

**FINAL
ALTERNATIVE ASSESSMENT**

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Session : August 2020

Programme : Diploma in Electrical & Electronic Engineering (DEEI)
Diploma in Mechanical Engineering (DMEN)

Course : MAT1121/MAT1134: Engineering Mathematics 1

Date of Examination : 17 December 2020 (Thursday)

Time : 4.00pm – 6.15pm Reading Time : Nil

Duration : 2 Hours 15 Minutes

Special Instructions :

This paper consists of **FOUR (4)** questions. Answer **ALL** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Material permitted : Non-Programmable Scientific Calculator

Materials provided : Mathematics Formulae Booklet

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Question 1

- (a) Prove that $kx^2 + 2x - (k - 2) = 0$ has real roots for any values of k . (3 marks)
- (b) Express $y = 3x^2 - 6x + 5$ in the form of $y = 3(x - p)^2 + q$, where p and q are constant. Hence, find the minimum value of y and the value of x at which the minimum value occurs. Sketch the curve of $y = 3x^2 - 6x + 5$. (5 marks)
- (c) Simplify $3^{1/4} \times 6^{3/4} \times 2^{5/4}$. (3 marks)
- (d) Simplify $\frac{\sqrt{5} + 3}{\sqrt{5} - 2}$ by rationalizing the denominator. (3 marks)
- (e) Solve $\log_3 x - 4 \log_x 3 + 3 = 0$. (6 marks)
- (f) Given that $P(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 6$, where a and b are constants. If $(x - 2)$ is a factor of $P(x)$, and that when $P(x)$ is divided by $(x - 1)$ the remainder is 4. Find the values of a and b . Hence, factorize the polynomial completely. (5 marks)

Question 2

- (a) Solve $2 \tan^2 x = 3(1 + \sec x)$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$. (6 marks)
- (b) Given that $\tan \theta = -\frac{4}{3}$ and $\cos \phi = \frac{4}{5}$, and that both θ and ϕ are in the same quadrant. Find the value of $\sin(\theta + \phi)$ without using a calculator. (4 marks)
- (c) Change $(-12, 5)$ from rectangular coordinates to polar coordinates. (3 marks)

- (d) Find the term independent of x in the binomial expansion of $\left(2x^3 - \frac{1}{x}\right)^{12}$. (6 marks)
- (e) Use Newton's method to estimate a root of the equation $\ln x - 2 + x = 0$ with the initial value, $x_0 = 2$. Give your answer correct to three decimal places. (6 marks)

Question 3

- (a) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for each of the following.
- (i) $y = (1 + x^2) \sin^2 x$ (3 marks)
- (ii) $y = e^{4-x^2}$ (3 marks)
- (iii) $y = \log_4(x^2 + 1)$ (3 marks)
- (b) Find the derivative, $\frac{dy}{dx}$ of $y^3 - 2x^2 = 3xy^2 + 19$ using implicit differentiation. (4 marks)
- (c) Find the stationary points of the function $y = 2 + 3x - x^3$ and determine the nature of each stationary point. Hence, sketch the graph of the function. (6 marks)
- (d) A spherical balloon is being blown up so that its volume increases at a constant rate of $1.5 \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$. Find the rate of increase of the radius when the volume of the balloon is 56 cm^3 . Give your answer in five decimal places. (6 marks)

Question 4

- (a) Find the following integrals.
- (i) $\int_0^4 x^2 - \sqrt{x} \, dx$ (3 marks)
- (ii) $\int x(3x^2 + 1)^6 \, dx$ (3 marks)
- (iii) $\int \frac{3x^2}{x^3 - 4} \, dx$ (3 marks)

- (b) Use the trapezoidal rule to evaluate $\int_1^2 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$ using $n = 5$. Show your working in the form of table and give your final answer to 4 decimal places. (5 marks)
- (c) Find the volume of the solid of revolution generated by revolving the region under the graph of $y = x^2 + 3$ from $x = 0$ to $x = 5$ around the x-axis. (5 marks)
- (d) Determine the area enclosed between the curve $y = x^2$ and the line $y = 9$. (6 marks)

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