

B. E. (Mechanical) 2008 course
Computational Fluid Dynamics (Code: 402049)
May 2014 (Semester - II)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks :100

Instructions to the candidates:

1. Answer to the two sections should be written in separate answer- books
2. Draw Diagrams wherever necessary.
3. Use of scientific calculator is allowed.
4. Assume suitable data where ever necessary

SECTION-I

- Q1) a) Describe the physical meaning of Substantial derivative with a practical example [8]
 b) Consider a laminar boundary layer that can be approximated as having a velocity profile $u(x) = U_{\infty}y/\delta$ where $\delta = cx^{1/2}$, c is a constant, U_{∞} is free stream velocity. δ is the boundary layer thickness. Considering 2 dimensional flows, determine vertical component of velocity v inside the boundary layer. (Make use of differential form of continuity equation) [10]

OR

- Q2) a) Describe the various flow models used to investigate a fluid flow. State what are conservation and non conservation form of the governing equations? [8]
 b) Obtain the momentum equation for an infinitesimally small fluid element fixed in space. [10]
- Q3) a) What is discretization? Comment further on it in relation with consistency and stability of governing equations. [8]
 b) Derive the following finite difference approximation for applications in two dimensional fluid flow at point (i,j) [8]

$$\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \frac{2y_{i,j} - 5y_{i+1,j} + 4y_{i+2,j} - y_{i-3,j}}{(\Delta x)^2} + O(\Delta x)^2$$

OR

- Q4) a) Explain what you mean by an implicit solution method and an explicit solution method. Also discuss merits and demerits of these two methods. [8]
 b) Why relaxation techniques are needed in numerical calculations, explain how under- relaxation and over relaxation works in numerical calculations. [8]
- Q5) a) a) Solve following Tri-diagonal Matrix system using Thomas algorithm [10]

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2.25 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2.25 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2.25 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 2.25 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} T1 \\ T2 \\ T3 \\ T4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) What do you mean by Dirichlet, Neumann and Mixed boundary conditions? Give an example of each. [6]

OR

- Q6) a) For one dimensional Transient heat conduction, formulate the finite difference expression [8]
 i) Explicit form
 ii) Crank Nicholson (Semi Implicit) form
 b) Explain the solution algorithm for Tri-diagonal Matrix encountered in CFD calculations. [8]

SECTION-II

- Q 7) a) Consider a linear first order wave equation [16]

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -C \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$$

Where C is constant and that is greater than 1. Present finite difference approximation of above equation using

- i) Forward time and forward space of first order Euler's method
 ii) Forward time and backward space of first order - upwind difference method
 iii) Central differencing of second order for both
 iv) The Lax-Wendroff method
 v) Crank-Nicolson method
 What is the stability condition for above methods?

OR

- Q8) a) Consider the first order wave equation [16]

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + C \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0$$

Compute the solution for this equation for first two steps using Mac Cormack scheme with initial condition

$$u(x,0) = x-x^2, 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$u(x,0) = 0, x > 1$$

and boundary condition $u(0,t)=0$ for all t's.

Take $\Delta x=0.5$, $r= C*(\Delta t/\Delta x)=0.5$

- Q.9 a) Explain the following boundary conditions in detail [6]

- i) Inlet
 ii) Outlet
 iii) Wall
 iv) Symmetry

- b) Write down step by step procedure for SIMPLE algorithm. [10]

OR

- Q. 10 a) Explain step by step the Finite Volume Method with suitable example in heat transfer [8]

- b) Explain : Artificial viscosity [8]

- Q.11 a) Explain CFD simulation procedure with suitable example in fluid flow or heat transfer giving [14]

- i) Problem definition
 ii) Grid generation
 iii) Boundary conditions
 iv) Post processing

- b) What is the convergence and stability of numerical scheme? [4]

OR

- Q.12 a) Write down the Navier Stokes equations for incompressible flow. Develop the solution algorithm for the same. [12]
- b) Explain: Types of grids and grid generation [6]