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ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND SPECIAL
FUNCTIONS

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Max. Marks : 80

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :

1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of EIGHT questions carrying TWO marks each.
2. SECTION - B & C. have THREE questions in each section carrying SIXTEEN marks each.
3. Select atleast TWO questions from SECTION - B & C EACH.

SECTION-A

1. Answer briefly :

- When is a singular point said to be regular?
- State Bessel's function of order n .
- Show that $\int_{-1}^1 x P_n(x) P_{n-1}(x) dx = \frac{2x}{4n^2 - 1}$.
- Give the generating function for Laguerre's Polynomial.
- Formulate the differential equation of all circles of radius a .
- Find general solution of $(2xy + x^2)y' = 3y^2 + 2xy$.
- Define the Ber and Bei functions.
- State Picard's fundamental existence and uniqueness theorem.

SECTION-B

2. State and prove Sturm's separation theorem.
3. Solve $x^2 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + xy \frac{dy}{dx} - 6y^2 = 0$
4. Express $f(x) = x^4 + 3x^3 - x^2 + 5x - 2$ in terms of Legendre polynomials.

SECTION-C

5. a) Solve in series $xy'' + 2y' + xy = 0$
b) Express $f(x) = x^4 + 3x^3 - x^2 + 5x - 2$ in terms of Legendre Polynomials.
6. Prove that $(2n + 1)(1 + x^2) P_n'(x) = n(n + 1) [P_{n+1}(x) - P_{n-1}(x)]$
7. Define Hermite Polynomials. Hence establish the expression for the generating polynomial.