

# Math Mini Quiz

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Total Points

22 / 25 pts

## Question 1

Calculus

4 / 4 pts

- 1.1 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 1.2 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 1.3 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 1.4 — Integration 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct

## Question 2

Probability and Random Variables

4 / 4 pts

- 2.1 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 2.2 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 2.3 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct
- 2.4 — (no title) 1 / 1 pt
- ✓ + 1 pt Correct

### Question 3

common distribution

2 / 3 pts

3.1 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

3.2 (no title) 0 / 1 pt

✓ + 0 pts Incorrect

3.3 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

### Question 4

Probability Theorem

3 / 3 pts

4.1 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

4.2 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

4.3 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

### Question 5

(no title)

4 / 5 pts

5.1 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

5.2 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

5.3 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

5.4 (no title) 1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

5.5 (no title) 0 / 1 pt

✓ + 0 pts Incorrect

### Question 6

(no title)

3 / 3 pts

6.1 (no title)

1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

6.2 (no title)

1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

6.3 (no title)

1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

### Question 7

(no title)

1 / 2 pts

7.1 (no title)

0 / 1 pt

✓ + 0 pts Incorrect

7.2 (no title)

1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

### Question 8

(no title)

1 / 1 pt

✓ + 1 pt Correct

## Q1 Calculus

4 Points

### Q1.1

1 Point

Let  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+a}$ ,  $x = e^{5u} + 2u$ . What is  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial u}$ ?

- ☒  $\frac{-5e^{5u}-2}{(e^{5u}+2u+a)^2}$
- ☐  $\frac{-e^{5u}-2}{e^{5u}+2u+a^2}$
- ☐  $\frac{-5e^{5u}}{(e^{5u}+2u+a)^2}$
- ☐  $\frac{-5e^{5u}-2}{e^{5u}+2u+a}$

### Q1.2

1 Point

For the function  $f(x) = x^3 + 6x^2 + 5$  defined over  $-4 \leq x \leq 4$ , what is the **global maximum** of  $f(x)$ ?

- ☐ 0
- ☐ 5
- ☒ 165
- ☐ 37

**Q1.3****1 Point**

What is the gradient  $\nabla f(x, y)$  of the function  $f(x, y) = \exp(2x) - xy$ ? ( $\exp(x)$  denotes the function  $e^x$ )

- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} \exp(x) - y \\ -y \end{pmatrix}$
- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \exp(2x) \\ -x \end{pmatrix}$
- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \exp(2x) - y \\ -y \end{pmatrix}$
- ☒  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \exp(2x) - y \\ -x \end{pmatrix}$

**Q1.4 Integration****1 Point**

Calculate  $\int \frac{x}{-x^2+1} dx$ .

- ☐  $-2\ln|-x^2+1| + C$
- ☐  $\ln|-x^2+1| + C$
- ☒  $-\frac{1}{2}\ln|-x^2+1| + C$
- ☐  $\ln|x| + C$

## Q2 Probability and Random Variables

4 Points

### Q2.1

1 Point

If  $E[XY] = E[X]E[Y]$ , without any additional assumptions, then random variable X and Y are

- ☐ Independent
- ☐ Both independent and uncorrelated
- ☒ Uncorrelated
- ☐ Neither independent nor uncorrelated

### Q2.2

1 Point

Given random variables  $X_1, X_2$ , without any additional assumptions, let  $Y = X_1 + X_2$ . Then  $\text{Var}[Y] = \text{Var}[X_1] + \text{Var}[X_2]$ .

- ☒ False
- ☐ True

### Q2.3

1 Point

If a biased coin  $P(X = 1) = \frac{3}{4}$  is tossed n times independently (head takes value 1 and tail takes value 0). Let  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  denote the average number of heads over the n trials, then the expectation of  $\bar{X}$  equals to  $\frac{3}{4}$

- ☐ False
- ☒ True

**Q2.4****1 Point**

If a biased coin  $P(X = 1) = \frac{3}{4}$  is tossed  $n$  times independently (head takes value 1 and tail takes value 0). Let  $\bar{X} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$  denote the average number of heads over the  $n$  trials, then the variance of  $\bar{X}$  equals to

- ☒  $\frac{3}{16n}$
- ☐  $\frac{3}{16}$
- ☐  $\frac{3}{16n^2}$
- ☐  $\frac{3}{16\sqrt{n}}$

### Q3 common distribution

3 Points

#### Q3.1

1 Point

Let  $X$  be a random variable distributed according to a Gaussian or normal distribution with probability density function:  $P(x) = \frac{1}{s\sqrt{6\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{x^2}{6s^2}\right)$ . The variance of  $X$  is  $3s^2$

☐ False

☒ True

#### Q3.2

1 Point

If we model the number of meteors seen as a Poisson distribution, the average number of meteors per hour is roughly constant. If we expect to see a meteor every 10 minutes, use the Poisson distribution to find the probability of seeing at least 3 meteors in one hour.

