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PART I : MATHEMATICS 1

Wednesday 6th June 2001 10.00 am - 1.00 pm

Answer EIGHT questions.

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1. Let

$$f(x) = \frac{x+3}{2x+1}.$$

- (i) Find the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ of $f(x)$.
- (ii) Write $f(x)$ as the sum of an even and an odd function.
- (iii) Find all solutions of the equation

$$f(f(x)) = 0.$$

- (iv) Find all solutions of the equation

$$\frac{1}{f(\cos \theta)} = 0.$$

2. Consider the curve defined by the equation

$$y^2 = x^2 - \frac{x^4}{4}.$$

- (i) Find the coordinates of all stationary points of the curve.
- (ii) Find the coordinates of all points at which $\frac{dy}{dx}$ becomes infinite.
- (iii) Sketch the curve.

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3. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in each of the following cases.

In case (v) you may express your answer in terms of x and y .

(i) $y = e^{\sin x}.$

(ii) $y = \ln(\ln x).$

(iii) $y = x^2 e^x \cos x.$

(iv) $y = x^{\ln x}.$

(v) $xy + \ln(xy) = 1.$

4. (i) Show that if $y = (\sin^{-1} x)^2$, then

$$(1 - x^2)^{1/2} \frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \sin^{-1} x.$$

Hence or otherwise show that y satisfies the equation

$$(1 - x^2) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2 = 0.$$

- (ii) Find the n^{th} derivatives of the functions $f(x) = e^{3x}$ and $h(x) = x^2 e^{3x}$.
- (iii) Two sides of a triangle are of unit length and meet at angle θ . The length of the third side is given by $l(\theta) = (2 - 2 \cos \theta)^{1/2}$. Find $dl/d\theta$.

By using the formula

$$\frac{dl}{d\theta} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{l(\theta + h) - l(\theta)}{h},$$

find the approximate change in l if θ changes from $\frac{\pi}{3}$ to $\frac{\pi}{3} + 0.01$ (in radians).

5. Evaluate the following limits :

(i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{3 - \sqrt{x+4}}{x-5} ;$

(ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^{-3} \tan^3(3x) ;$

(iii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1+3x^2)}{1+x-e^x} ;$

(iv) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/3} \frac{1 + \cos 3x}{\sqrt{3} - \tan x} .$

6. Evaluate the following integrals :

(i) $\int_1^e \frac{(\ln x)^2}{x} dx ;$

(ii) $\int_0^1 \sqrt{1-x^2} dx ;$

(iii) $\int \frac{x dx}{(1+x^2)^2} ;$

(iv) $\int \frac{x^2 dx}{(1+x^2)^2} .$

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7. (i) Express the function

$$\frac{2x}{(x^2 + 1)(x - 1)}$$

in partial fraction form, and hence find

$$\int \frac{2x \, dx}{(x^2 + 1)(x - 1)} .$$

- (ii) Let

$$I_n = \int_0^\pi \sin^n x \, dx .$$

By integrating by parts, prove that for $n \geq 2$,

$$I_n = \frac{n-1}{n} I_{n-2} .$$

Hence find

$$\int_0^\pi \sin^6 x \, dx .$$

8. (i) Find which of the following series converge :

$$(a) \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{2^n} ; \quad (b) \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{2^n} ; \quad (c) \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n+10} .$$

- (ii) Find the radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) x^n .$$

- (iii) Find $\frac{d^n}{dx^n} (1-x)^{-2}$ and hence show that the Maclaurin expansion of $(1-x)^{-2}$ is given by the series in part (ii).

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9. (i) Express each of the following in the form $a + ib$:

$$(a) (1 + i)^2, \quad (b) \frac{1 + i}{1 - i}, \quad (c) \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} + i}{2} \right)^{101}.$$

- (ii) Find all complex roots z of the equation

$$z^4 = \frac{1}{4} (1 + i)^4.$$

Show on a diagram where these roots lie.

What is the sum of all the roots?

- (iii) If $z = x + iy$, express the equation

$$z + \bar{z} = \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{\bar{z}}$$

in terms of x and y . Hence sketch the solution curves of this equation in the complex plane.

10. (i) (a) Define the functions $\sin z$, $\cos z$, $\sinh z$, $\cosh z$ (where z is a complex number) in terms of the exponential function.

(b) Find all complex roots z of the equation $\tanh z = i$.

(c) Hence or otherwise find all roots of the equation $\tan^2(iz) = 1$.

- (ii) If $z = x + iy$, find the real and imaginary parts of $\cos(z^2)$ in terms of trigonometric and hyperbolic functions of x and y .

Hence, find all complex numbers such that $\cos(z^2)$ is real.

