

MAD 4401 Numerical Analysis
Fall 2022

Sample Test 1

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Time Limit: 75 Minutes

Name (Print): _____

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You may *not* use your books, notes, and graphing calculator on this exam.

You are required to show your work on each problem on this exam. The following rules apply:

- **Organize your work**, in a reasonably neat and coherent way, in the space provided. Work scattered all over the page without a clear ordering will receive very little credit.
- **Mysterious or unsupported answers will not receive full credit.** A correct answer, unsupported by calculations, explanation, or algebraic work will receive no credit; an incorrect answer supported by substantially correct calculations and explanations might still receive partial credit.
- If you need more space, use the back of the pages; clearly indicate when you have done this.

Problem	Points	Score
1	20	
2	30	
3	10	
4	20	
5	20	
Total:	100	

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1. (20 points) Consider the function

$$f(x) = x - \cos(x).$$

- a [10 points] Starting with the interval $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$, carry out 3 iterations of bisection method to produce p_3 .
- b [10 points] Use the error bound (from THM 2.1) for bisection method to determine the number of iterations necessary to ensure an approximation with accuracy 10^{-6} .

2. (30 points) Consider the function $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}(10 - x^2)^{1/2}$.

- a [20 points] Show $g(x)$ has a unique fixed-point on $[1, 2]$.
- b [10 points] How many iteration are needed to ensure fixed-point iteration converges to the fixed-point, p , for any $p_0 \in [1, 2]$ with accuracy 10^{-6} .

3. (10 points) Consider the function

$$f(x) = x - \cos(x),$$

starting with the initial guess $p_0 = 0$, carry out 2 iterations of Newton's method to produce p_2 .

4. (20 points) Consider the function

$$f(x) = (x + 1)(x - 2)^2.$$

- a.) [10 points] For the root on the interval $[-3, 0]$, do you expect linear or quadratic convergence of Newton's method? Why?
- b.) [10 points] For the root on the interval $[1, 3]$, do you expect linear or quadratic convergence of Newton's method? Why?

5. (20 points) Consider the function $f(x) = \sin(x)$.

- a [10 points] Find the third Taylor polynomial approximation $p_3(x)$ of $f(x)$ at $x_0 = \frac{\pi}{6}$.
- b [10 points] Show that if $0 < h < 1$, then the error associated to the approximating $f\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + h\right)$ by $p_3\left(\frac{\pi}{6} + h\right)$ is of order $O(h^4)$.