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Mathematical Methods

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Credits

INTEGRAL TRANSFORMS: Laplace transforms: Definitions - properties - Laplace transforms of some elementary functions - Convolution Theorem - Inverse Laplace transformation - Applications. Fourier transforms - Definitions - Properties - Fourier transforms of some elementary functions - Convolution theorems - Fourier transform as a limit of Fourier Series - Applications to PDE.

INTEGRAL EQUATIONS: Volterra Integral Equations: Basic concepts - Relationship between Linear differential equations and Volterra integral equations - Resolvent Kernel of Volterra Integral equation - Solution of Integral equations by Resolvent Kernel - The Method of successive approximations - Convolution type equations, solution of integral differential equations with the aid of Laplace transformation. Fredholm Integral equations: Fredholm equations of the second kind, Fundamentals - Iterated Kernels, Constructing the resolvent Kernel with the aid of iterated Kernels - Integral equations with degenerate Kernels - Characteristic numbers and eigen functions, solution of homogeneous integral equations with degenerate Kernel - non homogeneous symmetric equations - Fredholm alternative.

CALCULUS OF VARIATIONS: Extrema of Functionals: The variation of a functional and its properties - Euler's equation - Field of extremals - sufficient conditions for the Extremum of a Functional conditional Extremum Moving boundary problems - Dis continuous problems - one sided variations - Ritz method.

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Fixed Point Theorems with Applications: Banach contraction mapping theorem, Brouwer fixed point theorem, Leray-Schauder fixed point theorem. Calculus in Banach spaces: Gateaux as well as Frechet derivatives, chain rule, Taylor's expansions, Implicit function theorem with applications, subdifferential. Monotone Operators: maximal monotone operators with properties, surjectivity theorem with applications. Degree theory and condensing operators with applications.