



FACULTY OF SCIENCE

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS

MODULE **MAT01A2/MAT2A10**
SEQUENCES, SERIES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

CAMPUS **APK**
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INSTRUCTIONS: 1. ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS ON THE PAPER IN PEN.

2. NO CALCULATORS ARE ALLOWED.

3. SHOW ALL CALCULATIONS AND MOTIVATE ALL ANSWERS.

Question 1 [2 marks]

Prove or disprove the following statement:

If $\sum a_n$ is convergent and $\sum b_n$ is divergent then $\sum (a_n + b_n)$ is divergent. Justify your reasoning completely.

Question 2

Test the following series for convergence or divergence. Justify your reasoning.

$$(a) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{n^2} \quad (2)$$

$$(b) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\sqrt[n]{4} - 1)^n \quad (3)$$

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(n+1)}{1+n^2} \quad (3)$$

Question 3 [4 marks]

Find the Maclaurin series for f and its radius of convergence:

$$f(x) = (1 - 3x)^{-7}.$$

Question 4 [2 marks]

Find $\mathbf{r}(t)$ if $\mathbf{r}'(t) = t^8\mathbf{i} + 6t^5\mathbf{j} - t^6\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{r}(0) = \mathbf{j}$.

Question 5 [3 marks]

A particle moves with position function $\mathbf{r}(t) = 4\sqrt{2}t\mathbf{i} - e^{-2t}\mathbf{j} + e^{2t}\mathbf{k}$. Find the acceleration of the particle.

Question 6 [2 marks]

Find the integral $\int (\cos 6t\mathbf{i} + \sin 6t\mathbf{j} + e^{-t/4}\mathbf{k}) dt$.

Question 7 [4 marks]

Find the vectors \mathbf{T} and \mathbf{N} at the given point:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = \langle \cos t, \ln \sin t, \sin t \rangle; \quad \langle 0, 0, 1 \rangle.$$