



## MATH191

EXAMINER: Prof. S.M. Rees, EXTENSION 44063.

TIME ALLOWED: Three hours

Answer all of Section A and THREE questions from Section B. The marks shown against questions, or parts of questions, indicate their relative weight. Section A carries 55% of the available marks.

## SECTION A

1. Find the inverse function of

$$f(x) = \frac{x+3}{x-2}.$$

Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ , indicating the coordinates of any points where the graph crosses the axes.

[4 marks]

2. By evaluating  $f(0)$ ,  $f'(0)$ , and  $f''(0)$ , obtain the Maclaurin series expansion of the function

$$f(x) = (1 - 2x)^{-1}$$

up to and including the term in  $x^2$ .

[5 marks]

- 3.

- a) Convert  $(x, y) = (-4, -4)$  from Cartesian to polar coordinates.  
b) Convert  $(r, \theta) = (4\sqrt{2}, 5\pi/4)$  from polar to Cartesian coordinates.

In both parts, full marks will only be obtained if exact answers are given in terms of  $\pi$ ,  $\sqrt{2}$  etc..

[5 marks]

4. Evaluate the definite integral

$$\int_0^1 \left( \frac{1}{1+x} + (1+x)^{-2} \right) dx,$$

giving your answer exactly in terms of natural logs.

[5 marks]

5. Consider the curve defined by

$$x^3 + xy + y^3 + 1 = 0.$$

Find an expression for  $dy/dx$  in terms of  $x$  and  $y$ , and hence give the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point  $(x, y) = (1, -1)$ .

[8 marks]

6. Differentiate the following functions with respect to  $x$ :

a)  $\sin(x^3 - 1)$ ;    b)  $\frac{\sin x}{x^2 + 1}$ ;    c)  $\ln(x^3 + 2x - 1)$ .

[6 marks]

7. Show that the function

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + x^2}$$

has exactly one stationary point. Determine whether the stationary point is a local maximum, a local minimum, or a point of inflection.

[6 marks]

8. Let  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  be the complex numbers given by  $z_1 = 1 + 2j$  and  $z_2 = 1 - 3j$ . Calculate  $z_1 + z_2$ ,  $z_1 - z_2$ ,  $z_1 z_2$ , and  $z_1/z_2$ .

[6 marks]

9. State the value of  $\sin^{-1}(-\sqrt{3}/2)$  (you should give an exact answer in radians, in terms of  $\pi$ ). Give the general solution of the equation

$$\sin \theta = \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}.$$

[4 marks]

10. Let  $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$  and  $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$ . Find  $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$ ,  $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}$ ,  $|\mathbf{a}|$ ,  $|\mathbf{b}|$ , and  $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$ . What is the angle between  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$ ?

[6 marks]

## SECTION B

**11.** Write down the Maclaurin series expansion of the function  $f(x) = (1 + x)^{-1}$ , including the general term. (You are not required to show any working if you remember this expansion.)

[2 marks]

Hence, or otherwise, determine the Maclaurin series expansions of the following functions:

a)  $(1 + 2x)^{-1}$ ;      b)  $(2 + x)^{-1}$ ;      c)  $(1 + x^2)^{-1}$ .

[8 marks]

Hence, or otherwise, determine the  $n$ 'th derivative at 0,  $g^{(n)}(0)$ , where  $g(x) = (1 + x^2)^{-1}$ .

[5 marks]

**12.** In each of the following cases, calculate the radius of convergence  $R$  of each of the power series, and determine whether the series converges at  $x = \pm R$ .

a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n + 1)x^n$ ;      b)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^n(n + 1)}x^n$ .

[15 marks]

**13.** Use calculus to show that the function  $f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x - 2$  has exactly one zero, and that this zero is in  $(0, 1)$ .

[6 marks]

Use the Newton-Raphson formula

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

with an initial guess  $x_0 = 1$  to obtain successive approximations  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$ , and  $x_3$  to the solution of the equation  $f(x) = 0$  in  $(0, 1)$ . Give  $x_2$ ,  $x_3$  to 8 decimal places, and  $f(x_3)$  to 1 significant figure.

[9 marks]

14. Let  $f(x)$  be defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} (2-x)^{-1} & \text{if } x \in (-\infty, 0], \\ x + \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x \in (0, 2], \\ x + (2-x)^{-1} & \text{if } x \in (2, \infty). \end{cases}$$

Find any horizontal and vertical asymptotes of  $f$ . Identify any points of discontinuity of  $f$ . Calculate  $f'(x)$  where it exists. Identify any points where  $f$  is not differentiable. Show that  $f$  has no stationary points, and determine maximal intervals on which  $f$  is decreasing and maximal intervals on which  $f$  is increasing. Find any zeros of  $f$ . Sketch the graph of  $f$ .

[15 marks]

15.

a) Compute  $(1+j)^{27}$ .

b) Find all  $z$  in the form  $a + bj$ , for real  $a$  and  $b$ , with  $z^4 = -16$ .

*Hint:* You might find de Moivre's Theorem useful in both parts. [15 marks]