

The University of British Columbia

Midterm 2 - March 15, 2012

Mathematics 105, 2011W T2

Sections 208, 209

Closed book examination

Time: 50 minutes

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Special Instructions:

1. A separate formula sheet will be provided. No books, notes, or calculators are allowed. Unless it is otherwise specified, answers may be left in “calculator-ready” form. Simplification of the final answer is worth at most one point.
2. Show all your work. A correct answer without accompanying work will get no credit.
3. If you need more space than the space provided, use the back of the previous page.

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Q	Points	Max
1		60
2		20
3		20
4 (extra credit)		5
Total		100

1. (a) The area function of a curve  $y = f(t)$  between 0 and  $x$  is given by

$$A(x) = 1 - e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}.$$

Find all the critical points of  $f$ .

(10 points)

(b) Use Simpson's rule to approximate

$$\int_1^5 \frac{dx}{x}$$

with  $n = 4$  subintervals. Find a bound on the error. **No need to simplify your answers!**

(5 + 5 = 10 points)

(c) Find the definite integral

$$\int_0^2 \frac{2x}{x^2 - 1} dx.$$

(10 points)

- (d) A discrete random variable  $X$  takes values 0 and 1 only. If the expected value of  $X$  is  $\frac{1}{2}$ , what is the variance of  $X$ ?

(10 points)

(e) What is the antiderivative of  $\sec^6 x \tan x$ ?

(10 points)

(f) Solve the initial value problem

$$y' = \frac{\ln x}{x\sqrt{y}}, \quad y(1) = 4.$$

(10 points)

2. Find the definite integral:

$$\int_0^1 \frac{e^x + 1}{e^{2x} + 3e^x + 2} dx.$$

(20 points)



3. During a certain part of the day, the interarrival time (in seconds) between successive phone calls at a central telephone exchange is a continuous random variable  $X$  whose probability density function is given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} ke^{-kx} & \text{if } x \geq 0, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where  $k$  is an unknown constant.

(10 + 10 = 20 points)

- (a) If the expected value of  $X$  is  $1/3$  seconds, find the value of  $k$ .

- (b) Find the probability that the time between successive phone calls is more than 2 seconds.

4. (Extra credit) The health officials are studying a flu virus going around a town of 100,000 people. At any given time, a fixed but unknown proportion  $k$  of the uninfected individuals gets infected. The people who have caught the virus once develop an immunity, and are not reinfected. At the start of the study, a quarter of the population is already infected. Write down an initial value problem that models the spread of flu in the population. **Do not solve this problem!**

(5 points)

## Formula Sheet

You may refer to these formulae if necessary.

### Trigonometric formulae:

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

### Simpson's rule:

$$S_n = \frac{\Delta x}{3} \left( f(x_0) + 4f(x_1) + 2f(x_2) + 4f(x_3) + \dots + 4f(x_{n-1}) + f(x_n) \right).$$
$$E_s = \frac{K(b-a)(\Delta x)^4}{180}, \quad |f^{(4)}(x)| < K \text{ on } [a, b].$$

### Indefinite Integrals:

$$\int \sec x \, dx = \ln |\sec x + \tan x| + C.$$

### Probability:

$$\mathbb{E}[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) \, dx.$$
$$\text{Var}[X] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mathbb{E}[X])^2 f(x) \, dx.$$