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$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad f &= \frac{x+3}{2x+1} \Rightarrow (2x+1)f = x+3 \\ &\Rightarrow (2f-1)x = 3-f \\ &\Rightarrow x(f) = \frac{3-f}{2f-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3-x}{2x-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (b) \quad f(x) &= \left[\frac{f(x) + f(-x)}{2} \right] + \left[\frac{f(x) - f(-x)}{2} \right] \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{2x^2-3}{4x^2-1}}_{\text{even}} + \underbrace{\frac{5x}{4x^2-1}}_{\text{odd}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (c) \quad f(f(x)) &= \frac{f(x)+3}{2f(x)+1} = \frac{\frac{x+3}{2x+1} + 3}{\frac{2(x+3)}{2x+1} + 1} \\ &= \frac{7x+6}{4x+7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f(f(x)) = 0 \iff x = \underline{\underline{-\frac{6}{7}}}$$

$$(d) \quad \frac{1}{f(\cos \theta)} = \frac{2\cos \theta + 1}{\cos \theta + 3} = 0 \iff \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2\pi/3 + 2k\pi \\ 4\pi/3 + 2k\pi \end{array} \right\} \quad k \text{ any integer}$$

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(a) $y^2 = x^2 - x^4/4$

Differentiating wrt x :

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x - x^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x - x^3}{2y} = \frac{x(2 - x^2)}{2y} \quad \textcircled{A}$$

Stat. pts $\Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

Only stat pts are at $x = \pm\sqrt{2}$

i.e. $(\sqrt{2}, 1)$; $(\sqrt{2}, -1)$; $(-\sqrt{2}, 1)$; $(-\sqrt{2}, -1)$

N.B no stat pt at $(0,0)$ - look at limit as $x \rightarrow 0$

(b) From \textcircled{A} , $\frac{dy}{dx} \rightarrow \infty$ when $\frac{dy}{dx} = \pm \frac{x(2 - x^2)}{2x\sqrt{1 - x^2/4}} \rightarrow \infty$

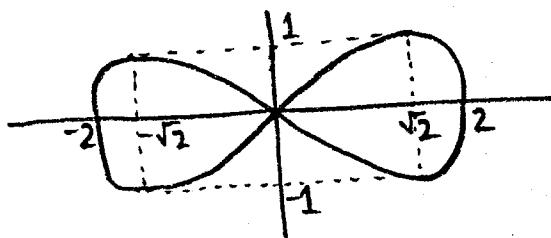
i.e. when $x = \pm 2$

(c) Note curve invariant under transformations

$$x \mapsto -x$$

$$y \mapsto -y$$

\Rightarrow reflectionally-symmetric in x & y axes



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$$\begin{aligned} \text{i)} \quad y' &= \frac{d}{dx} e^u, \quad \text{where } u = \sin x, \\ &= \frac{du}{dx} \frac{d}{du} e^u = \cos x e^u = \cos x e^{\sin x}. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii)} \quad y' &= \frac{d}{dx} \ln u, \quad \text{where } u = \ln x, \\ &= \frac{du}{dx} \frac{d}{du} \ln u = \frac{1}{x} \frac{1}{u} = \frac{1}{x \ln x}. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii)} \quad y' &= (x^2 v)' \quad \text{where } v = e^x \cos x \\ &= 2xv + x^2 v' \\ &= 2x e^x \cos x + x^2 e^x \cos x - x^2 e^x \sin x, \\ &\quad (\text{or use logarithmic differentiation}). \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv)} \quad \ln y &= (\ln x)^2, \\ \therefore \frac{y'}{y} &= \frac{2}{x} \ln x, \quad y' = 2x^{-1} y \ln x = 2x^{\ln x - 1} \ln x. \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{v)} \quad xy + \ln x + \ln y &= 1, \\ \therefore y + xy' + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{y'}{y} &= 0, \quad y' \frac{xy+1}{y} + \frac{xy+1}{x} = 0. \\ y' &= -y/x. \end{aligned}$$

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i) $y' = 2(1-x^2)^{-1/2} \sin^{-1} x$ so $(1-x^2)^{1/2} y' = 2 \sin^{-1} x$.

$\therefore -2x \cdot \frac{1}{2} (1-x^2)^{-1/2} y' + (1-x^2)^{1/2} y'' = 2(1-x^2)^{-1/2}$,

so $(1-x^2) y'' - x y' - 2 = 0$.

ii) $y' = 3e^{3x}$, $y'' = 3^2 e^{3x}$, ..., $y^{(n)} = 3^n e^{3x}$.

