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Department of Mathematics

Course Code & Title : MA1301 Enhanced Calculus and Linear Algebra II
Session : Semester B, 2012-2013
Time Allowed : Two Hours

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Instructions to candidates:

1. Answer **all** questions.
 2. Start each main question on a new page.
 3. Show all step.
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Non-programmable portable battery operated calculator.

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1. Calculate the following quantities

(a) [5 marks] $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1^p + 2^p + \cdots + n^p}{n^{p+1}}, \quad p \geq 0.$

(b) [5 marks] $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \int_2^{2+h} \sqrt{t^3 + 2} \, dt.$

(c) [8 marks] $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} x \tan^2 x \, dx.$

(d) [8 marks] $\int \frac{dx}{(4x - x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}}.$

(e) [9 marks] $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x} - x} \, dx.$

2. (i) [5 marks] Find all the roots of $(-8 - 8\sqrt{3}i)^{\frac{1}{4}}.$

(ii) [5 marks] Find the modulus and argument of $(\sqrt{3} - i)^6.$

3. [10 marks] Find the moments M_x and M_y and the center of mass of a thin plate covering the region bounded by the parabola $y = x - x^2$ and the line $y = -x$. Assume the density ρ of the plate is 10.

4. (i) [7 marks] Show that the triangle with vertices $P(4, 3, 6)$, $Q(-2, 0, 8)$, $R(1, 5, 0)$ is a right triangle and find its area.

(ii) [8 marks] Given arbitrary vectors $\vec{a} = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$, $\vec{b} = (b_1, b_2, b_3)$, $\vec{c} = (c_1, c_2, c_3)$ and $\vec{d} = (d_1, d_2, d_3)$ in R^3 , show that these four vectors must be linearly dependent.

5. [15 marks] Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(i) Find the values of λ such that $|\lambda I - A| = 0.$

(ii) Compute $P^{-1}AP.$

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6. [15 marks] Consider the following linear system

$$\begin{cases} (2 - \lambda)x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 1, \\ 2x_1 + (5 - \lambda)x_2 - 4x_3 = 2, \\ -2x_1 - 4x_2 + (5 - \lambda)x_3 = -\lambda - 1. \end{cases}$$

When does this system have (i) no solution, (ii) a unique solution, (iii) infinitely many solutions? Solve the system in terms of λ when it is applicable.

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