

**Exam**

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max. Points	12	14	13	12	9

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Don't worry! Computational effort can be reduced by cleverness - Good luck!

1. a) Solve the ODE

$$(-x)y' + y(1 + xy) = 0.$$

- b) Argue whether the vector field

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{y} + x \\ -\frac{x}{y^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

is a gradient field. If so, compute a scalar potential.

- c) Consider the space  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Find a vector field  $\psi$  and a non-constant scalar function  $\phi$  such that

$$\operatorname{curl} \psi = \nabla \phi.$$

2. a) Provide the general real valued solution to the ODE

$$u''(x) + u(x) = 0.$$

- b) Find values for  $\lambda > 0$  such that the ODE

$$u''(x) + \lambda u(x) = 0 \quad u'(0) = 0, u(1) = 0$$

with given boundary conditions has a non-trivial (i.e. non zero) solution.

- c) Use separation of variables to solve the heat equation

$$\begin{aligned} T_t &= T_{xx} && \text{in } (0, 1) \\ T_x(0, t) &= 0, \quad T(1, t) = 0 \\ T(x, 0) &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

3. a) Formulate Gauss theorem.

- b) Sketch the region  $V$  covered by the surfaces  $z = 4 - x^2 - y^2$  and  $z = 0$ . Compute the (outer) normal vector to both surfaces.

- c) Verify the theorem for  $V$  by computing both the volume and surface and integrals for the vector field

$$\psi = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ -x \\ z \end{pmatrix}.$$

hint: cylindrical/polar coordinates can be helpful

4. a) With  $\psi = \begin{pmatrix} -\cos(y) \\ 2y + x \sin(y) \end{pmatrix}$  compute the value of the line integral

$$\int_C \psi \, ds,$$

where  $C$  is the curve starting at  $(0,0)$  moving along  $r(t) = (t \cos(\pi t), t)$  to the point  $(-1,1)$  then going along a straight line to the point  $(-1,0)$  and finally going along a half circle in the upper plane to the point  $(1,0)$ . Draw the curve!

- b) Compute the Fourier transformation of the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} te^{-t} & t \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

hint:  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} te^{-t} = 0$ .

What is the Fourier transformation of  $f \star f$ ?

5. Answer the following questions (Simply write true/false on your sheet).

- a) Which of the following vector identities hold? ( $\psi$  vector field,  $\phi$  scalar function)

1.  $\nabla \operatorname{div} \psi = \operatorname{curl} \operatorname{curl} \psi$ .
2.  $\operatorname{div}(\nabla \psi) = \Delta \psi$ .
3.  $\operatorname{curl}(\phi \psi) = \phi \operatorname{curl}(\psi) + \nabla \phi \times \psi$ .

- b) An orthonormal set in a vector space

1. is always linearly independent.
2. is always a basis of the vector space.
3. can be constructed from a basis of the vector space.
4. always contains vectors of length 1.

- c) The Fourier series for a function  $f$

1. is a continuous function.
2. is always finite at every point.
3. is the same as the value of  $f$  everywhere for periodic functions.
4. gives the mean value at jump points of  $f$ .

- d) Analytic functions

1. are infinitely many times differentiable.
2. can have finitely many singularities.
3. are everywhere complex differentiable.
4. can have a Laurent series with non zero principal part.