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MAS156

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

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MAS156 Mathematics (Electrical and Aerospace)

2 hours 30 minutes

Attempt ALL questions.

Each question in Section A carries 2 or 3 marks and each question in Section B carries 8 marks.

Section A

- A1** Give an example of a function f which has a minimum at $x = 0$ but which has $f''(0) = 0$.
Give an example of a function g which has $g'(2) = 0$ but which does not have a minimum or a maximum at $x = 2$. *(2 marks)*
- A2** Calculate $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$ where $f(x, y) = y \sin(xy)$. *(3 marks)*
- A3** Calculate the angle between the vectors $(1, 2, 3)$ and $(4, 5, 6)$. *(3 marks)*
- A4** Find all complex numbers z that satisfy the equation $|z - 1| = |z - j|$. *(3 marks)*
- A5** Evaluate the indefinite integral $\int \frac{x^2}{1+x} dx$. *(3 marks)*

A6 Find the general solution of the differential equation $t \frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = \sqrt{t}$. (3 marks)

A7 Find the inverse Laplace transform of the function $\frac{1 - 2s}{s^2 + 6s + 13}$. (3 marks)

A8 Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{x \sin 2x}{\pi - 2x}$. (3 marks)

A9 Evaluate the determinant of the matrix $M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. (3 marks)

A10 Find the eigenvalues of the matrix $M = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. (3 marks)

Section B

B1 Find the solutions of $z^4 = j$ and plot them on the Argand plane.
Find the solutions of $(w - 1)^4 = j$.

B2 State, without proof or justification, the limits

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{x} \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x) - 1}{x}.$$

Give the definition of the derivative of a function f at the point $x = a$.
Use this to prove from first principles that if $f(x) = \sin(x)$ then $f'(a) = \cos(a)$.

B3 State the domain and range of each of the following functions: $f(x) = \cosh(x)$ and $g(x) = \operatorname{arccosh}(x)$.
Suppose that $y = \operatorname{arcsinh}(x)$ and $z = e^y$. Show that

$$z^2 - 2xz - 1 = 0.$$

Find z and hence deduce a formula for $\operatorname{arcsinh}(x)$ in terms of x .

B4 Let $I(a) = \int \frac{dx}{x^2 + 4x + a}$, where a is a constant.

Find the indefinite integral $I(a)$ when

- (i) $a = 0$,
- (ii) $a = 4$,
- (iii) $a = 5$.

B5 Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 6\frac{dy}{dt} + 13y = \sin 2t.$$

Show that as $t \rightarrow \infty$, y is approximately equal to $\alpha \sin(2t - \phi)$, and determine the values of α and ϕ .

B6 (i) Sketch the function

$$f(x) = e^{-x} \cos 10x, \quad x \geq 0.$$

Show from your sketch that the equation

$$e^{-x} \cos 10x = 2x, \quad x \geq 0$$

has a single solution $x_* \in (0, \pi/20)$.

(ii) Devise the Newton-Raphson iterative scheme to solve the equation

$$e^{-x} \cos 10x - 2x = 0, \quad x \geq 0.$$

Using $x_0 = 0.1$ as a first approximation, use this scheme to find the solution correct to four decimal places.

B7 (i) Find the relationship between α and β if the system of equations

$$x - 2y + z = 0$$

$$2x + y + z = 0$$

$$4x + \alpha y + \beta z = 0$$

has a non-trivial solution. Find the general solution when this relationship holds.

(ii) Find the values of α and β for which the equations

$$x - 2y + z = 0$$

$$2x + y + z = 5$$

$$4x + \alpha y + \beta z = 0$$

have infinitely many solutions.

End of Question Paper

Formula Sheet for MAS156

Trigonometry

$$\cos^2 \theta = (1 + \cos 2\theta)/2$$

$$\sin^2 \theta = (1 - \cos 2\theta)/2$$

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

Hyperbolic Functions

$$\cosh^2 \theta = (1 + \cosh 2\theta)/2$$

$$\sinh^2 \theta = -(1 - \cosh 2\theta)/2$$

$$\sinh 2\theta = 2 \sinh \theta \cosh \theta$$

Binomial theorem

$$(1 + x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!}x^2 + \dots + \binom{n}{r}x^r + \dots$$

$$\text{where } \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-r+1)}{r!}.$$

If n is a positive integer then the series terminates and the result is true for all x , otherwise, the series is infinite and only converges for $|x| < 1$.

Function

Derivative

$\sin x$

$\cos x$

$\cos x$

$-\sin x$

$\tan x$

$\sec^2 x$

$\operatorname{cosec} x$

$-\operatorname{cosec} x \cot x$

$\sec x$

$\sec x \tan x$

$\cot x$

$-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x$

$\sinh x$

$\cosh x$

$\cosh x$

$\sinh x$

$\tanh x$

$\operatorname{sech}^2 x$

$\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}}$

$\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{-1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}}$

$\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{a}{a^2 + x^2}$

$\sinh^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}}$

$\cosh^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}}$

$\tanh^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right)$

$\frac{a}{a^2 - x^2}$

Integration-by-Parts

$$\int uv' dx = uv - \int u'v dx$$

Substitution for a Rational Function of $\sin x$ and $\cos x$

If $t = \tan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$ then $\sin x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$, $\cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{2}{1+t^2}$.

Taylor expansion of $f(x)$ about $x = a$

$$f(a) + (x-a)f^{(1)}(a) + \frac{(x-a)^2}{2!}f^{(2)}(a) + \dots + \frac{(x-a)^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}f^{(n-1)}(a) + \dots$$

Newton-Raphson formula for the root of $f(x) = 0$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

Table of Laplace transforms

$f(t)$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}(f(t))$
t^n	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}} \quad (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots)$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}$
$\sin \omega t$	$\frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$
$\cos \omega t$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$
$\sinh \omega t$	$\frac{\omega}{s^2 - \omega^2}$
$\cosh \omega t$	$\frac{s}{s^2 - \omega^2}$
$e^{at}f(t)$	$F(s-a)$ (shift theorem)
$f'(t)$	$sF(s) - f(0)$
$f''(t)$	$s^2F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$