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9:00 AM – 9:40 AM

This paper consists of two sections, A and B. Answer ALL the questions in Section A and TWO questions from Section B. Section A will be collected after the first 40 minutes.

SECTION A  
(20 MARKS)

Answer ALL questions in this Section.

Items 1 to 20 are stems followed by four options lettered A to D. Read each item carefully and circle the letter of the correct or best option.

- Given  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = A$ , what is  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} cf(x)$ ?
  - A
  - $A - c$
  - $A + c$
  - $cA$
- Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \frac{\ln x}{x+1}$ .
  - 1
  - 0
  - 1
  - Does not exist
- Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4} \sqrt{25 - x^2}$ .
  - 0
  - 3
  - 6
  - 9

4. Determine the point(s) where the function  $f(x) = \frac{x^2-4}{x-2}$  is **not** continuous.
- 2
  - 3
  - 4
  - 5
5. Which of the following statements is **not** true for a function  $f(x)$  to be continuous at  $x_0$ ?
- $f(x_0)$  is defined
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$  exists
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) = f(x_0)$
  - $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x) \neq f(x_0)$
6. Given that  $u$  and  $v$  are functions of  $x$ , find  $\frac{d(uv)}{dx}$ .
- $\frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dv}{dx}$
  - $\frac{dudv}{dx^2}$
  - $u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$
  - $\frac{du}{dx} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$
7. If  $y = f(x)$  and  $u = g(x)$  are both differentiable functions, then  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is given as .....
- $\frac{dy}{du} + \frac{dx}{du}$
  - $\frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$
  - $\frac{dydx}{du^2}$
  - $\frac{dy}{du} - \frac{dx}{du}$
8. Find with respect to  $x$ , the first derivative of  $(2 - 3x)^5$ .
- $-15(2 - 3x)^5$
  - $15(2 + 3x)^4$
  - $-15(2 - 3x)^4$
  - $-15x(2 - 3x)^4$
9. Find the linearization  $L(x)$  of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  at  $a = 4$ .
- $1 + \frac{1}{4}x$
  - $1 + \frac{1}{2}x$
  - $2 + \frac{1}{4}x$
  - $2 + \frac{1}{2}x$

10. If the linearization of  $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{1+x}$  at  $a = 0$  is  $L(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x$ , use it to estimate the value of  $\sqrt[3]{1.1}$ .
- A. 1.02
  - B. 1.03
  - C. 1.04
  - D. 1.05
11. Which of the following statement is **not** a condition for the function  $f$  to be continuous at  $x = a$ ?
- A.  $f(a)$  is defined.
  - B.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x)$  exists.
  - C.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = f(a)$
  - D.  $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(a) = f(x)$
12. Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\ln x}{x-1}$ .
- A. 0
  - B. 1
  - C. 2
  - D.  $\infty$
13. Evaluate  $\int_0^2 (4t + 3) dt$ .
- A. 14
  - B. 15
  - C. 17
  - D. 20
14. Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be the gradients of the tangent and normal lines respectively to a curve at a point. What is  $m_1 m_2$ ?
- A. -2
  - B. -1
  - C. 0
  - D. 1
15. Find the equation of the normal line to  $y = x^3 - 2x^2 + 4$  at  $(2, 4)$ .
- A.  $4x - y = 18$
  - B.  $x - 4y = 18$
  - C.  $x + 4y = 18$
  - D.  $4x + y = 18$
16. The velocity of a particle in  $ms^{-1}$ , after  $t$  seconds,  $v = 3t^2 + 2t - 1$ . Determine its acceleration at the of 2 seconds.
- A.  $10m/s^2$
  - B.  $13m/s^2$
  - C.  $14m/s^2$
  - D.  $17m/s^2$

17. If  $\int_2^a (2x + 2) dx = 8$ ,  $a > 0$ , determine the value of  $a$ .
- A. 2
  - B. 3
  - C. 6
  - D. 8
18. Find the area under the parabola  $y = x^2 + 2$ , above the  $x$  - axis, and between  $x = 1$  and  $x = 3$ .
- A.  $10\frac{2}{3}$  sq units
  - B.  $12\frac{2}{3}$  sq units
  - C.  $12\frac{2}{7}$  sq units
  - D.  $12\frac{5}{7}$  sq units
19. Find the area of the region enclosed by the parabolas  $y = x^2$  and  $y = 2x - x^2$ .
- A.  $\frac{1}{3}$
  - B.  $\frac{1}{2}$
  - C. 2
  - D. 3
20. Find  $y''$ , given  $x + xy + y = 2$ .
- A.  $\frac{1+y}{(1+x)^2}$
  - B.  $\frac{2(1+y)}{(1+x)^2}$
  - C.  $\frac{1-y}{(1+x)^2}$
  - D.  $\frac{2(1-y)}{(1+x)^2}$