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END-OF-TERM ASSESSMENT

MODULE CODE:	MA4002	DURATION OF EXAM:	$2\frac{1}{2}$ hours
MODULE TITLE:	Engineering Maths 2	FRACTION OF TOTAL MARKS:	100%
TERM:	Spring 1997	LECTURER:	Dr. E. Gath
INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES: Answer question 1 and any three of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.			

- 1.(i)**[4] A car has acceleration $a(t) = 6e^{-2t}$ at time t . It starts from rest, at time $t = 0$. Find its velocity for all $t \geq 0$, and determine its *average* velocity between $t = 0$ and $t = 3$.
- (ii)**[4] Evaluate the indefinite integral $\int \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$ and give two reasons why $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$ does not exist.
- (iii)**[4] Evaluate the limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{1}{x-2} \int_2^x \tan t dt$.
- (iv)**[4] Give the numerical output which results from implementing the Maple command:
`with(student):`
`evalf(rightsum(x, x=0..3, 3));`
- (v)**[4] Write down, but do not evaluate, the Riemann sum corresponding to the definite integral $\int_0^3 \sin x dx$, taking the partition P with $x_i = \frac{3i}{n}$, for $i = 0, 1, \dots, n$, and choosing $c_i = x_{i-1}$ (the leftmost point of each subinterval).
- (vi)**[4] Find the volume of the solid of revolution that results from revolving the bounded region enclosed between the curve $y = 1 - x^2$ and the x -axis, about the x -axis.
- (vii)**[4] Prove that $I_n \equiv \int_0^{\infty} x^{2n} e^{-x^2} dx$ satisfies $I_n = \left(\frac{2n-1}{2}\right) I_{n-1}$ for all $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$
- (viii)**[4] The quantities x and y are measured with relative error e_x and e_y respectively. The quantity Q is then calculated from the formula $Q = x^2 \sin y$. Find the relative error e_Q in terms of e_x , e_y , x and y .
- (ix)**[4] Solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^2 + 1}{2xy}$, with $y(2) = 1$.
- (x)**[4] Evaluate the determinant $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & b \\ 2 & 2a & c \\ 3 & 3a & d \end{vmatrix}$ for any a, b, c, d .

2.[7+6+7] Evaluate each of the integrals:

$$(i) \int e^{2x} \cos 3x \, dx \quad (ii) \int \frac{x^3 + x^2}{x^2 - 4} \, dx \quad (iii) \int_1^2 \frac{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}}{x} \, dx$$

3.[20] Attempt any *three* of parts (i), (ii), (iii), (iv).

(i) Find the area enclosed between the circle $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ and the line $x = 3$, for $x \geq 3$.

(ii) Find the volume of the solid of revolution that results from revolving about the y -axis, the region enclosed between the curve $y = 10 - x - x^3$ and the x -axis, for $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

(iii) Find the arc-length along the curve $y = \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{1}{4x}$ for $1 \leq x \leq 3$.

(iv) Find the mass of a rod with mass density $\rho(x) = 2 + \sin x$, for $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$. Find the moment of inertia of this rod when it is rotating about the end $x = 0$.

4. (a)[10] Use *Simpson's Rule*, with four equal subintervals (*i.e.* $n = 2$), to find an approximation for the definite integral $\int_0^\pi e^{\sin x} \, dx$. Given that $M_4 \equiv \max_{x \in [0, \pi]} \left| \frac{d^4}{dx^4}(e^{\sin x}) \right| < 12$,

find an upper bound for the error in the above approximation.

How many subintervals would be required to ensure an absolute error of less than 10^{-10} ?

(b)[10] Using (i) the *Euler Method* and (ii) the *Improved Euler Method*, write down an iterative scheme to solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2y + x^2$, $y(0) = 1$.

Taking $h = 0.5$, use both methods to estimate $y(1)$.

5. (a)[10] Find the Taylor Series, up to and including quadratic terms,

$$\text{of } z = f(x, y) = x^2 e^y + \sin(xy) \text{ about the point } (1, 0).$$

(b)[10] It is known that the quantities y and x are related by the formula $y = kx^\alpha$, for some unknown constants k and α . By writing this as $\ln y = \alpha \ln x + \ln k$, one can use the *method of least squares* to find the best-fit line relating $\ln y$ to $\ln x$ and hence find an approximation of the constants k and α .

For the given data points, $(x, y) = (0.5, 1), (1, 2.6), (2, 11), (3, 30), (4, 50)$, use this method to find an approximation of the constants k and α .

6.(a)[10] An object of mass m , projected vertically downwards with an initial velocity v_0 , experiences a downward force of $mg - kv$ where g is the acceleration due to gravity and k is the drag coefficient. Applying Newton's Second Law, we find that the downward velocity v satisfies the differential equation $m \frac{dv}{dt} = mg - kv$.

Solve this differential equation to find $v(t)$ for all $t \geq 0$.

Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(t)$, the so called *terminal velocity*.

If the initial velocity is $v_0 = 0$, find how long it takes the object to reach 90% of the terminal velocity.

(b)[10] Solve the linear second order constant coefficient ordinary differential equation

$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 5\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 4x + 1$, subject to the initial conditions $y(0) = 2$, $y'(0) = 1$.

7.(a)[5+5] Use the method of *Gauss-Jordan elimination* to find all solutions of each system of linear equations:

$$\begin{array}{l} \begin{array}{rcl} x & +3y & +2z = 1 \\ 3x & +6y & +5z = 1 \\ x & +6y & +3z = 3 \end{array} & \text{(i)} & \begin{array}{rcl} y & -z & = 3 \\ x & -y & +2z = 0 \\ 3x & -y & +4z = 1 \end{array} \end{array} \quad \text{(ii)}$$

(b)[10] Find the inverse of the 3×3 matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}.$$