With $f(x) = x^2$, $g(x) = e^{3x}$,

$h^{(n)} = (fg)^{(n)} = f g^{(n)} + n C_1 f' g^{(n-1)} + n C_2 f'' g^{(n-2)} + \dots$
 $= x^2 3^n e^{3x} + n 2x 3^{n-1} e^{3x} + n(n-1) 3^{n-2} e^{3x}$.

iii) $\frac{df}{d\theta} = \sin \theta (2 - 2 \cos \theta)^{-1/2}$.

$f(\theta+h) - f(\theta) \approx h \frac{df}{d\theta}$ for h small.

\therefore For $\theta = \pi/3$, $h = 0.01$,

the change in f is $\approx 0.01 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cdot 1 = \frac{1.732}{200}$
 $= 0.00866$.

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$$(i) \frac{3 - \sqrt{x+4}}{x-5} = \frac{5-x}{(x-5)(3+\sqrt{x+4})} = \frac{-1}{3+\sqrt{x+4}}$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 5, \text{ this } \rightarrow \frac{-1}{3+\sqrt{9}} = -\frac{1}{6}$$

$$(ii) x^{-3} \tan^3(3x) = \left(\frac{\sin 3x}{3x}\right)^3 \cdot \frac{27}{\cos^3(3x)}$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 0, \text{ this } \rightarrow 1^3 \cdot \frac{27}{1^3} = 27$$

$$(iii) \frac{\ln(1+3x^2)}{1+x-e^x} = \frac{+3x^2 + \dots}{-x^2/2 + \dots}$$

$$\text{As } x \rightarrow 0, \text{ this } \rightarrow \frac{3}{-1/2} = -6$$

(iv) By l'Hôpital's rule,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/3} \frac{1 + \cos 3x}{\sqrt{3} - \tan x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/3} \frac{-3 \sin 3x}{-\sec^2 x}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/3} (+3 \sin 3x \cos^2 x) = 0$$

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(i) Set $u = \ln x$, so $du = \frac{dx}{x}$. The integral becomes $\int_0^1 u^2 du = \left[\frac{1}{3} u^3 \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{3}$.

(ii) Set $x = \sin u$. The integral becomes $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 u du = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 + \cos 2u) du$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left[u + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2u \right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

(iii) Set $x^2 = u$. The integral becomes

$$\int \frac{\frac{1}{2} du}{(1+u)^2} = \frac{-1}{2(1+u)} = -\frac{1}{2(1+x^2)} (+c).$$

(iv) By (iii), the integrand is $x \frac{d}{dx} \left(-\frac{1}{2(1+x^2)} \right)$.

Integrating by parts, we get that the given integral is $= -\frac{x}{2(1+x^2)} + \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dx}{1+x^2}$

$$= +\frac{1}{2} \left[\tan^{-1} x - \frac{x}{1+x^2} \right] (+c).$$

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$$(i) \frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)} = \frac{Ax+B}{x^2+1} + \frac{C}{x-1}; \text{ so}$$

$$2x = (Ax+B)(x-1) + C(x^2+1).$$

Comparing coefficients $\Rightarrow A = -1, B = C = 1, \text{ so}$

$$\frac{2x}{(x^2+1)(x-1)} = \frac{-x+1}{x^2+1} + \frac{1}{x-1}$$

$$\therefore \int \frac{2x dx}{(x^2+1)(x-1)} = -\frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) + \tan^{-1}x + \ln|x-1| + C.$$

$$(ii) I_n = \int_0^\pi \sin^n x dx = - \int_0^\pi \sin^{n-1} x \frac{d}{dx} (\cos x) dx$$

$$= - \left[\sin^{n-1} x \cos x \right]_0^\pi + \int_0^\pi (n-1) \sin^{n-2} x \cos^2 x dx$$

$$= 0 + (n-1) \int_0^\pi \sin^{n-2} x (1 - \sin^2 x) dx$$

$$= (n-1) (I_{n-2} - I_n).$$

$$\text{Hence } n I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}, \text{ i.e. } I_n = \frac{n-1}{n} I_{n-2}$$

$$\therefore I_6 = \frac{5}{6} I_4 = \frac{5}{6} \frac{3}{4} I_2 = \frac{5}{6} \frac{3}{4} \frac{1}{2} I_0$$

$$= \frac{5}{16} I_0 = \frac{5\pi}{16}.$$

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i) a) Using the Ratio Test

$$\left| \frac{(n+1)^{\text{th}} \text{ term}}{n^{\text{th}} \text{ term}} \right| = \frac{n+1}{2^{n+1}} \frac{2^n}{n} = \frac{n+1}{n} \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Limit is < 1 . \therefore Series converges.

b) Using the Ratio Test

$$\left| \frac{(n+1)^{\text{th}} \text{ term}}{n^{\text{th}} \text{ term}} \right| = \frac{(n+1)!}{2^{n+1}} \frac{2^n}{n!} = \frac{n+1}{2} \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$$

Limit is > 1 . \therefore Series diverges.

c) $n^{\text{th}} \text{ term} \rightarrow 1$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. \therefore Divergent since $n^{\text{th}} \text{ term} \not\rightarrow 0$.

ii) Fix $x \neq 0$. $\left| \frac{(n+1)^{\text{th}} \text{ term}}{n^{\text{th}} \text{ term}} \right| = \frac{n+2}{n+1} |x| \rightarrow |x| \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty.$

\therefore By Ratio Test, the series converges if limit $|x| < 1$
and diverges if limit $|x| > 1$.

