

APM03B3/3B10 Final Examination

November 2021

90 Marks is full marks.

Question 1 [20]

Is there a difference between behaving ethically and behaving with integrity?
Explain your answer. Hint:- Explain what ethical behaviour is and then explain what behaving with integrity means. Provide examples of both. Then explain similarities between the two before discussing the differences. **Please note that to answer the question fully, i.e. you have to give an answer (Yes/No).**

Question 2 [10]

An object of mass $m=2$ kg, moving with velocity $v_1=12$ m/s, collides head-on with a stationary object whose mass is $m_2=6$ kg. Given that the collision is elastic, what are the final velocities of the two objects. Neglect friction. **Show all working.**

Question 3 [10]

Explain the first law of thermodynamics. Give an example of a system that satisfies the first law of thermodynamics.

Question 4 [20]

What is the difference between a chaotic system and a random system? **Provide a full explanation.** Hint:-Firstly describe a chaotic system. Then describe a random system. Then give example(s) of a chaotic and random system. Describe the similarities between the two systems. Then discuss the differences between a chaotic and random system.

Question 5 [10]

Derive the equation describing the period of a pendulum.

Question 6 [10]

Solve the initial value problem

$$2x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 6x, \quad y(4) = 20.$$

Show all working.

Question 7 [10]

Determine a solution to the partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, \quad u(x, 0) = f(x), \quad u(0, t) = 0, \quad u(L, t) = 0.$$

Show all working.