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MA1505 MATHEMATICS I

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Question 1 (a) [5 marks]

Find the slope of the tangent to the curve $y^2 = x^3 + 2x^2 - 20$ at the point $(3, 5)$.

Answer 1(a)	$\frac{39}{10}$
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$$y^2 = x^3 + 2x^2 - 20$$

$$2y y' = 3x^2 + 4x$$

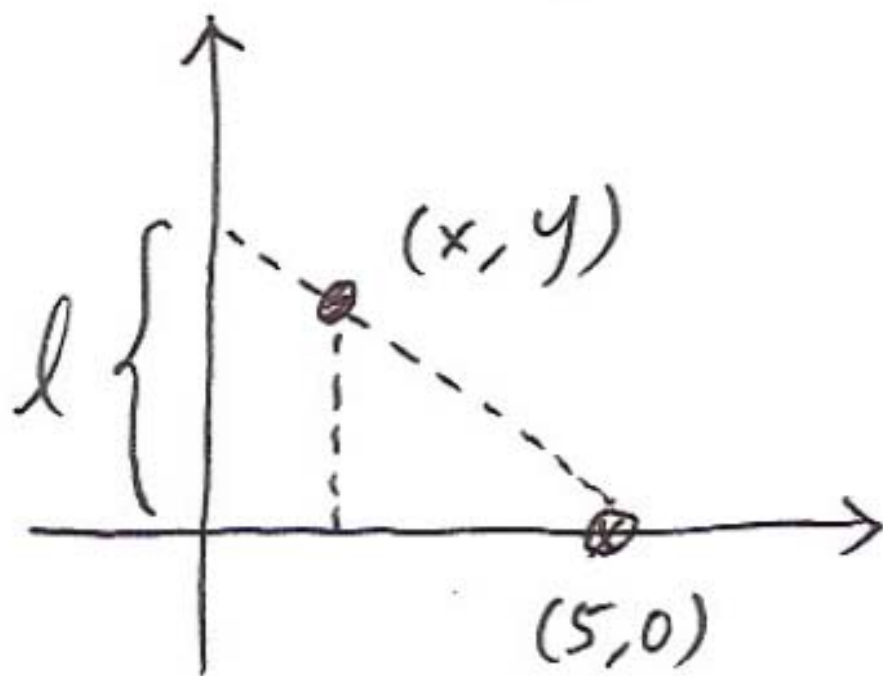
$$x=3, y=5 \Rightarrow 10y' = 27 + 12 = 39$$

$$\therefore y' = \underline{\underline{\frac{39}{10}}}$$

Question 1 (b) [5 marks]

A lamp is located at the point $(5, 0)$ in the xy -plane. An ant is crawling in the first quadrant of the plane and the lamp casts its shadow onto the y -axis. How fast is the ant's shadow moving along the y -axis when the ant is at position $(1, 2)$ and moving so that its x -coordinate is increasing at a rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ units/sec and its y -coordinate is decreasing at a rate of $\frac{1}{5}$ units/sec?

Answer 1(b)	$\frac{1}{16}$
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$$\frac{l}{y} = \frac{5}{5-x}$$

$$l = \frac{5y}{5-x}$$

$$\frac{dl}{dt} = \frac{5 \frac{dy}{dt}(5-x) + 5y \frac{dx}{dt}}{(5-x)^2}$$

$$x=1, y=2, \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dl}{dt} = \frac{5(-\frac{1}{5})(5-1) + 5(2)(\frac{1}{2})}{(5-1)^2} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{16}}}$$

Question 2 (a) [5 marks]

Find the **exact** value of the integral

$$\int_0^{\sqrt{101}} 2x^3 e^{x^2} dx.$$

Express your answer in terms of e .

Answer 2(a)	$100e^{101} + 1$
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$$\text{let } u = x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\sqrt{101}} 2x^3 e^{x^2} dx = \int_0^{101} u e^u du$$

$$= \int_0^{101} u d(e^u)$$

$$= [u e^u]_0^{101} - \int_0^{101} e^u du$$

$$= 101 e^{101} - [e^u]_0^{101}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{100 e^{101} + 1}}$$

Question 2 (b) [5 marks]

Find a degree three polynomial to approximate the function

$$f(x) = \ln(1 + \sin x)$$

near $x = 0$.

