2 x^3$. Set up the equations in matrix form for solving c_1 and c_2 by (a) Least square method. (b) By Galerkin's method. (YOU DO NOT NEED TO SOLVE THE EQUATIONS).

2. (a)-(d) The order of the highest derivative on u in a functional is r . For parts (a) through (d) circle the correct answers.

(a) The differential equation will be of order $r-1, r, r+1, 2r-1, 2r, 2r+1$

(b) The essential boundary conditions will be on u and its derivatives up to order $r-1, r, r+1, 2r-1, 2r, 2r+1$

(c) The natural boundary conditions will be on the derivatives up to order $r-1, r, r+1, 2r-1, 2r, 2r+1$

(d) In Rayleigh-Ritz's method the approximating function must be differentiable up to order $r-1, r, r+1, 2r-1, 2r, 2r+1$

(e) The set approximating functions must be independent. Circle the set(s) that are NOT independent.

set 1: $(x - x^2), (x^2 - x^3), (x^3 - x^4), (x^4 - x^5)$

set 2: $(x - x^2), (x^2 - x^3), (x^4 - x^5), (x^5 - x^6)$

set 3: $x(1 - x), x^2(1 - x), x(1 - x)^3, x(1 - x)^4$

set 4: $x(1 - x), x^2(1 - x), x(1 - x)^2, x(1 - x)^3$

(f) The set approximating functions must be complete. Circle the set(s) that are NOT complete.

set 1: $(x - x^2), (x^2 - x^3), (x^3 - x^4), (x^4 - x^5)$

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set 3: $x(1 - x), x^2(1 - x), x(1 - x)^3, x(1 - x)^4$

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(g)- (h) $B(u,v)$ is a bilinear functional. For parts (g) and (h) circle the correct answers.

(g) $B(2u,3v)$ will equal to $2B(u,v), 3B(u,v), 5B(u,v), 6B(u,v)$

(h) $B(2u_1+3u_2,v)$ will equal to $2B(u_1,v)+3B(u_2,v), 3B(u_1,v)+2B(u_2,v), 5[B(u_1,v)+B(u_2,v)], 6[B(u_1,v)+B(u_2,*v)]$

(i) $u_1, u_2,$ and u_3 are all independent variables and the condition

$a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + b_1u_1 + b_2(u_2 + u_3) + b_3u_3 = 0$ is true. Write all the conditions on the constants a 's and b 's.

(j)-(k) In Rayleigh-Ritz we approximate as: $u = \phi_0 + \sum_{i=1}^N c_i \phi_i$. Write the functions ϕ_0 and

ϕ_1 for one parameter solution for parts(j) and (k)

(j) Essential boundary conditions are: $u(0) = 4 \quad u(1) = 0$

$\phi_0 = \quad \phi_1 =$

(k) Essential boundary condition is: $u(0) = 0$ and natural boundary condition is $\frac{du}{dx}(1) = 2$

$\phi_0 = \quad \phi_1 =$

3. A functional is given below. By finding the stationary value of I , obtain the following:
 (a) The differential equation. (b) *All possible* essential boundary conditions. (c) *All possible* natural boundary conditions.

$$I = \int_0^1 \left[(1+x)^2 \left(\frac{du}{dx} \right)^2 + 3u^2 - x^2u \right] dx$$