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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

*You should have the following for this examination.*

*Answer booklet;*

*Mathematical tables/Scientific calculator.*

*This paper consists of EIGHT questions.*

*Answer any FIVE questions.*

*ALL questions carry equal marks.*

*Maximum marks for each part of a question are indicated.*

*Candidates should answer the questions in English.*

**This paper consists of 4 printed pages.**

**Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.**

1. (a) Given that matrices:  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ ;

evaluate:

(i)  $BC + A$ ;

(ii)  $(CA)B$ .

(7 marks)

- (b) Use the inverse matrix method to solve the simultaneous equations:

$$6k + 5j + 4i = 1$$

$$i + 2j + 3k = -2$$

$$j + 2k + 4i = 5$$

(13 marks)

2. (a) Solve the differential equation:

$$(x - y) \frac{dy}{dx} = x + y$$

(7 marks)

- (b) Solve the following differential equation using the D-operator method:

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = \sin 2x$$

Given that at  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 0$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ .

(13 marks)

3. (a) Given that  $z_1 = 4 \angle 30^\circ$

$$z_2 = 3 \angle -60^\circ$$

$$z_3 = 5 \angle -135^\circ$$

Determine the following giving the answer in polar form:

(i)  $\frac{z_1 z_2}{z_3}$

(ii)  $z_1 + z_2 - z_3$ .

(7 marks)

- (b) Use De Moivre's theorem to show that  $\cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}$ .

(6 marks)

- (c) Determine the fourth root of  $z = \sqrt{4 - 3j}$ .

(7 marks)

4. (a) (i) Use Maclaurin's series expansion to determine the first four terms of the series for  $f(x) = \cos^2 x$ .

- (ii) Hence deduce the series for  $\cos^2 x$ .

(12 marks)

$$f(0) + \frac{f'(0)x}{1!} + \frac{f''(0)x^2}{2!} + \frac{f'''(0)x^3}{3!} + \frac{f^{(4)}(0)x^4}{4!}$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = 1 - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{2}$$

$$3.00 + 3.9999j - 3.9999j + 3.0000j = (4 - 3j)^{1/4}$$

- (b) (i) Use Taylor's Theorem to expand  $f(x) = 3x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x + 6$  in ascending powers of  $(x-1)$  up to and including  $(x-1)^3$ .
- (ii) Hence evaluate:

$$\int_2^3 \frac{3x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x + 6}{(x-1)^3} dx, \text{ giving the answer correct to 4 decimal places.} \quad (8 \text{ marks})$$

5. (a) Derive the laws of logarithm in the following forms:

(i)  $\log PQ = \log P + \log Q;$

(ii)  $\log \frac{P}{Q} = \log P - \log Q;$

(iii)  $\log P^n = n \log P.$

(9 marks)

- (b) Execute the following binary operations then convert the answers to denary numbers:

(i)  $111011 + 101111;$

(ii)  $10111 \times 1101.$

(6 marks)

- (c) Solve for  $x$  in the equation:

$$3 \cos 2x + 5 \sin x = 4 \text{ if } 90^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ.$$

(5 marks)

6. (a) Given that  $z = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2xy}{x^2 - y^2} \right)$ , show that  $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0.$

(8 marks)

- (b) Given the function  $z = x^3 - 6x^2 - 8y^3$ , determine the stationary values of  $z$  and hence classify them.

(12 marks)

7. (a) Evaluate:

(i)  $\int_0^2 \int_0^2 e^{xy} dy dx$

(ii)  $\int_1^2 \int_0^2 \frac{y}{1+y^2} dx dy$

Handwritten work for (i):

$$\begin{aligned} (x^2 - 4x^2)(2x^2 - 8y^3) &= 0 = -6 \\ x^2(x-4)(2(x^2-4y^2)) &= 2x-4=8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{2y}{2x-y^2} \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = \frac{-2y}{(2x-y^2)^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{2x}{x^2-2y} \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \frac{2x}{x^2-2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \frac{-2y}{(2x-y^2)^2} + \frac{2x}{x^2-2} = 0$$

Handwritten work for (ii):

$$\frac{2y}{(2x^2)(x^2-2)} + \frac{2x}{(2x^2)(x^2-2)}$$

$$\frac{2y+2x}{2x^2(x^2-2)} = \frac{2x}{x^2-2}$$

$$2y+2x=0 \Rightarrow 2y=2x$$

(10 marks)

- (b) Use double integrals to determine the area bounded by the graphs  $y = 2 + x - x^2$  and  $y = x - 2$ .

(10 marks)

$$f(x) + f'(x)h + \frac{f''(x)h^2}{2!} + \frac{f'''(x)h^3}{3!} + \frac{f^{(4)}(x)h^4}{4!}$$

$$(x-1)(x-1)$$

$$x^2 - x - x + 1$$

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

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$$\frac{x^3 - x^2 - 2x^2 + 2x + x}{-1} = \frac{x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x + x}{-1}$$

8. (a) Using Newton-Raphson method, solve the equation  $x^3 + x - 1 = 0$ , near  $x = 1$ , correct to three decimal places. (9 marks)
- (b) Table 1 shows values of  $x$  and  $f(x)$  for a given function.

Table 1

$x$	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
$f(x)$	-83	-30	-1	10	9	2	-5

Apply the Newton-Gregory method to evaluate:

- (i)  $f(-1.5)$ ;
- (ii)  $f(2.5)$ .

$$x_p = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

(11 marks)

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