Answer 2(b)	$x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}x^3$
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$$f(x) = \ln(1 + \sin x) \Rightarrow f(0) = 0$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} \Rightarrow f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{-\sin x (1 + \sin x) - \cos^2 x}{(1 + \sin x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-\sin x - 1}{(1 + \sin x)^2} = \frac{-1}{1 + \sin x} \Rightarrow f''(0) = -1$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{\cos x}{(1 + \sin x)^2} \Rightarrow f'''(0) = 1$$

$$\therefore f(x) \approx 0 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}x^3$$

$$= x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}x^3$$

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Question 3 (a) [5 marks]

Let $f(x) = |\sin x|$ for all $x \in (-\pi, \pi)$, and $f(x + 2\pi) = f(x)$ for all x .
Let

$$a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

be the Fourier Series which represents $f(x)$. Let m denote a fixed positive integer. Find the **exact** value of a_{2m} . Express your answer in terms of m in the simplest form.

Answer 3(a)	
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	$-\frac{4}{(4m^2-1)\pi}$
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Note that f is even.

$$\begin{aligned}a_{2m} &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos 2mx \, dx \\&= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \{ \sin(2m+1)x - \sin(2m-1)x \} \, dx \\&= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[-\frac{1}{2m+1} \cos(2m+1)x + \frac{1}{2m-1} \cos(2m-1)x \right]_0^{\pi} \\&= \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{(-1)^{2m+2}}{2m+1} + \frac{1}{2m+1} + \frac{(-1)^{2m-1}}{2m-1} - \frac{1}{2m-1} \right\} \\&= \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{2}{2m+1} - \frac{2}{2m-1} \right\} \\&= - \frac{4}{(4m^2-1)\pi} \\&= \underline{\underline{- \frac{4}{(4m^2-1)\pi}}}\end{aligned}$$

Question 3 (b) [5 marks]

Find the shortest distance from the point $(-1, 1, 2)$ to the plane

$$2x + 3y - z - 10 = 0.$$

Answer 3(b)	$\frac{11}{\sqrt{14}}$
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$$d = \frac{|2(-1) + 3(1) - (2) - 10|}{\sqrt{4 + 9 + 1}} = \frac{11}{\sqrt{14}}$$

Question 4 (a) [5 marks]

Let L_1 be a straight line which passes through the point $(-1, 0, 1)$ and suppose that L_1 is perpendicular to the plane $2x - y + 7z = 12$. Let L_2 be the line $\mathbf{r}(t) = (2 + t)\mathbf{i} + (-4 + 2t)\mathbf{j} + (18 - 3t)\mathbf{k}$. Find the coordinates of the point of intersection of L_1 and L_2 .

Answer 4(a)	$(3, -2, 15)$
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$$\begin{aligned} L_1: (x, y, z) &= (-1, 0, 1) + s(2, -1, 7) \\ &= (-1 + 2s, -s, 1 + 7s) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} 2 + t = -1 + 2s & \text{--- ①} \\ -4 + 2t = -s & \text{--- ②} \\ 18 - 3t = 1 + 7s & \text{--- ③} \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{1} + 2 \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow -6 + 5x = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1$$

$$\therefore \text{point of intersection} = \underline{\underline{(3, -2, 15)}}$$

Question 4 (b) [5 marks]

Let $f(x, y) = \ln(\tan x + \tan y)$, with $0 < x, y < \frac{\pi}{2}$. Find the value of

$$(\sin 2x) \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + (\sin 2y) \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}.$$

Your answer should be a number.

Answer	2
4(b)	

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\sec^2 x}{\tan x + \tan y}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\sec^2 y}{\tan x + \tan y}$$

$$\sin 2x \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \sin 2y \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{2 \tan x}{\tan x + \tan y} + \frac{2 \tan y}{\tan x + \tan y}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{2}}$$

Question 5 (a) [5 marks]

Let n be a positive integer. Find the directional derivative of

$$f(x, y) = x^2 - xy + y^n$$

at the point $(2, 1)$ in the direction of the vector joining the point $(2, 1)$ to the point $(6, 4)$. Express your answer in terms of n .

