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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

1. Write your matriculation number neatly in the space above.
2. Do not insert loose papers into this booklet. This booklet will be collected at the end of the examination.
3. This examination paper contains a total of **EIGHT (8)** questions and comprises **THIRTY-THREE (33)** printed pages.
4. Answer **ALL** 8 questions. The marks for each question are indicated at the beginning of the question. The maximum score is **80 marks**.
5. Write your solution in the space below each question.
6. Calculators may be used. However, you should lay out systematically the various steps in your calculations.
7. This is a **CLOSED BOOK** examination. One A4-sized helpsheet is allowed.

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Marks								

**Question 1 (a)** [5 marks]

The tangent to the curve

$$x^3 + y^3 = 9xy$$

at the point  $(4, 2)$  meets the line  $y = x$  at the point  $P$ . Find the coordinates of  $P$ .

*(More space for the solution to Question 1 (a).)*

**Question 1 (b)** [5 marks]

Let  $k$  be a positive constant. The region  $R$  is bounded by the lines

$$x = k, \quad x = k\sqrt{3}, \quad y = 0,$$

and the curve

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + k^2}}.$$

Find the volume of the solid generated when  $R$  is revolved about the  $x$ -axis.

(Give the exact value in terms of  $k$  and  $\pi$ .)

*(More space for the solution to Question 1 (b).)*

**Question 2 (a)** [5 marks]

For  $-\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ , the series

$$\sin^2 x + \sin^4 x + \sin^6 x + \cdots + \sin^{2k} x + \cdots$$

converges. Find its sum.

*(More space for the solution to Question 2 (a).)*

**Question 2 (b)** [5 marks]

Let

$$g(x) = \frac{x - 16}{x^2 - 16x + 68}.$$

If  $f(x)$  is a function such that  $f(8) = 8$  and  $f'(x) = g(x)$ , then use Taylor series to find the value of  $f^{(2009)}(8)$ .

(*You may give your answer in terms of factorials.*)



*(More space for the solution to Question 2 (b).)*

**Question 3 (a)** [5 marks]

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } -3 < x \leq 0 \\ x & \text{if } 0 < x < 3 \end{cases}, \quad f(x+6) = f(x) \text{ for all } x.$$

Suppose that the Fourier series of  $f(x)$  is

$$f(x) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{3} + b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{3} \right).$$

Find the positive value of  $n$  such that

$$2 + 27\pi^2 a_n = 0.$$

*(More space for the solution to Question 3 (a).)*

**Question 3 (b)** [5 marks]

Let  $u(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } -1 < t \leq 0 \\ \sin \pi t & \text{if } 0 < t < 1 \end{cases}$ ,  $u(t+2) = u(t)$  for all  $t$ .

The Fourier series of  $u(t)$  is

$$u(t) = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} \sin \pi t - \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} \cos 2n\pi t.$$

Use this Fourier series to find the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(2n-1)(2n+1)}$ .

Hence, find the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{2n-1}$ . (*You need not derive the above Fourier series. Give the exact value of each sum in terms of  $\pi$ .*)

*(More space for the solution to Question 3 (b).)*

**Question 4 (a)** [5 marks]

The space curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are described as follows:

$$C_1: \quad \mathbf{r}_1(t) = (\cos t)\mathbf{i} + (\sin t)\mathbf{j} + t\mathbf{k},$$

$$C_2: \quad \mathbf{r}_2(u) = (\sin u)\mathbf{i} + (\cos u)\mathbf{j} + 2u\mathbf{k},$$

where  $t$  and  $u$  are real numbers. Find all the points of intersection between  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  that lie between the two planes  $z = 0$  and  $z = 2\pi$ .

*(More space for the solution to Question 4 (a).)*

**Question 4 (b)** [5 marks]

The two planes  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$  are given by:

$$\Pi_1 : \quad x + y - 2z = 0, \qquad \Pi_2 : \quad 3x - y + 4z = 6.$$

The line  $L$  is the intersection of  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$ . If the plane  $\Pi$  passes through the point  $P(8, 0, 0)$  and is perpendicular to  $L$ , find a Cartesian equation of  $\Pi$ .



*(More space for the solution to Question 4 (b).)*

**Question 5 (a)** [5 marks]

A circular cylinder is changing in such a way that its radius  $r$  is increasing at the rate of 1 cm/min and its height  $h$  is decreasing at the rate of 2 cm/min. When  $r = 7$  cm and  $h = 5$  cm, find the rate at which the volume  $V$  of the cylinder is changing.

*(Give the exact rate in terms of  $\pi$ .)*

*(More space for the solution to Question 5 (a).)*

**Question 5 (b)** [5 marks]

Find the local maximum, local minimum and saddle points (if any) of

$$f(x, y) = x^3 - 3xy - y^3.$$

*(More space for the solution to Question 5 (b).)*

**Question 6 (a)** [5 marks]

Find the value of the iterated integral

$$\int_0^9 \int_{\sqrt{y}}^3 e^{x^3} dx dy.$$

*(More space for the solution to Question 6 (a).)*

**Question 6 (b)** [5 marks]

The region  $D$  lies inside the upper hemisphere  $z = \sqrt{25 - x^2 - y^2}$ , but outside the cylinder  $x^2 + y^2 = 16$ . Find the exact volume of  $D$  in terms of  $\pi$ .



*(More space for the solution to Question 6 (b).)*

**Question 7 (a)** [5 marks]

The curve  $C$  is the boundary of the region in the first quadrant bounded by the curves

$$x = 0, \quad y = 8, \quad y = x^3.$$

If

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y) = (e^x + xy) \mathbf{i} + (3x^2 + \sin^4 y) \mathbf{j},$$

find line integral  $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \bullet d\mathbf{r}$ , where  $C$  is oriented in the anticlockwise direction.

*(More space for the solution to Question 7 (a).)*

**Question 7 (b)** [5 marks]

Let  $S$  be the portion of the plane  $x + 4y + z = 12$  that lies in the first octant ( $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ ,  $z \geq 0$ ). Let  $C$  be the boundary of  $S$  with anticlockwise orientation when viewed from above  $S$ . If

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = (z - x)\mathbf{i} + (x - y)\mathbf{j} + (y - z)\mathbf{k},$$

use Stokes' Theorem to find line integral  $\oint_C \mathbf{F} \bullet d\mathbf{r}$ .

*(More space for the solution to Question 7 (b).)*

**Question 8 (a)** [5 marks]

The base of a circular fence is described parametrically by the curve

$$C : \quad x = 8 \cos t, \quad y = 8 \sin t, \quad \text{where } 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$$

The height of the fence at the point  $(x, y)$  is given by

$$h(x, y) = 4 + \frac{1}{32}xy.$$

Find the total surface area (front surface and back surface) of the fence.

*(All lengths are in metres. Ignore the thickness of the fence. Give the exact surface area in terms of  $\pi$ .)*

*(More space for the solution to Question 8 (a).)*

**Question 8 (b)** [5 marks]

Use the method of separation of variables to find  $u(x, y)$  that satisfies the partial differential equation

$$u_{xy} = (xy - y - x + 1)u, \quad \text{where } x > 1, \ y > 1,$$

given that  $u(2, 2) = 2$  and  $u(4, 4) = 2e^8$ .



*(More space for the solution to Question 8 (b).)*

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