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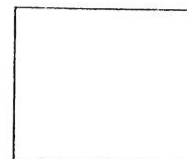
DEPARTMENT OF PURE AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS

MODULE MAT1A2E

(Calculus of One-Variable Functions I)

CAMPUS APK

EXAM EXAMINATION - NOVEMBER 2017



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DURATION: 2 HOURS

MARKS: 50

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INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN PEN ON THE EXAM PAPER.  
CALCULATORS ARE NOT ALLOWED.

Question 1

Is  $h(a) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{\operatorname{cosec} a}{a^7}}$  even, odd or neither? (2)

Question 2

Find the domain of  $f(x) = \sqrt[4]{\frac{x^2 - 4x - 5}{x^3 + 1}}$ . (4)

### Question 3

Prove  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x}{x} = 1$ , without using L'Hospital's Rule. (4)

#### Question 4

Find  $\lim_{k \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3k}{\sin 5k}$ , without using L' Hospital's Rule. (2)

#### Question 5

Sketch:  $f(x) = \begin{cases} -2x & \text{if } x \leq -2 \\ 2^{-x} & \text{if } -2 < x \leq 3 \\ \sqrt{x+3} & \text{if } x > 3 \end{cases}$  (3)

**Question 6**

Let  $g(x) = \begin{cases} B^3x^2; & x < 1 \\ B^2 - 2Bx; & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$

Find  $B$  given that  $g$  is continuous at 1.

(3)

**Question 7**

(a) Find  $f'(2)$  from First Principles if  $f(x) = \frac{3}{4x-1}$ . (3)

(b) **Hence**, find the equation of the tangent to  $f$  at  $x = 2$ . (2)

### Question 8

Find the point(s) where the tangent(s) to

$$h(d) = \frac{2d}{d^4+3} \text{ is /are horizontal.} \quad (3)$$

**Question 9**

Differentiate:

(a)  $y = \log_5(e^{3x})$  (2)

(b)  $y = 2\sin^{-1}(\sqrt{5x})$  (2)

(c)  $y = \frac{x^3 \ln 2x}{\sin x}$ , using logarithmic differentiation. (4)



### Question 10

Determine:

$$(a) \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{\sqrt{1+x^8}}{x^4+1} \quad (2)$$

$$(b) \lim_{u \rightarrow 2} \frac{\sqrt{4u+1}-3}{u-2} \quad (3)$$

(ii) Prove that, for  $n > 1$ ,

$$1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + n(n+1) = \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{3} \quad (5)$$

(iii) Determine whether the following argument is valid? [Use a Truth table]

$$p \wedge q \rightarrow \neg r$$

$$p \vee \neg q$$

$$\neg q \rightarrow p$$

$$\neg r$$

(4)

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