Answer 5(a)	$\frac{3n+6}{5}$
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$$\vec{u} = \frac{(6, 4) - (2, 1)}{\|(6, 4) - (2, 1)\|} = \frac{(4, 3)}{5} = \left(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{3}{5}\right)$$

$$\nabla f = (f_x, f_y) = (2x - y, -x + ny^{n-1})$$

$$\nabla f(2, 1) = (3, n-2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_{\vec{u}} f(2,1) &= \nabla f(2,1) \cdot \vec{u} \\ &= \frac{12}{5} + \frac{3(n-2)}{5} \\ &= \underline{\underline{\frac{3n+6}{5}}} \end{aligned}$$

Question 5 (b) [5 marks]

Evaluate

$$\iint_D x dA,$$

where D is the finite plane region in the first quadrant bounded by the two coordinate axes and the curve $y = 1 - x^2$.

Answer	$\frac{1}{4}$
5(b)	

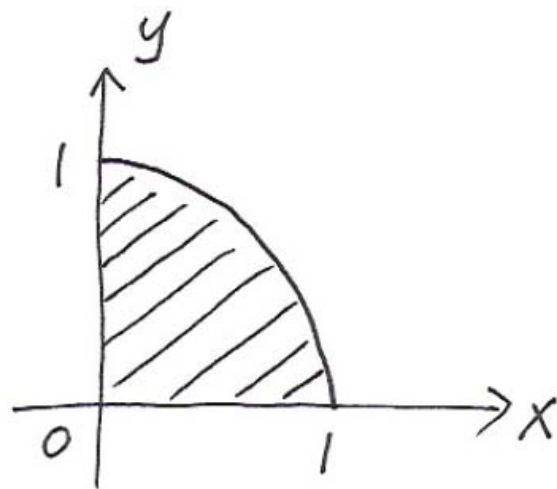
$$\iint_D x dx dy$$

$$= \int_0^1 \int_0^{1-x^2} x dy dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 [xy]_{y=0}^{y=1-x^2} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 x(1-x^2) dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 (x - x^3) dx = \left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 \right]_0^1 = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{4}}}$$



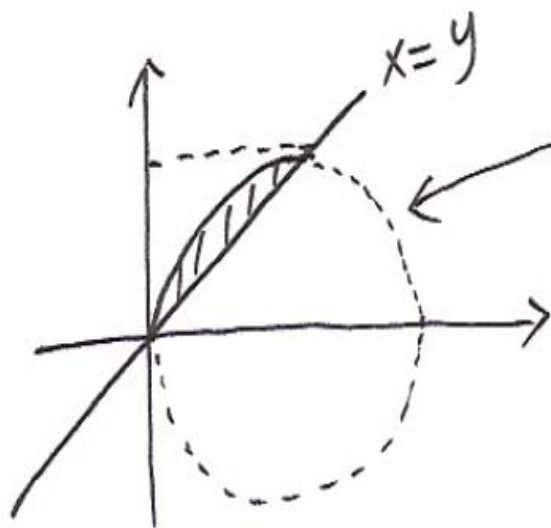
Question 6 (a) [5 marks]

Find the **exact** value of the integral

$$\int_0^1 \int_{1-\sqrt{1-y^2}}^y y e^{(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3)} dx dy.$$

Express your answer in terms of e .

Answer 6(a)	$\frac{1}{2}(e^{1/3} - 1)$
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$$x = 1 - \sqrt{1 - y^2} \Leftrightarrow \sqrt{1 - y^2} = 1 - x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Leftrightarrow 1 - y^2 &= (1 - x)^2 \\ &= 1 - 2x + x^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y^2 = 2x - x^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Given integral} &= \int_0^1 \int_x^{\sqrt{2x-x^2}} y e^{(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3)} dy dx \\
&= \int_0^1 \left[\frac{1}{2} y^2 e^{(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3)} \right]_{y=x}^{y=\sqrt{2x-x^2}} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (2x - 2x^2) e^{(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3)} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} e^{(x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3)} \Big|_0^1 \\
&= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2} (e^{1/3} - 1)}}
\end{aligned}$$

Question 6 (b) [5 marks]

Let a be a positive constant. Evaluate the line integral

$$\int_C (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) ds,$$

where C is the circular helix given by $x = a \cos t$, $y = a \sin t$, $z = t$, $0 \leq t \leq a$.

