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MATH 152
Exam 3
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Test Form A

Part I is multiple choice. There is no partial credit.

Part II is work out. Show all your work. Partial credit will be given.

You may not use a calculator.

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11	/10
12	/15
13	/15
14	/10
TOTAL	

Part I: Multiple Choice (5 points each)

There is no partial credit. You may not use a calculator.

1. Find the values of x such that the vectors $\langle x, -1, 3 \rangle$ and $\langle 2, -5, x \rangle$ are orthogonal.
- 1 only
 - 0 only
 - 1 only
 - 0 and 1 only
 - 1 and -1 only

2. Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{x^3} - 1 - x^3}{x^6}$

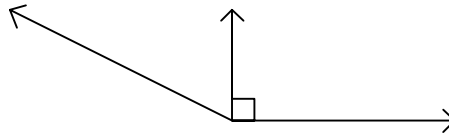
HINT: The series for e^x may be helpful.

- 0
 - $\frac{1}{3!}$
 - $-\frac{1}{3!}$
 - $\frac{1}{2}$
 - ∞
3. Consider the parametric curve $\vec{r}(t) = \langle t, \sin t, t^3 \rangle$. Find parametric equations for the line tangent to the curve at $t = \pi$.
- $x = 1 + \pi t, \quad y = -t, \quad z = 3\pi^2 + \pi^3 t$
 - $x = 1 + \pi t, \quad y = -1, \quad z = 3\pi^2 + \pi^3 t$
 - $x = \pi + t, \quad y = -1 + t \cos t, \quad z = \pi^3 + 3t^3$
 - $x = \pi + t, \quad y = t \cos t, \quad z = \pi^3 + 3t^3$
 - $x = \pi + t, \quad y = -t, \quad z = \pi^3 + 3\pi^2 t$

4. Find the Taylor series for $f(x) = x^2 + 3$ about $x = 2$.

- $7 + 4(x - 2) + (x - 2)^2$
- $7 + 4(x - 2) + 2(x - 2)^2 + 4(x - 2)^3$
- $7 + 4(x - 2) + (x - 2)^2 + \frac{2}{3}(x - 2)^4 + \dots$
- $7 + 4(x - 2) + 2(x - 2)^2 + 4(x - 2)^3 + 2(x - 2)^4 + \dots$
- $7 + 4(x - 2) + 2(x - 2)^2 + \frac{2}{3}(x - 2)^3 + \frac{4}{3}(x - 2)^4$

5. The vectors \vec{a} , \vec{b} and $\vec{c} = \vec{b} - \vec{a}$ all lie in the **same plane** as shown in the diagram. Which of the following statements is TRUE?



- a. $\vec{a} \times \vec{b} = \vec{0}$.
 b. $\vec{a} \times \vec{b}$ points into the page.
 c. $(\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot \vec{c} = 0$.
 d. $\vec{b} \times (\vec{a} \times \vec{c})$ points in the direction of $-\vec{a}$.
 e. None of These
6. Find a power series centered at $x = 0$ for the function $f(x) = \frac{x}{1 - 8x^3}$, and determine its radius of convergence.

- a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n 8^n x^{3n+1} \quad R = \frac{1}{8}$
 b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n 8^n x^{3n+1} \quad R = 8$
 c. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{8^n}{n!} x^{3n+1} \quad R = 2$
 d. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 8^n x^{3n+1} \quad R = \frac{1}{8}$
 e. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 8^n x^{3n+1} \quad R = \frac{1}{2}$

7. Find the distance from the point $(3, -2, 4)$ to the center of the sphere $(x - 1)^2 + (y + 1)^2 + (z - 2)^2 = 4$
- a. 2
 b. 3
 c. 9
 d. $\sqrt{61}$
 e. 61

8. Let $f(x) = \sin(x^2)$. Compute $f^{(14)}(0)$, the 14th derivative of $f(x)$ evaluated at 0.

HINT: Use a series for $\sin(x^2)$.

- a. $-\frac{1}{14! \cdot 7!}$
- b. $\frac{7!}{14!}$
- c. $\frac{14!}{7!}$
- d. $-\frac{14!}{7!}$
- e. $-14! \cdot 7!$

9. Find the angle between the vectors $\vec{u} = \langle 1, 1, 0 \rangle$ and $\vec{v} = \langle 1, 2, 1 \rangle$.

- a. 0°
- b. 30°
- c. 45°
- d. 60°
- e. 90°

10. Evaluate the integral $\int_0^{1/2} \frac{1}{1+x^3} dx$ as an infinite series.

- a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3n} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^3} + \frac{1}{2^6} - \frac{1}{2^9} + \dots$
- b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3n+1} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4 \cdot 2^4} + \frac{1}{7 \cdot 2^7} + \frac{1}{10 \cdot 2^{10}} + \dots$
- c. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{3n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3n+1} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4 \cdot 2^4} + \frac{1}{7 \cdot 2^7} - \frac{1}{10 \cdot 2^{10}} + \dots$
- d. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (3n-1) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3n-1} = -2 - \frac{2}{2^2} + \frac{5}{2^5} - \frac{8}{2^8} + \dots$
- e. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{3n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3n-1} = -2 - \frac{1}{2 \cdot 2^2} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 2^5} - \frac{1}{8 \cdot 2^8} + \dots$

Part II: Work Out (points indicated below)

Show all your work. Partial credit will be given.

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11. (10 points) Consider the planes

$$P_1 : 2x - y + z = 1$$

$$P_2 : x + y - 3z = 2$$

a. (2 pts) Fill in the blanks:

A normal to the plane P_1 is $\vec{N}_1 =$ _____

A normal to the plane P_2 is $\vec{N}_2 =$ _____

b. (3 pts) Find a vector parallel to the line of intersection of the two planes.

c. (3 pts) Find a point on the line of intersection of the two planes.

d. (2 pts) Find parametric equations for the line of intersection of the two planes.

12. (15 points) Let $f(x) = \ln x$.

a. (10 pts) Find the 3rd degree Taylor polynomial T_3 for $f(x)$ about $x = 2$.

b. (5 pts) If this polynomial T_3 is used to approximate $f(x)$ on the interval $1 \leq x \leq 3$, estimate the maximum error $|R_3|$ in this approximation using Taylor's Inequality.

$$|R_n(x)| < \frac{M}{(n+1)!} |x-2|^{n+1} \quad \text{where } M \geq |f^{(n+1)}(x)| \text{ for } 1 \leq x \leq 3.$$

13. (15 points) Consider the points

$$P = (1, 0, -1), \quad Q = (2, 3, 1) \quad \text{and} \quad R = (0, 4, 1)$$

a. (5 pts) Find a vector orthogonal to the plane determined by P , Q and R .

b. (5 pts) Find the area of the triangle with vertices P , Q and R .

c. (5 pts) Find the equation of the plane determined by P , Q and R .

14. (10 points) Find the radius of convergence and the interval of convergence of the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n \sqrt{n+1}} (x-2)^n.$$