

## MTH5102: Calculus III

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**Section A:**

<b>multiple choice &amp; short questions</b>

**Section B:**

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## Section A - multiple choice & short questions

This section is a multiple choice test. Please enter answers by ticking the appropriate box. Use the back of the answer book for rough work. Both questions left unanswered and incorrect answers get zero marks.

**Question 1.** Consider a sphere of unit radius described implicitly as  $f(x, y, z) = 1$ , where  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ . A parametric equation of the straight line that is normal to the sphere at the point of coordinates  $(1, 0, 0)$  is [4]

- $\mathbf{r}(t) = (2t, 0, 0)$   
  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (0, 0, 0) + t(2, 2, 2)$   
  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (t, t - 1, 0)$   
 None of the above

**Question 2.**  $x^2 + y^2 + 8x - 2y = -16$  is the implicit equation of: [4]

- a circle centered at  $(3, 0)$   
 an ellipse  
 a circle of radius 1  
 None of the above

**Question 3.** Consider the vector field  $\mathbf{F} = y\mathbf{i}$ . In spherical coordinates, what is the correct expression for  $\mathbf{F}$ ? [4]

- $r \sin \theta \sin \phi (\sin \theta \cos \phi \mathbf{e}_r + \cos \theta \cos \phi \mathbf{e}_\theta - \sin \phi \mathbf{e}_\phi)$   
  $r \sin \theta \sin \phi (\sin \theta \cos \phi \mathbf{e}_r + \sin \phi \mathbf{e}_\theta - \cos \theta \cos \phi \mathbf{e}_\phi)$   
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**Question 4.** Consider the vector field  $\mathbf{F} = (x^2, xy, xz)$ . Compute the divergence and curl of  $\mathbf{F}$  and give the solution in the box: [4]

**Question 5.** Let  $\mathbf{F}$  and  $U$  be a vector field and a scalar field respectively. For each of the following expressions, state whether it is a scalar field (**scalar**), a vector field (**vector**) or an invalid expression (**invalid**): [4]

- $U^2(\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})$  : \_\_\_\_\_
- $U(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})\nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})$  : \_\_\_\_\_
- $\nabla \times (\nabla U)$  : \_\_\_\_\_
- $\nabla \times \nabla(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F})$  : \_\_\_\_\_

**Section B**

Respond to the following questions only using the space left for that purpose.

**Question 6 (15 marks).** Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be the curve in  $\mathbf{R}^3$  whose parametric equation reads  $\mathbf{r}(t) = (\cos t, \sin t, 3t)$ . Consider the points  $A = (0, 0, 0)$ ,  $B = (1, 0, 0)$  and  $C = (-1, 0, -3\pi)$ .

- (a) Make a sketch of this curve, for  $0 \leq t \leq 4\pi$ . [2]
- (b) Only two out of these three points belong to the curve. Determine which are these points and compute the arc length of  $\mathcal{C}$  between these two points. [6]
- (c) Consider the vector field  $\mathbf{F} = x\mathbf{i} + 4y\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$ . Calculate the line integral of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $\mathcal{C}$  between the two points found in part (b) (the direction should be taken from the point with smaller value of the parameter to the one with larger value). [7]

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**Question 7 (25 marks).** Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a suitably differentiable vector field.

- (a) Define what a solenoidal and a conservative vector field are, and then prove the following statement: if  $\mathbf{F}$  is both solenoidal and conservative then its scalar potential  $\phi$  fulfils Laplace's equation. [6]
- (b) Prove that if  $\mathbf{F}$  is conservative then the circulation of  $\mathbf{F}$  is always null. [6]
- (c) Prove that if  $\mathbf{r}(t)$  describes a closed curve that is bounding a closed surface, then the line integral of  $\mathbf{F}$  along the whole curve is always null even if  $\mathbf{F}$  is not conservative. [6]
- (d) Prove that  $\mathbf{F} = (2y, 2x - 2y, 6)$  is conservative and compute a scalar potential  $\phi$  for  $\mathbf{F}$ . [7]

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- Question 8 (10 marks).** (a) State (without proof) the *divergence theorem*. Define precisely all the terms used and any required conditions for the theorem to hold. [3]
- (b) Apply this theorem to calculate the surface integral of the vector field  $\mathbf{F} = zy^2\mathbf{i} + 2y\mathbf{j} - 3x^3\mathbf{k}$  over the cylinder defined by  $x^2 + y^2 \leq a^2$ ,  $0 \leq z \leq b$ , where  $a, b$  are positive constants. Explain in detail why the theorem is applicable in this case. [7]

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**Question 9 (15 marks).** State the definition of the Fourier series  $S(x)$  of a periodic function  $f(x)$  of period  $2\pi$ . [2]

Let  $f(x)$  be a periodic function of period  $2\pi$  defined in  $(-\pi, \pi]$  by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -2 & \text{if } -\pi < x < 0 \\ 2 & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \pi. \end{cases}$$

(a) How can you tell easily that  $S(x)$  does not have any cosine terms? [2]

(b) Calculate the Fourier series  $S(x)$  of  $f(x)$ . [11]

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**Question 10 (15 marks).** Let  $V(x, y)$  be a scalar field that satisfies Laplace's equation inside the square  $0 \leq x \leq 2$ ,  $0 \leq y \leq 2$ . The boundary conditions are:  $V(x, 2) = \sin 4\pi x$  on the side where  $y = 2$ , and  $V = 0$  on the other three sides.

- (a) Make a sketch of the region where  $V(x, y)$  is defined, along with the value of the boundary condition on each side. [3]
- (b) According to the boundary conditions, what type of harmonic function should we use to find the solution to the Dirichlet problem? Justify your answer in detail. [3]
- (c) Find  $V(x, y)$ . [9]

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