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SMA3114: ANALYTICAL COMPUTATIONAL METHODS

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Time 2hours

Instructions

Answer Question1 and TWO other questions.

Show all the necessary working

Question1 [30 marks] COMPULSORY

(a) Evaluate (i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left\{ \frac{x-14}{x+14} \right\}$ (ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} \left\{ \frac{x^2-1}{x-1} \right\}$ (iii) $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left\{ \frac{(x+2h)^2 - (x-2h)^2}{4h} \right\}$ [4 marks]

(b) Using primitive definition of derivative, determine

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \text{ given, } y(x) = x^2 - 2x - 4 \quad [5 \text{ marks}]$$

(c) (i) Solve $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 720^\circ$ [5 marks]

(ii) Find x if $5 \sin x - \cos x = 1$: $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ [5 marks]

(d) Evaluate the indefinite integral (i) $\int 4x^2 dx$ (ii) $\int \left(\frac{1}{x^2} + \cos x \right) dx$ (iii) $\int \frac{2+4x}{x+x^2} dx$ [6 marks]

(e) If $Z = 2 + 2i$ express the complex numbers \bar{Z} , $\bar{Z}Z$ in the form $a + ib$. [5 marks]

(f) The distance S in meters, of a particle traveled from a point Q after time t seconds, is given by

$$S = \frac{t^3}{3} - 144t + 210. \text{ When is the particle instantaneously at rest? Determine the speed and}$$

acceleration of the particle after 12 seconds. [7 marks]

Question2 [20 marks]

(a) (i) Prove that $\frac{d}{dx} (u(x)v(x)) = v(x) \frac{du(x)}{dx} + u(x) \frac{dv(x)}{dx}$ [4 marks]

(ii) If $y = (13 + x^2)e^x$ find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, at $x = 0$ [5 marks]

(b) (i) Given $y = \log_e(3 + 4x^2)$ find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$, at $x = 1$ [6 marks]

(c) Determine $\frac{dy}{dx}$, if $y = \left[\frac{3+x^2}{e^{\alpha x}} \right]^{-1}$ [5 marks]

Question3 [20 marks]

Define a curve $y(x)$ by $y(x) = x^3 - 48x + 25$.

(i) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ (ii) Determine and distinguish the turning points of the curve.

(iii) Sketch the curve $y = x^3 - 48x$; $-150 \leq x \leq 150$ [15 marks]

(iv) State both the minimum and maximum values of the $y = x^3 - 48x$; $-150 \leq x \leq 150$ [5 marks]

Question4 [20 marks]

.(a) If $Z_1 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i$, $Z_2 = 2 - 2i$ express the complex numbers Z_1^{10}, Z_2^{10} in the form

$$Z = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta).$$

[6 marks]

(b) On same Argand plane, plot the complex numbers $Z_1, Z_1^{10}, Z_2, Z_2^{10}$.

Determine the effect of raising a complex number to a positive power.

[6 marks]

(c) Find x if $13\sin x - \cos x = 1 : 0^\circ \leq x \leq 720^\circ$

[8 marks]

Question5 [20 marks]

(a) Given the matrices $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}, C = \begin{bmatrix} 16 \\ 10 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(i). Compute $\det A$

(ii). Show that $\det A \neq 0$

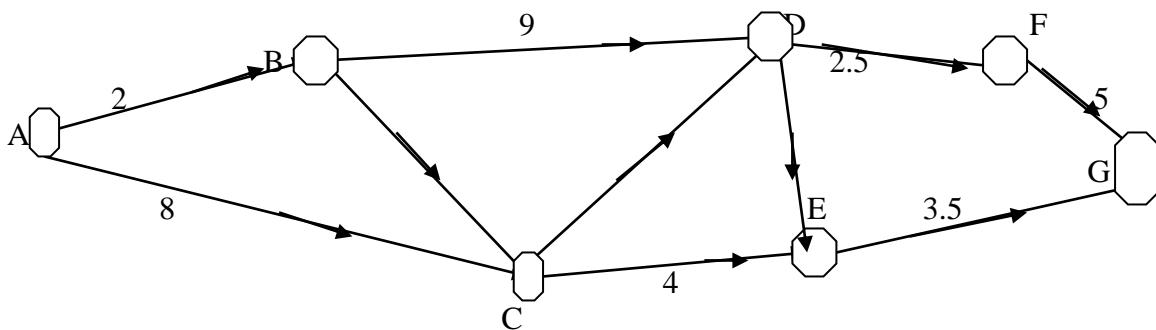
(iii) If $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = P$, find matrix P and give the inverse

of A .

(iv) Using the results of part (iii) above solve the equation $AX = C$.

[15 marks]

(c) Find the shortest path from source to sink on the system below.



[4 marks]

(d) Determine the constant term in the binomial expansion $\left(x - \frac{15}{x}\right)^{10}$

[4 marks]