☐  $1 - \frac{10^0 e^{-10}}{0!} - \frac{10^1 e^{-10}}{1!} - \frac{10^2 e^{-10}}{2!}$

☒  $\frac{10^3 e^{-10}}{3!}$

☐  $1 - \frac{6^0 e^{-6}}{0!} - \frac{6^1 e^{-6}}{1!} - \frac{6^2 e^{-6}}{2!}$

☐  $\frac{6^3 e^{-6}}{3!}$



**Q3.3****1 Point**

With a success rate of 0.6, what is the probability that we hit the target exactly twice out of three attempts?

☐  $3 \cdot 0.6 \cdot 0.4^2$

☒  $3 \cdot 0.6^2 \cdot 0.4$

☐  $0.6^2 \cdot 0.4$

☐  $0.6 \cdot 0.4^2$

## Q4 Probability Theorem

3 Points

### Q4.1

1 Point

Let  $A, B, C$  denotes 3 events.  $P(A, B, C) = P(B|A, C) \times P(C|A) \times P(A)$

☐ False

☒ True

### Q4.2

1 Point

We have 40 treasure chests of type A and 60 treasure chests of type B. Each treasure chest of type A holds 30 gold coins and 70 silver coins, and each treasure chest of type B holds 20 gold and 80 silver coins. Choose a treasure chest uniformly at random, and pick a coin from that chest uniformly at random. If the coin is gold, then what is the probability that you chose a chest of type A?

☒ 50%

☐ 40%

☐ 70%

☐ 60%

### Q4.3

1 Point

$X$  and  $Y$  are two independent random variables with expectation 0:  $E(X) = E(Y) = 0$ . Let random variable  $Z = \frac{X}{3} + Y$ . If  $Z = 2$ , then  $E[X|Z = 2] = 6$  must be true.

☐ True

☒ False

**Q5****5 Points**

Given the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

and vector

$$\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Q5.1****1 Point**what is the determinant of  $A$ 

- ☐ 1
- ☐ -1
- ☐ 2
- ☒ 0

**Q5.2****1 Point**what is the trace of  $A$ 

- ☐ -2
- ☐ 4
- ☒ 3
- ☐ -5

**Q5.3****1 Point**

What are all the eigenvalues of  $A$

- ☐  $\{-2, 0, 1\}$
- ☒  $\{0, 1, 2\}$
- ☐  $\{-1, 2\}$
- ☐  $\{-1, 0, 2\}$

**Q5.4****1 Point**

Which of the following is an eigenvector of  $A$  associated with eigenvalue 1:

- ☐  $v = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}(1, 1, 0)$
- ☐  $v = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}(1, 2, 4)$
- ☒  $v = \frac{1}{3}(1, 1, 1)$
- ☐  $v = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}(1, 0, 0)$

## Q5.5

1 Point

let  $f(x) = b^T x + 5$  where  $x$  is a vector of length 3. What value does  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  take when

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

☒  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

☐ 5

☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

**Q6****3 Points**

Consider the vector  $\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

**Q6.1****1 Point**

Compute  $\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{y}$

☐ 9☐ 16☐ 25☒ 34**Q6.2****1 Point**

Compute  $\|\mathbf{y}\|_2$

☐ 3☐ 6☐ 5☒  $\sqrt{34}$

Q6.3

1 Point

Compute  $\mathbf{y}\mathbf{y}^T$

- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix}$
- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$
- ☒  $\begin{pmatrix} 9 & 15 \\ 15 & 25 \end{pmatrix}$
- ☐  $\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix}$

**Q7****2 Points**

Let  $A$  be a  $15 \times 30$  matrix.

**Q7.1****1 Point**

Which of the following is a possible rank for  $A$ ?

- ☐ Both 10 and 20
- ☐ 20
- ☒ Neither 10 nor 20
- ☐ 10

**Q7.2****1 Point**

Let  $M = AA^T$  and  $v \neq \vec{0}$  denote a nonzero vector. What is the range of all possible values for  $v^T M v$ ?

- ☐  $\leq 0$  for all possible vector  $v \neq \vec{0}$
- ☒  $\geq 0$  for all possible vector  $v \neq \vec{0}$
- ☐  $(-\infty, \infty)$

**Q8****1 Point**

$$f(n) = e^n, g(n) = 2^n$$

- ☐ Both  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  and  $g(n) = O(f(n))$
- ☐ Neither  $f(n) = O(g(n))$  nor  $g(n) = O(f(n))$
- ☒  $g(n) = O(f(n))$
- ☐  $f(n) = O(g(n))$



