

Perturbation Methods

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Department assigned to the subject: Mathematics Department

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Type: ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 1 Semester : 2

OBJECTIVES

LEARNING RESULTS

- Recognize and classify a singular or regular problem.
- Understand and use the concepts of distinguished limit, dominant balance and scaling.
- Understand and use elementary methods to approximate integrals.
- Understand and use boundary layer and matched asymptotic expansion methods for ODEs.
- Use métodos de escalas múltiples for linear and nonlinear oscillator problems.
- Understand and use the Chapman-Enskog method.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

- Basic notions of asymptotic analysis.
- Approximation of integrals.
- Solvability condition for a non-homogeneous linear problem.
- Eigenvalue problems.
- Poincaré-Linstedt method.
- Method of multiple scales.
- Chapman-Enskog method.
- Scaling of singular perturbation problems.
- Boundary layer and asymptotic matching.
- Method of matched asymptotic expansions.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Criteria for both the 1st and 2nd assessment opportunity:

Continuous evaluation of the students' work (homework, participation in class).

% end-of-term-examination:	0
% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):	100

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ADDITIONAL BIBLIOGRAPHY

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