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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (GENERAL)

MATH 321: CALCULUS III

STREAMS: BSC (GEN)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 17/12/2018

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) – 30 MARKS

(a) State the Rolle's theorem and verify for  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x^{-8}$  on  $[-4, 2]$

[5 marks]

(b) Evaluate the following limits using L' Hopitals rule

(i)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^3 + x + 1}{3x^3 + 4}$

[3 marks]

(ii)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin 3x}{x}$

[2 marks]

(c) Find the sum of the series

[4 marks]

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{3}{4^k} - \frac{2}{5^{k-1}} \right)$$

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- (d) Find the volume of the solid under  $f(x, y) = 12 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{8}y$  over the rectangular  
[0,8] x [0,16]

[5 marks]

$$\int_1^4 \int_{-1}^2 (2x + 6x^2 y) dy dx$$

- (e) Evaluate [4 marks]

- (f) Verify the Lagrange's mean value theorem for the function  $f(x) = x^{\frac{2}{3}}$  in the interval  
[-8,27]

[3 marks]

- (g) Use double integration to find the area of the triangle bound by  $y=0, x=1 \wedge y=2x$

[4 marks]

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- (a) Use the Maclaurin's theorem to expand  $f(x) = \sqrt{1+x}$  and use it to approximate  $\sqrt{1.01}$  to  
5 decimal places [7 marks]

- (b) Find the mass and centre of mass for a rectangular Lamina bounded by  $y = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $y=0$  and  
 $x=1$  having a mass density function  $e(x, y) = x$  [9 marks]

- (c) Show that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left[ \frac{2x^2 - 3x - 2}{x - 2} \right] = 5$

[4 marks]

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- (a) Apply the integral test to determine the convergence of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+1}$$

[4 marks]

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(b) (i) If  $f(x, y) = x^3 y^2 - 2x^2 y + 3x$  find the second derivatives [3 marks]

(ii) Determine whether or not  $f(x, y) = x^3 y^2 - 2x^2 y + 3x$  is a harmonic function [3 marks]

(c) Find the surface areas of the surface  $z = 6 - 3x - 2y$  above the region R bounded by

$$y = 0, x = 2 \wedge y = \frac{-3}{2}x + 3$$
 [5 marks]

(d) Evaluate  $\int_0^1 \int_0^2 (x^2 y + xy^3) dy dx$  [5 marks]

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

(a) (i) State the Ratio test for the convergence of an infinite series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  [2 marks]  
(ii) Hence use ratio test to determine the convergence of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{2n!}$$
 [5 marks]

(b) Determine the volume  $V$  of the solid under the surface  $Z = 4 - x^2 - y$  and over the

rectangle  $R$  given the  $R = \{(x, y); 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 2\}$

[8 marks]

(c) Find the power series expansion for the function  $f(x) = (1+x^2)^5 \cos x$  [5 marks]

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

(a) Use the comparison test to determine the convergence of the series [5 marks]

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$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2-1}$$

[5 marks]

- (b) Calculate the moments of the triangle bounded by the lines  $y=x-1$ ,  $x=0$  and  $y=0$  having

density  $e(x,y)=xy$  [9 marks]

- (c) Find the Taylor series for  $f(x)=\ln x$  about  $x=1$  and use it to approximate the value of

$\ln 1.1$

[6 marks]

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