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Instructions: Answer Question 1 (compulsory) (worth 40 marks)
AND one question from section B (worth 30 marks)
AND one question from section C (worth 30 marks).

Duration: 2 hours

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Requirements for this examination: Mathematical Tables.

Note to Candidates: Please check the **Programme Title** and the **Module Title** to ensure that you have received the correct examination.

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Section A

Q1.

- (a) Differentiate the following function implicitly

$$x^3 + y^3 = 3xy.$$

[6 marks]

- (b) A curve is described parametrically by the equations

$$x = 3t^2; \quad y = 3t.$$

Find the slope of the tangent line to this curve at the point (24, 6)

[5 marks]

- (c) Find the following integral

$$\int 3xe^{2x} dx$$

[6 marks]

- (d) Evaluate the following integral

$$\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 6x + 13} dx$$

[5 marks]

- (e) For $\mathbf{x} = 3\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{y} = 2\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$, find

(i) $\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}$

(ii) $\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}$

(iii) $(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) \cdot (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y})$

[4 marks]

- (f) For the vectors $\mathbf{a} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ and $\mathbf{b} = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$, find $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$.

[4 marks]

P.T.O.

(g) Express the system of equations

$$2x + y = 3$$

$$x - 2y = -1$$

in matrix form. Use the inverse matrix method to solve it and check your answer.

[5 marks]

(h) For the matrices

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}; \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

show that $(BC)^T = C^T B^T$

[5 marks]

Section B

Q2.

(a) For the matrices

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}; B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}; C = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

(i) Determine each of the following, if defined:

- $A + B$
- $A + C$
- $(A + B)^T$
- CA
- AC

(ii) Given the matrices

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}; C = \begin{pmatrix} 16 & 32 \\ 36 & 84 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine the matrix X such that $XA=C$

[11 marks]

(b) Find the values of k for which the determinant of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & (1+k) \\ 2k & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

is equal to zero.

[3 marks]

(c) (i) Obtain the inverse of the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

P.T.O.

Use this to solve the system of equations

$$3x + 2y - 2z = 16$$

$$4x + 3y + 3z = 2$$

$$-2x + y - z = 1$$

(ii) Use Cramer's rule to verify the answer for z .

[16 marks]

Section B (continued)

Q3.

(a) For the vector $\mathbf{v} = 3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$:

(i) Find the magnitude of \mathbf{v} .

(ii) Find the unit vector in the direction of \mathbf{v} .

(iii) If the vector $\mathbf{w} = 4\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} + t\mathbf{k}$ is perpendicular to \mathbf{v} , find the value of t .

[10 marks]

(b) Find the work done by a force $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ in moving an object from the point A(1, 1, 1) to the point B(2, 2, 2).

(You may assume that force is measured in Newtons and displacement is measured in metres)

[10 marks]

(c) A force of 18 Newtons acts through the point P(-1, 3, -4) in the direction of the vector $3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k}$. Find its moment about the origin (0, 0, 0).

(You may assume that displacement is measured in metres)

[10 marks]

Section C

Q4.

a) Given $z = x^3 + xy^3$ find $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2}$, $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2}$, $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y \partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y}$.

[12 marks]

b) The surface area A of a spherical balloon is increasing at the rate of $40 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$. Find the rate of change of the radius R of the balloon when the radius equals 20 cm .

[10 marks]

c) Given the function $z = \ln(e^x + e^y)$ show that

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 1$$

[8 marks]

Section C (continued)

Q5.

a) Find the following integral

$$\int \ln x \, dx$$

[6 marks]

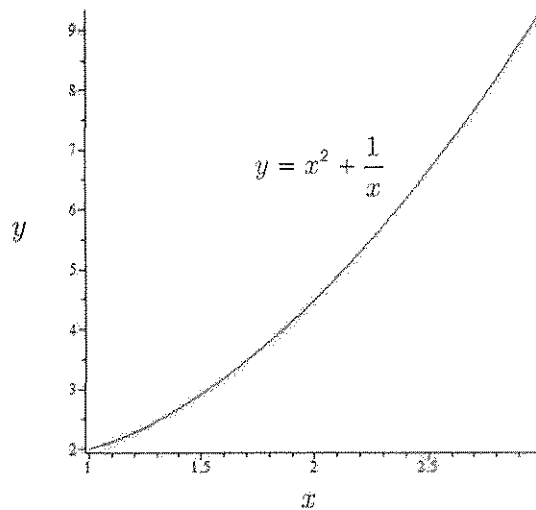
b) The force F (Newtons) acting on an object is given by $F(x) = \frac{12}{4x^2 + 9}$ where x is the displacement of the object in metres. Find the work done in moving the object by 3 metres from the origin O .

[7 marks]

c) Given the curve $y = x^2 + \frac{1}{x}$ (shown on the picture) determine

- the area between this curve, the x -axis, and the ordinates at $x = 1$ and $x = 3$.
- the coordinates of the centroid of this area.

[17 marks]



Required Formulae

$$\text{Centroid: } \bar{x} = \frac{\int xy \, dx}{\int y \, dx} ; \quad \bar{y} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \int y^2 \, dx}{\int y \, dx}$$

$$\text{Work done by variable force: } W = \int F \, dx$$

