

# MTH 143

## Final

Sunday, December 16, 2007

Show all work (each step/computation) to receive full credit. No calculators. The exam contains 11 problems. Make sure it is complete.

No.	VALUE	SCORE
1	20	
2	15	
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7	15	
8	30	
9	20	
10	20	
11	15	
TOTAL	200	

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1. Consider the series

$$\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(n-2)^2}.$$

a) Use the integral test to determine if the series converges or diverges.

b) Use the limit comparison test to determine if the series converges or diverges.

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2. Find the radius of convergence and interval of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sqrt{n} x^n .$$

Be sure to test the left and right end of your interval for convergence.

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**3.** Find the sum of the series or show that it diverges.

a)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (e^{-n} - e^{-(n+1)})$$

b)

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3^{n-1}}{5^n}$$

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4. Find the area of the surface obtained by rotating the curve

$$y = 1 + x^2$$

from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$  about the  $y$ -axis.

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5. Let  $f(x) = 8\sqrt{x}$ .

a) Find  $T_2(x)$ , the second degree Taylor polynomial of  $f(x)$  at  $a = 4$ .

b) Use Taylor's inequality to estimate the accuracy of the approximation  $f(x) \approx T_2(x)$  for  $4 \leq x \leq 4.1$ .

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**6.** Let  $f(x) = \sin(x)$  and consider  $T_3(x)$ , the third degree Taylor polynomial of  $f(x)$  at  $a = 0$ . Use the alternating series estimation theorem to find the best possible estimate on the error  $R_3(x) = f(x) - T_3(x)$  over the interval  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ .

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7. At time  $t$  the position of a particle is given by

$$x = 4(\cos t + t \sin t) \quad y = 4(\sin t - t \cos t).$$

How many units of distance does the particle travel as  $t$  varies  $0 \leq t \leq 2$  ?



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8. A curve is traced by the parametric equations

$$x = t^2 + 1, \quad y = -2t^3 + 6t.$$

a) Find all points  $(x, y)$  on the curve where the tangent line is horizontal.

b) Find all points  $(x, y)$  on the curve where the tangent line is vertical.

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**8. c)** Compute  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  and determine if the curve is concave upward or concave downward when  $t > 0$ .

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9. a) Describe the point  $(x, y) = (-1, 1)$  in terms of polar coordinates  $(r, \theta)$  with  $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

b) The polar curve  $r^2 = \frac{4}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$  can be described using a Cartesian equation  $y = f(x)$ . Find  $f(x)$ .

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10. Find the area of the region enclosed by one loop of  $r = \sin(2\theta)$ .

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**11.** A circle  $C_1$  has center at the origin and radius 4. A second circle  $C_2$  has a diameter with one end at the origin and the other end at the point  $(8, 0)$ .  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  intersect at two points, find the polar coordinates of both of them.