

Math 303: Midterm Exam # 1

Fall 2006

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- You have 80 minutes.
- You may use any statement which has been proven in class, except for the cases where you are asked to reproduce the proof of that statement.
- You may ask any question about the exam within the first 10 minutes. After this time for any question you may want to ask 5 points will be deducted from your grade (You may or may not get an answer to your question(s).)
- (Optional) Grade your own work out of 100. Record your estimated grade here:

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If your expected grade and actual grade will turn out to differ by 9 points or less, you will be given the highest of the two.

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Problem 1. Let $a := i^{\sqrt{2}}$ and $b := (\sqrt{2})^i$. Find the polar representation of all values of the product of a and b . (15 points)

Problem 2. Let $F : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $F(x, y) := \frac{y^2}{2} - e^x(y - 1)$ for all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$. Find the stationary point(s) of F and determine whether it is (they are) a maximum, minimum, or saddle point. (20 points)

Problem 3. Let $\vec{A} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ and $\vec{B} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be differentiable functions and $\vec{C} := \vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{A} \times \vec{B})$. Use the properties of the Kronecker delta and Levi Civita epsilon symbols to show that the component of C along the x -axis is given by

$$\vec{B} \cdot \vec{\nabla} A_1 - \vec{A} \cdot \vec{\nabla} B_1 + A_1 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} - B_1 \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{A},$$

where A_1 and B_1 are respectively components of \vec{A} and \vec{B} along the x -axis. (15 points)

Problem 4. Give the statement of the Stokes theorem and prove it (using the Green's theorem in the plane) for a vector field \vec{A} that is defined on the following surface. (25 points)

$$S := \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x = 0, |y| \leq 1, |z| \leq 2\}.$$

Problem 5. Let S be the boundary of the region V defined by

$$V := \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 1, 0 \leq z \leq 1\},$$

\hat{n} be the unit outward normal vector to S , and $\vec{J}: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the vector field defined by:

$$\vec{J}(x, y, z) = yz \hat{i} - xz^2 \hat{j} + (x^2 + y^2)z^3 \hat{k},$$

where $\hat{i}, \hat{j}, \hat{k}$ are the unit vectors along positive x -, y -, and z -axes. Compute the surface integral of $\vec{J} \cdot \hat{n}$ on S , i.e., $\iint_S \vec{J} \cdot \hat{n} \, ds$. (25 points)

Hint: Use divergence theorem.