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All questions may be attempted but only marks obtained on the best five solutions will count.

The use of an electronic calculator is **not** permitted in this examination.

1. Differentiate the following with respect to x :

- (a) $(x^2 - x + 1)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$, (b) $\exp(x) \cos(x)$, (c) $\exp(\cos(x))$,
(d) $\cos(\exp(x))$, (e) $\ln(x^5(1 + x^2))$, (f) $x \ln(x^2) \sin(x)$.

Express your answers in their simplest forms:

2. Write down the chain rule for differentiating a composition

$$f \circ g.$$

If f and g are inverse functions, use the chain rule to obtain a relationship between their derivatives at appropriate places.

Now let f and g be the functions $f(x) = e^x$ and $g(u) = \ln(u)$. Using the fact that $f'(x) = e^x$, but **without** using knowledge of the derivative of the logarithm, find g' .

3. Consider a litter bin made out of sheet metal that consists of a circular cylinder of radius r and height h , with a closed bottom and open top. Write down the expressions for its capacity (i.e. volume when full) and the total area of sheet metal in terms of r and h . If the bin is made of unit area of sheet metal, what is its maximum possible capacity, and what is the ratio $\frac{r}{h}$ when the maximum capacity is achieved?

For unit surface area, sketch the graph of capacity against r .

Why might a manufacturer of litter bins be interested in the results of this analysis?

4. Suppose 1Kg of an unknown radioactive substance is buried for 10 years, and after this time is found to have mass 0.9Kg. If a simple exponential decay model is assumed determine the mass of the sample at the following times after burial:

- 5 year,
- 20 years,
- 30 years.

How long after burial would the sample have a mass exactly half of its initial value?

For the purposes of this question, you are given the values of the logarithm: $\ln 2 = 0.693$, $\ln 3 = 1.099$, $\ln 5 = 1.609$.

5. Compute the following integrals:

$$(a) \int_1^2 (\ln x)^2 dx,$$

$$(b) \int_0^1 x^3 \exp(-x^4) dx,$$

$$(c) \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \frac{2}{2+x^2} dx,$$

$$(d) \int_4^6 \frac{3x}{x^2+2x-8} dx.$$

6. Show that the integral

$$I = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

can not be approximated directly by the trapezium method due to a singularity. Find a suitable substitution to eliminate the singularity and then write down an approximation to I using the trapezium method with 4 intervals of equal length.

7. Solve the following initial-value problems:

$$(a) \quad y' - \frac{y}{x} = x, \quad y(1) = 2,$$

$$(b) \quad y'' + 5y' + 4y = -10 \sin(2x), \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0.$$