Answer 6(b)	$\frac{4}{3} a^3 \sqrt{1+a^2}$
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$$C : \vec{r}(t) = (a \cos t, a \sin t, t)$$

$$\vec{r}'(t) = (-a \sin t, a \cos t, 1)$$

$$\|\vec{r}'(t)\| = \sqrt{1+a^2}$$

$$\int_C (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) ds = \int_0^Q (Q^2 + t^2) \sqrt{1+Q^2} dt$$

$$= \sqrt{1+Q^2} \left[Q^2 t + \frac{1}{3} t^3 \right]_0^Q$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\frac{4}{3} Q^3 \sqrt{1+Q^2}}}$$

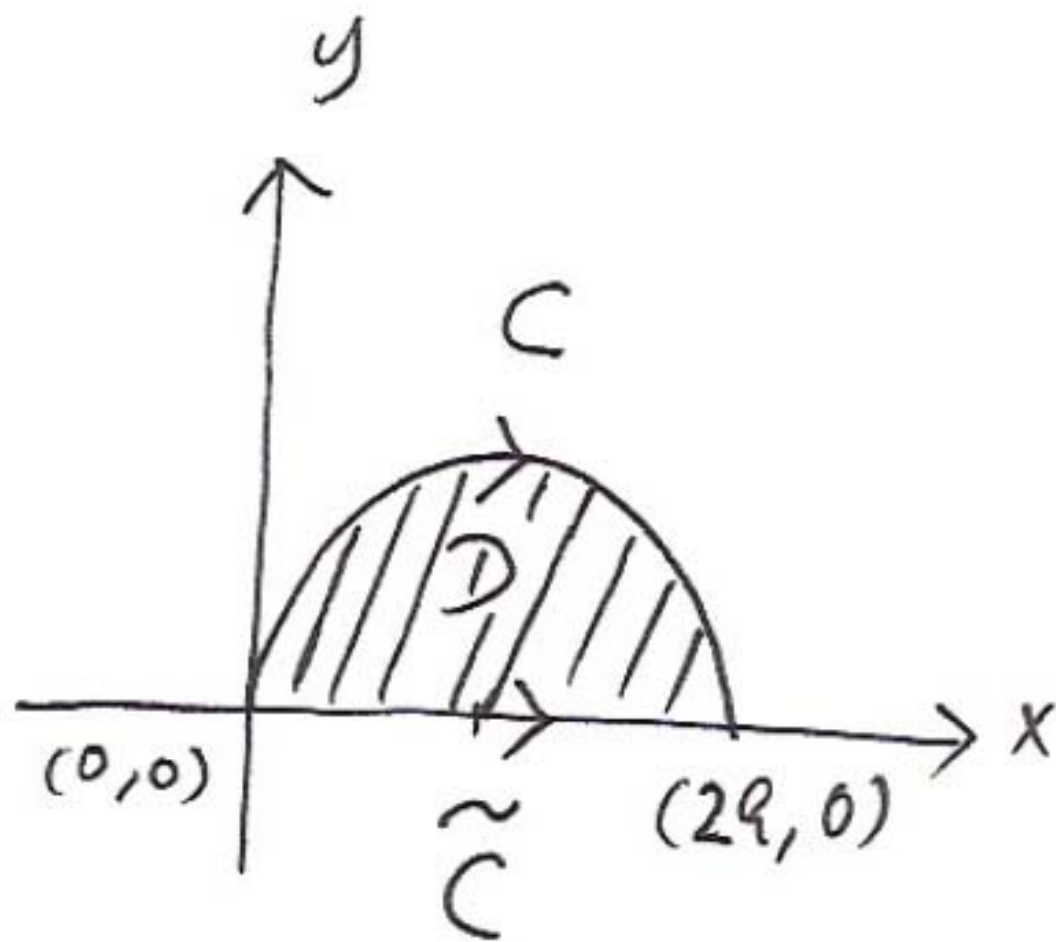
Question 7 (a) [5 marks]

Let a be a positive constant. Evaluate the line integral

$$\int_C (2xe^{\sin y} + 3x^2y^2 + ay) dx + (x^2e^{\sin y} \cos y + 2x^3y + 2ax + 1) dy,$$

where C is the semicircle, centered at $(a, 0)$ with radius a , in the first quadrant joining $(0, 0)$ to $(2a, 0)$.

