

(3p) 1. Find the parabola  $y = A + Bx + Cx^2$  that passes through the three points  $(1, 3)$ ,  $(2, 7)$  and  $(3, 13)$ , using Gauss elimination method.

2. Let  $f(x) = x^3 - 4x$ .

(2p) a) Construct the divided-difference table based on the nodes  $x_0 = 1$ ,  $x_1 = 2$ ,  $x_2 = 3$ ,  $x_3 = 4$ ,  $x_4 = 5$ .

(2p) b) Find the Newton interpolation polynomial for the nodes from a).

(2p) 3. Given the continuous function  $g(x)$  for which we know  $g(0) = 4$ ,  $g(1) = 6$ ,  $g(2) = -3$ ,  $g(3) = 2$  and  $g(4) = 1$  use the repeated trapezium formula to approximate  $\int_0^4 g(x)dx$ .