



(Knowledge for Development)

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2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR
FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER
MAIN EXAMINATION

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION AND
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS)**

COURSE CODE: MAT 432

COURSE TITLE: METHODS II

DATE: 1/10/2021

TIME: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE (30MARKS)

- (a) Given $f(x, y) = \sin x + \cos y$, use implicit function theorem to evaluate $\frac{dy}{dx}$ (7 marks)
- (b) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $r = \sin \theta$ at $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ (6 marks)
- (c) Given $f(t) = \sin t$ and $h(t) = t$, find the convolution of $f(t)$ and $h(t)$ (6 marks)
- (d) Evaluate $\oint_C (x^2 - y^2)dx + (2y - x)dy$ where C consists of the region in the first quadrant that is bounded by the curves $y = x^2$ and $y = x^3$ (7 marks)
- (e) Evaluate $\int_1^2 \int_0^y (8xy + 1) dx dy$ (4 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20MARKS)

- (a) If $z = x^2 + y^2$ where $x = r \cos \phi$ and $y = r \sin \phi$, show that $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = 2x \cos \phi + 2y \sin \phi$ (7 marks)
- (b) Given $f = 3x^2 + 2xy + 4y^2$, show that $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ (7 marks)
- (c) Given that $U = x^3 - xy - y^4$, find the value of $\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial y^2}$ if $x = -1$ and $y = -2$ (6 Marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- (a) If $g(t) = e^{-3t}$ and $h(t) = e^{2t}$, show that $g * h(t) = h * g(t)$ (7 marks)
- (b) Evaluate $L\{\int_0^t e^u \sin(t-u) du\}$ (6 marks)
- (c) Show that $\int_0^\pi \int_0^a 2\pi r^2 \sin \theta d\theta dr = \frac{2\pi r^4}{3} (1 - \cos a)$ (7 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- (a) Convert (i) $(4, -3)$ to polar coordinates
(ii) $(4.5, 5.16 \text{ rads})$ to cartesian form (6 marks)
- (b) (i) Convert the polar equation $r = -3 \cos \theta$ to rectangular form
(ii) Convert $xy = 4$ to polar form simplifying your answer (7 marks)
- (c.) Find the gradient of the tangent to the curve $r = \theta$ when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ (7 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- (a) Evaluate $\int_0^2 \int_{-1}^2 \int_1^3 (x + y^2 + z) dx dz dy$ (6 marks)
- (b) Compute the line integral $\oint_C (5 - xy - y^2)dx - (2xy - x^2)dy$, where C is the boundary of the square $R = \{(x, y) : 0 \leq x \leq 1, 0 \leq y \leq 1\}$ (7 marks)
- (c) Use Green's theorem to evaluate $\oint_C x^2 y dx + x^2 dy$, where C is the boundary, described anticlockwise, of the triangle whose vertices are $(0,0), (1,0), (1,1)$ (7 marks)