

**Math 232: Test 3A**  
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- Calculators are allowed.
- For short answer questions, you must show work for full and partial credit.
- No partial credit for multiple choice / no work needs to be shown.
- Since you have test version A, please code your scantron sequence number as 11111 (all 1's).
- Give exact values instead of decimal approximations unless otherwise specified.
- Sign the honor pledge below after completing the exam.

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True or False. (2 points each) Recall that true means always true, and false means sometimes or always false.  $n$  represents non-negative integers and the coefficients  $c_n$  are real numbers that could be positive, negative, or 0.

1. True or False: If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3x^n$ , then  $f^{(n)}(0) = 3$  for all  $n \geq 0$ .

A. True

B. False

2. True or False: Suppose the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  and the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  converge to the same values for all  $x$ . Then  $a_n = c_n$  for all  $n$ .

A. True

B. False

3. True or False: If the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  converges for all  $x$ -values, then the power series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n \cdot c_n x^{n-1}$  also converges for all  $x$ -values.

A. True

B. False

4. True or False: If the radius of convergence for  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  is 9, then the radius of convergence of  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^{2n}$  is 3.

A. True

B. False

5. True or False: If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  is the Taylor series for  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5x + 6$ , then  $c_n = 0$  for all  $n > 2$ .

A. True

B. False

6. True or False: If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n 4^n$  converges, then  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n (-4)^n$  also converges.

- A. True
- B. False

7. True or False: If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n (-5)^n$  converges, then  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n 3^n$  also converges.

- A. True
- B. False

8. True or False: If  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{(n+1)!2^n}$  and  $g(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n-1}}{n!2^{n-1}}$ , then  $f(x) = g(x)$  for all values of  $x$ .

- A. True
- B. False

9. (5 pts) Find the radius of convergence of  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n (x-3)^n}{n^3}$

- A.  $\frac{1}{2}$
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. 3
- E.  $\frac{7}{2}$

10. (5 pts) The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (x-7)^n}{4^n \sqrt{n}}$  has a radius of convergence of 4. What is its interval of convergence?

- A. (3, 11)
- B. (3, 11]
- C. [3, 11)
- D. [3, 11]

11. ( 5 pts) The sum of the series  $\sqrt{3} - \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{3} + \frac{3^2\sqrt{3}}{5} - \frac{3^3\sqrt{3}}{7} + \dots$  is equal to which of the following expressions?

A.  $\sqrt{3} \arctan(3)$

B.  $\arctan(\sqrt{3})$

C.  $\sqrt{3} \sin(3)$

D.  $\sin(\sqrt{3})$

E.  $\ln(1 + \sqrt{3})$

12. (10 pts) Use Taylor series to find the limit:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{xe^x - x}{\ln(1 + 5x^2)}$$

13. (14 pts) In order to approximate  $e^{x/2}$  on the interval  $[0.2, 1.4]$ , Anne wants to use a degree 3 Taylor polynomial centered at 0.8, but Wendy wants to use a degree 6 Taylor polynomial centered at  $x = 0$ , instead. Whose estimate will be more accurate? Use remainder estimates to give a quantitative justification for your answer.

Whose estimate will be more accurate?      Anne      Wendy

14. (10 pts)

(a) Find the Maclaurin series for  $x^5 \cos(5x^3)$ .

(b) Find the Maclaurin series for  $\int x^5 \cos(5x^3) dx$ .

15. (10 pts) Find the Taylor polynomial of degree 3 for the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{3-x}$  centered around  $a = 2$ .



$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots \quad R = 1$$

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} = 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \quad R = \infty$$

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots \quad R = \infty$$

$$\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!} = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots \quad R = \infty$$

$$\tan^{-1}x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} = x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots \quad R = 1$$

$$\ln(1+x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{x^n}{n} = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \quad R = 1$$

$$(1+x)^k = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{k}{n} x^n = 1 + kx + \frac{k(k-1)}{2!} x^2 + \frac{k(k-1)(k-2)}{3!} x^3 + \dots \quad R = 1$$