KL UNIVERSITY: GUNTUR DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS Pre Ph.D. Examinations Paper III: Dynamical systems on Time scales

Eight questions are to be set and the student has to answer five in three hours of duration:

UNIT-1 **Self-Adjoint equations**: Wronskian matrix, Lagrange Identity, Abel's formula, Hermitian, Riccati equation. Sturm's separation and Comparison theorems.

UNIT-2 **Linear Systems and Higher order equations**: Regressive matrices, Existence and Uniqueness theorem, matrix exponential function, Variation of constants, Liouville's Formula, Constant coefficients.

UNIT-3: **Asymptotic behavior of solutions**: Growth and dichotomy conditions, Levinson's perturbation Lemma properties and applications.

UNIT-4: Dynamic Inequalities: Grownwall's Inequality, Bernoulli's Inequality, Holders and Minkowski's inequalities.Lyapunov inequalities.

Text Book: Dynamic equations on time scales, an introduction with Applications. Martin Bohner and Allan Peterson, BirKhauser, Boston.

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Time: 3 Hours Max.Marks:100 Answer any FIVE questions from following, each question carries equal marks.

- 1. State and prove the comparison theorem for initial value problems.
- Let A∈ ℜ be an nxn matrix valued function on T and suppose that f: T → ℜⁿ is rd-continuous. Let t₀∈ T and y₀∈ ℜⁿ. Then prove that the initial value problem
 y^Δ(t) = A(t)y + f(t), y(t₀) = y₀ has a unique solution y: T → ℜⁿ.
- 3. Derive Gronwall's Inequality.
- 4. Assume $f \in Crd$ and x(t,s) be the Cauchy function for

$$L(\mathbf{x}(t) = (px^{\Delta})^{\Delta}(t) + q(t)x^{\sigma(t)} = 0 \text{ for all } t \in T \text{ then } \mathbf{x}(t) = \int_{a}^{t} x(t,s)f(s)\Delta s \text{ is the solution}$$

of the initial value problem Lx=f(t), x(a)=0, $x^{\Delta}(a) = 0$.

- 5. Write the dynamic equation $x^{\Delta\Delta} 5x^{\Delta} + 6x = 0$ on $T = \Re$ in self adjoint form. Also express the difference equation x(t+2)- 5x(t+1)+6x(t)=0 on T=Z in self adjoint form.
- 6. Let $A \in \Re$ be a 2x2 matrix valued function and assume that X is a solution of $X^{\Delta} = A(t)X(t)$, then prove that X satisfies Liouville's formula.
- 7. State and prove Lyapunov inequality.
- 8. Solve the vector dynamic equation $x^{\Delta} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -13 & -3 \end{pmatrix} x$ for any time scale T.

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