Answer 7(a)	$4a^2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi a^3$
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Let $\tilde{C} : \vec{r}(t) = (t, 0), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2a.$

Then $\partial D = \tilde{C} - C$

Apply Green's Theorem to D :

$$\text{let } P = 2xe^{\sin y} + 3x^2y^2 + ay$$

$$Q = x^2e^{\sin y} \cos y + 2x^3y + 2ax + 1$$

$$\oint_{\partial D} P dx + Q dy = \iint_D \left(\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) dA = \iint_D (2x e^{\sin y} \cos y + 6x^2 y + 2a) - (2x e^{\sin y} \cos y + 6x^2 y + a) dA$$

$$= \iint_D a dA = a(\text{area } D) = \frac{1}{2} \pi a^3$$

$$\therefore \int_{\tilde{C}} - \int_C Pdx + Qdy = \frac{1}{2}\pi a^3$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \int_C Pdx + Qdy &= \left\{ \int_{\tilde{C}} Pdx + Qdy \right\} - \frac{1}{2}\pi a^3 = \left\{ \int_0^{2a} 2x \, dx \right\} - \frac{1}{2}\pi a^3 \\ &= \underline{\underline{4a^2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi a^3}}\end{aligned}$$

Question 7 (b) [5 marks]

Evaluate the surface integral

$$\iint_S \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S},$$

where $\mathbf{F} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$ and S is the portion of the paraboloid $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ lying on and above the xy plane. The orientation of S is given by the outer normal vector.

Answer 7(b)	$\frac{3\pi}{2}$
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$$S: \vec{r}(u, v) = (u, v, 1 - u^2 - v^2)$$

$$\vec{r}_u = (1, 0, -2u), \quad \vec{r}_v = (0, 1, -2v)$$

$$\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v = 2u \vec{i} + 2v \vec{j} + \vec{k}.$$

at $(0, 0, 1)$, $\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v = \vec{k}$ points outwards.

$$\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_{u^2+v^2 \leq 1} \{2u^2 + 2v^2 + (1-u^2-v^2)\} du dv$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 (1+r^2) r dr d\theta$$

$$= 2\pi \left[\frac{1}{2} r^2 + \frac{1}{4} r^4 \right]_0^1$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\frac{3\pi}{2}}}$$

Question 8 (a) [5 marks]

By using Stokes' Theorem, or otherwise, find the **exact** value of the surface integral

$$\int \int_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \bullet d\mathbf{S},$$

where S is the hemisphere $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 16$ lying on and above the xy plane, and $\mathbf{F} = (x^2 + y - 4e^z) \mathbf{i} + (3xy \cos^2 z) \mathbf{j} + (2e^{xy} \sin z + x^2 y z^3) \mathbf{k}$. The orientation of S is given by the outer normal vector. Express your answer in terms of π .

Answer 8(a)	
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	-16π
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Let $C: \vec{r}(t) = 4\cos t \vec{i} + 4\sin t \vec{j} + 0\vec{k}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi.$

Note that the orientation of C is anti-clockwise and this matches with the outer normal orientation of S .

By Stokes' Theorem

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \vec{F}) \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \left\{ (16 \cos^2 t + 4 \sin t - 4)(-4 \sin t) \right. \\ \left. + 48 \sin t \cos t (4 \cos t) \right\} dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} (128 \cos^2 t \sin t - 16 \sin^2 t + 16 \sin t) dt$$

$$= \left[-\frac{128}{3} \cos^3 t \right]_0^{2\pi} - 8 \int_0^{2\pi} (1 - \cos 2t) dt$$

$$= \underline{\underline{-16\pi}}$$

Question 8 (b) [5 marks]

Find a solution of the form $u(x, y) = F(ax + y)$, where a is a constant and F is a differentiable single variable function, to the partial differential equation

$$u_x - 2u_y = 0,$$

that satisfies the condition $u(x, 0) = \cos x$.

Answer

8(b)

$$u(x, y) = \cos \frac{2x + y}{2}$$

$$u_x = a F'(ax+y)$$

$$u_y = F'(ax+y)$$

$$u_x - 2u_y = 0 \Rightarrow a F'(ax+y) - 2 F'(ax+y) = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

$$\therefore u(x, y) = F(2x+y)$$

$$u(x, 0) = \cos x \Rightarrow F(2x) = \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x) = \cos \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\therefore u(x, y) = F(2x+y) = \cos \frac{2x+y}{2}$$

$$\therefore u(x, y) = \cos \frac{2x+y}{2}$$

