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AMA 1103: CALCULUS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: DECEMBER 2013

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions to Candidates:

You should have the following for this examination

- *Mathematical tables*
- *Scientific Calculator*

This paper consist of **FIVE** questions

Answer question **ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions

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

Question One (Compulsory)

a) Find the gradient and the y-intercept of:

$$y = 2 + 3x$$

(i) (2 marks)

$$x + y + 1 = 0$$

(ii) (2 marks)

$$2x + 3y = 1$$

(iii) (2 marks)

$$y = 4x$$

(iv) (2 marks)

$$y = 2t^4 + 3t^3 - t + 4$$

b) Find the gradient of the curve at the points (0, 4) and (1, 8)

$$\int \frac{3}{x^2} dx$$

c) Determine: (4 marks)

$$y = \frac{-2}{x}$$

d) Using first principles find the derivative of (5 marks)

e) Differentiate with respect to x (4 marks)

$$(x^2 + 1)^3(x^3 + 1)^2$$

$$\int \sqrt[4]{x} dx$$

f) Integrate (3 marks)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow} \frac{x^2 - 3x + 2}{x^2 - 6x + 8}$$

g) Evaluate (5 marks)

Question Two

$$y = x^2 - 2x + 3$$

a) Using the first principles to differentiate: (4 marks)

b) Differentiate with respect to x (4 marks)

$$y = x^2(1 + \sqrt{x})$$

c) Differentiate:

$$y = 3x^2 \sin 4x$$

(i) (3 marks)

(ii) $y = 9 \ln 4x$ (2 marks)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\sqrt{5x-4} - \sqrt{x}}{x-1}$$

d) Evaluate (7 marks)

Question Three

$$y = x^2 + 4x + 3$$

- a) Given the function . Find:
- (i) The gradient of the curve (1 mark)
 - (ii) The gradient of the curve at (1, 8) (1 mark)
 - (iii) The equation of the tangent of (1, 8) (3 marks)
 - (iv) The equation of the line perpendicular at the point (1, 8) (3 marks)

$$\int_1^3 \left(\frac{x^3 + 5x^2 + 6x}{x+2} \right) 6x$$

b) Integrate: (4 marks)

$$\int_{-2}^3 (x^2 + 3) dx$$

c) Integrate (3 marks)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5^{n+1} + 7^{n+1}}{5^n - 7^n}$$

d) Evaluate (5 marks)

Question Four

$$y = x^2 + x$$

a) Given the curve . Find the equation of the tangent and the normal at (2, 6) (5 marks)

b) A particle moves along the straight line in a way that its distance from a fixed point 0 on the line after

$$s = \frac{1}{6}t^4$$

t sec in 5m, where). Find

- (i) Its velocity after 3 seconds and 4 seconds
- (ii) Its average velocity after the 4th second
- (iii) Its acceleration after 2 second and after 4 seconds
- (iv) Its average acceleration from t = seconds t = 4 second (8 marks)

$$f(x) = x \sin \frac{1}{x}, x \neq 0 \quad f(0) = 0$$

c) If given and find if it is continuity at the origin (7 marks)

Question Five

a) Given $y = 2xe^{-3x}$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 6\frac{dy}{dx} + ay = 0$ show that **(8 marks)**

b) Find $f(3)$ if $f(x) = x^2 + 4$ **(3 marks)**

c) Find the equation of the line that passes through the point (5, 1) and whose slope is equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ **(4 marks)**

d) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 - 3x + 2}$ **(5 marks)**