MATH 1121 (Calculus for Engineering Technology) Course Outline

1.3 Rectangular Coordinates

- Illustrate the following concepts:
 - rectangular coordinate system,
 - -x-axis,
 - -y-axis,
 - origin,
 - quadrants,
 - coordinates
- Examples:
 - (Example 1) Plot A = (2,1) and B = (-4, -3).
 - (Example 3) Three vertices of a rectangle are $A=(-3,-2),\ B=(4,-2),\ C=(4,1).$ What is the fourth vertex?
- Suggested homework: 1-9, 15-16, 21-24

1.4 The Graph of a Function

- Definition of a function y = f(x).
- Overview of the table method for plotting function graphs.
- Examples:
 - (Example 1) Graph f(x) = 3x 5.
 - (Example 3) Graph y = 3x 5.
 - (Example 4) Graph $y = \sqrt{x+1}$.
 - (Example 6) Graph

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1 & x \le 1\\ 6-x^2 & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

• Suggested homework: 1-12, 37-40

2.1 Some Basic Definitions

- Distance Formula
 - $d = \sqrt{(x_2 x_1)^2 + (y_2 y_1)^2}$
 - (Example 2) Find the distance between (3, -1) and (-2, -5).
- Slope Formula
 - $m = \frac{y_2 y_1}{x_2 x_1}$
 - (Example 3) Find the slope of the line joining (3, -5), (-2, -6).
 - (Example 4) Find the slope of the line joining (3,4), (4,-6).
- Identify parallel/perpendicular lines by slopes.
 - Parallel: $m_1 = m_2$
 - Perpendicular: $m_1 = -\frac{1}{m_2}$
 - (Example 7) Prove that the triangle with vertices A = (-5, 3), B = (6, 0), and C = (5, 5) is a right triangle.
- Suggested HW: 1-20, 29-36

2.2 The Straight Line

- Point-slope form
 - $-y-y_1 = m(x-x_1)$
 - (Example 2) Find the equation of the line passing through (2,-1) and (6,2).
- Slope-intercept form
 - -y = mx + b
 - (Example 4) Find the slope and y-intercept of the straight line with equation 2y + 4x 5 = 0.
- Suggested HW: 1-21, 33-40

Remaining Topics

- 2.3 The Circle
- 2.4 The Parabola

- 2.5 The Ellipse
- 2.6 The Hyperbola
- 2.7 Translation of Axes
- 1.2 Algebraic Functions
- 3.1 Limits
- 3.2 The Slope of a Tangent to a Curve
- 3.3 The Derivative
- 3.4 The Derivative as an Instantaneous Rate of Change
- 3.5 Derivatives of Polynomials
- 3.6 Derivatives of Products and Quotients of Functions
- 3.7 The Derivative of a Power of a Function
- 3.8 Differentiation of Implicit Functions
- 3.9 Higher Derivatives
- 4.1 Tangents and Normals
- 4.4 Related Rates
- 4.5 Using Derivatives in Curve Sketching
- 4.6 More on Curve Sketching
- 4.7 Applied Maximum and Minimum Problems
- 4.8 Differentials and Linear Approximations
- 5.1 Antiderivatives
- 5.2 The Indefinite Integral
- 5.3 The Area Under a Curve
- 5.4 The Definite Integral
- 7.1 The Trigonometric Functions
- 7.2 Basic Trigonometric Relations
- 7.3 Derivatives of the Sine and Cosine Functions

- 7.4 Derivatives of the Other Trigonometric Functions
- 8.1 Exponential and Logarithmic Functions
- 8.2 Derivative of the Logarithmic Functions
- 8.3 Derivative of the Exponentials Function
- 9.1 The General Power Formula
- 9.2 Basic Logarithmic Form
- 9.3 Exponential Form
- 9.4 Basic Trigonometric Forms