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AMA 3101: CALCULUS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION
SERIES: APRIL 2013
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions to Candidates:

You should have the following for this examination

- *Answer Booklet*
- *Mathematical Tables*
- *Scientific Calculator*

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions.

Answer any **THREE** questions
 Maximum marks for each part of a question are as shown
 This paper consists of **THREE** printed pages

Question One

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3n - 2}{5n + 4} \right)$$

- a) (i) Evaluate (3 marks)
 (ii) Determine all the numbers C, which satisfy the conclusions of the main value Theorem for the following function.

$$f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - x \quad \text{on} \quad [-1, 2] \quad \text{(5 marks)}$$

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{x}} \int_0^{e^{x/y}} dy \, dx$$

- b) (i) Solve, (3 marks)

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin x - x}{\tan x - x} \quad \text{as} \quad x \rightarrow 0$$

- (ii) Use L'Hospital's Rule to determine limit of the function (5 marks)

$$\int \tan^n x \, dx$$

- (iii) Evaluate (4 marks)

Question Two

$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} \quad \sqrt[3]{1.1}$$

- a) (i) Given approximate the value for using Taylor's theorem. (6 marks)

- (ii) A manufacturer needs to make a cylindrical can that will hold 1.5 litres of liquid. Determine the dimensions of the can that will minimize the amount of material used in its construction. (8 marks)

$$\int_0^{0.6} \int_0^{0.8} \int_0^{0.3} (4z - 3x - y) dz dy dx$$

- b) (i) Evaluate (4 marks)

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} \quad z(x, y) = e^{3x^2} y$$

- (ii) Determine of (2 marks)

Question Three

$$\int \frac{x^n}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} dx$$

- a) (i) Evaluate:
 (ii) Use the above solution in Q3 (a) (i) to solve,

$$\int \frac{x^5}{\sqrt{2+x}} dx$$

(12 marks)

$$u = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \quad x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

b) Given then find the value of (8 marks)

Question Four

a) (i) Find by double integration, the area contained between the two curves, $y^2 = 4x$ and $x^2 = 4y$ and (5 marks)

(ii) Find limit of the function:

$$f(x) = \frac{2x^2 - x - 3}{(x+1)} \quad \text{as } x \rightarrow -1 \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

b) Use Taylor's series to approximate the value of $\sin 46^\circ$ correct to six decimal places. (6 marks)

c) Given $f(x, y) = e^{x^2} \cdot e^y \cos(x - e^{y^3})$. Determine:

(i) $\partial f / \partial x$

(ii) $\partial^2 f / \partial x \partial y$

(iii) $\partial f / \partial y$

(6 marks)

Question Five

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{4x^3}{(1+x^4)^2} dx$$

a) (i) Evaluate (3 marks)

$$\int_1^4 \frac{dx}{(x-2)^{2/3}}$$

(ii) Determine whether converges (2 marks)

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x-1} \quad [2,5]$$

- b) (i) A bridge described by the function $f(x) = \sqrt{x-1}$ on $[2,5]$. The bridge is continuous and oscillates between the parameters 2 and 5. Show that the bridge observes the mean value theorem hypothesis. **(6 marks)**

(ii) Volume of a metal box is found to be influence by weather. During cold season, the length decreases by 0.008 and width by 0.125. Determine its charge in volume at this season. **(4 marks)**

- c) Evaluate:

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \left(\frac{2x - y^2}{z} \right)$$

(5 marks)