So radius of convergence = 1.

iii) Put $f(x) = (1-x)^{-2}$. $f' = 2(1-x)^{-3}$, $f'' = 2.3(1-x)^{-4}$,
 $f''' = 2.3.4(1-x)^{-5}$, ..., $f^{(n)} = (n+1)!(1-x)^{-n-2}$.

Maclaurin series has $n^{\text{th}} \text{ term}$

$$\frac{f^{(n)}(0)}{n!} x^n = \frac{(n+1)!}{n!} x^n = (n+1) x^n$$

giving the series in ii).

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(i) (a) $(1+i)^2 = 2i$

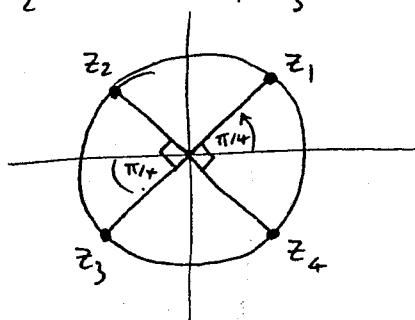
(b) $\frac{1+i}{1-i} = \frac{(1+i)(1+i)}{(1-i)(1+i)} = i$

(c) $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}+i}{2}\right)^{101} = (e^{i\pi/6})^{101} = e^{16i\pi + \frac{5i\pi}{6}} = \frac{-\sqrt{3}+i}{2}$

(ii) $z^4 = \frac{1}{4}(1+i)^4 = \left(\frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^4 = (e^{i\pi/4})^4 = e^{i\pi + 2i2\pi}$

$\Rightarrow z = e^{i\pi/4 + in\pi/2} \quad n=0,1,2,3$

$z_1 = e^{i\pi/4}, z_2 = e^{3i\pi/4}, z_3 = e^{5i\pi/4}, z_4 = e^{7i\pi/4}$

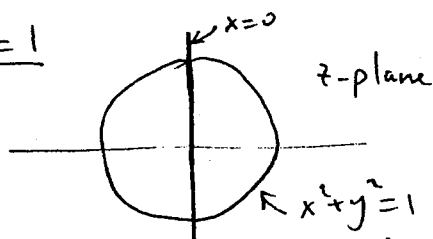


$\sum z_i = 0$ from the diagram

(iii) $x+iy + x-iy = \frac{1}{x+iy} + \frac{1}{x-iy}$

$2x = \frac{x-iy}{x^2+y^2} + \frac{x+iy}{x^2+y^2} \Rightarrow 2x = \frac{2x}{x^2+y^2}$

$\underline{x=0} \quad \text{OR} \quad \underline{x^2+y^2=1}$



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$$(i) (a) \sin z = \frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i}, \cos z = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$$

$$\sinh z = \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2}, \cosh z = \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}$$

$$(b) \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{e^z + e^{-z}} = i \Rightarrow e^{2z} = \frac{1+i}{1-i} = i$$

$$|i|=1 \quad \arg(i) = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi \Rightarrow 2z = \ln 1 + i\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi\right)$$

$$z = i\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi\right) \text{ any integer } n.$$

$$(c) \tan^2 iz = 1 \Rightarrow \tan iz = 1 \Rightarrow i \tanh z = 1 \Rightarrow \tanh z = i$$

$$\tan iz = -1 \Rightarrow i \tanh z = -1 \Rightarrow \tanh z = -i$$

$$\tanh z = i \text{ as in part (b)}$$

$$\tanh z = -i \Rightarrow \tanh(-z) = i \Rightarrow -z = i\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi\right)$$

$$z = i\left(-\frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi\right)$$

n any integer

$$(ii) \cos(z^2) = \cos(x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy) = \cos(x^2 - y^2)\cos(2ixy) - \sin(x^2 - y^2)\sin(2ixy)$$

$$= \cos(x^2 - y^2)\cosh 2xy - i \sin(x^2 - y^2)\sinh 2xy$$

$$\cos(z^2) \text{ real} \Rightarrow \sin(x^2 - y^2)\sinh 2xy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{x=0} \text{ or } \underline{y=0} \text{ or } \underline{x^2 - y^2 = n\pi}$$

n any integer

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