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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

SMA 201: CALCULUS III

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DATE: WEDNESDAY 28TH MARCH 2012 TIME: 8.00 A.M. – 10.00 A.M.

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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions

Question One (30 marks)

1. a) Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{3x+1}{x} - \frac{1}{\sin x} \right) \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

- b) Find the Maclaurin's series for $f(x) = \frac{\cos x}{(1+x)^2}$ up to the term containing x^4 (3 marks)

- c) Verify Rolle's Theorem for the function's $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 1$
On the interval $[1, 1+\sqrt{2}]$. (4 marks)

- d) i) Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}$ given that $z = f(x, y)$, $x = g(r, s)$, $y = h(r, s)$. (1 mark)

ii) Given the simultaneous function

$F(x, y, u, v) = 0$, $G(x, y, u, v) = 0$, find the expression for

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

e) If $z = f(x, y) = x^2 y - 3y$

i) Find dz given that $x = 4$, $y = 3$, $\Delta x = -0.01$, $\Delta y = 0.02$
(2 marks)

ii) Determine $f(5.12, 6.85)$ without direct computation. (4 marks)

f) State Green's Theorem in the plane and use it to evaluate

$$\oint (xy + y^2) dx + x^2 dy$$

Where C is a closed curve of the region bounded by $y = x$ and $y = x^2$

(6 marks)

g) Use Stokes theorem to evaluate

$$\int_c F \cdot dr \text{ if } F = y\tilde{i} - x\tilde{j} \text{ and } S$$

is the hemisphere $S : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$, $z \geq 0$, its boundary circle
 $x^2 + y^2 = 9$, $z = 0$.
(4 marks)

Question Two (20 marks)

2. a) Sketch the region bounded by the curve $y = x^2$, $x = 2$, $y = 1$ and

hence evaluate $\iint (x^2 + y^2) dx dy$ over the region (8 marks)

b) A rectangular tank, open at the top is to have a volume of 32 m^3 .

Determine the dimensions so that the total surface area is a minimum.

Calculate the cost of chrome plating the inside of the tank if it costs

Ksh.640.00 per m^2 (12 marks)

Question Three (20 marks)

a) Evaluate the following limits

i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - \tan x) \sec 2x$ (2 marks)

ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(e^x + 3x \right)^{\frac{1}{x}}$ (3 marks)

iii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln x)^2}{x^3}$ (3 marks)

b) Find the Maclaurin's series for the function $f(x) = \ln \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right)$ upto the term containing x^5 (5 marks)

c) Find the values of x for which $\sin x$ can be replaced by $x - \frac{x^3}{3!}$ with an error magnitude no greater than 3.0×10^{-4} (4 marks)

d) Compute the first four non-zero terms of the Taylor's series for $f(x) = e^{\frac{1}{2}x+1}$ in ascending power of $(x - 2)$. (3 marks)

Question Four (20 marks)

a) Given that $z = x^3 \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$, find $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y}$ at $(1, 1)$. (5 marks)

b) Show that $y = f(x + at) + g(x - at)$ satisfies Laplace's equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = a^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

c) Apply the Mean Value Theorem to the function $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 2x$ on the interval $[-1, 1]$. (4 marks)

d) Evaluate the triple integral $\int_0^2 \int_0^x \int_0^{x+y} e^x (y + 2z) \, dz \, dy \, dx$. (5 marks)

Question 5

a) i) State Stokes Theorem (2 marks)

ii) Verify Stokes theorem for $\vec{A} = (2x - y)\vec{i} - yz^2\vec{j} - y^2 z\vec{k}$

where S is the upper half of the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$

and C is its boundary. (8 marks)

b) i) Show that the area bounded by a simple closed curve C is given by

$$\frac{1}{2} \oint_C x dy - y dx \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

ii) Use Green's theorem to evaluate

$$\oint_C (x^2 - xy^3) dx + (y^2 - 2xy) dy \text{ where } C \text{ is a square with vertices at}$$

$(0, 0)$, $(2, 0)$, $(2, 2)$, $(0, 2)$ (6 marks)