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## Final Exam

MAT 127 Spring 2005

Directions: There are 8 questions. You have until 1:30 PM (150 minutes). For credit, you must show all your work, using the backs of the pages if necessary. You may not use a calculator.

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Total Score. \_\_\_\_/100

1. A function  $y(t)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 - y - 6.$$

- (a) What are the constant solutions of the equation?
- (b) For what values of  $y$  is  $y$  increasing?
- (c) For what values of  $y$  is  $y$  decreasing?

2. Solve the following initial value problems. (Hint: they are both separable.)

(a)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -2x^2t$ ,  $x(0) = 1/3$

(b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = y \cos t$ ,  $y(\pi) = 1$

3. Assume a contagious disease spreads at a rate proportional to the number of infected people. Initially there are 10 people infected and after 1 month there are 100 people infected.

(a) Find an expression for the number of infected people after  $t$  months.

(b) When will there be 1000 infected people?

4. Compute the limits of the following convergent sequences:

(a)  $\left\{ \frac{\sin 5n}{2n} \right\}$

(b)  $\left\{ \frac{n}{(\ln n)^2} \right\}$

5. Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent. State which test you're using.

(a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3n}{n^3+4}$

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

6. Compute the following sums.

(a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3^{2n+1}}{10^n}$

(b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [\sin(1/n) - \sin(1/(n+1))]$

7. Compute and write out the following series. If applicable, you can use the table of Maclaurin series provided with your exam:

(a) The Maclaurin series for  $f(x) = x^3 e^{x^3}$ .

(b) The Taylor series, centered around  $a = 1$ , for  $f(x) = x^3$ .

8. Consider the power series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-2)^n}{n3^n}.$$

- (a) Write the “center” of this power series.
- (b) Find the open interval of absolute convergence.
- (c) Determine whether the series converges or diverges at each of the interval’s endpoints.

Here are some Maclaurin series from the text:

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n \quad \text{for } |x| < 1$$

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

$$\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$