SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

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Paper Code: PS04EMTH07	Total Credit: 4
Title Of Paper: Theory of Partial Differential Equations	Total Credit. 4

Unit	Description in detail	Weighting (%)
I	First order equations - Cauchy problem for quasi-linear equation - weak	25%
	solution of - non-linear first order PDE - method of characteristics.	
II	Cauchy problem for higher order equation - classification of second order	25%
	equation by characteristics - linear equations and generalized solutions.	
III	Distributions - convolution and fundamental solutions.	25%
IV	Wave equation - spherical means - energy methods. Laplace equation -	
	existence theory -eigen value and eigen functions. Heat equation - existence	25%
	and uniqueness - regularity.	

Basic Text & Reference Books:-

- > R.C. McOwen, Partial Differential equations, Pearson Education, 2004.
- > Fritz John, Partial Differential Equations, Narosa, 1979.

