

Math 10A

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- **DO NOT OPEN THE PRACTICE FINAL UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO!**
- Do all problems as best as you can. The exam is 60 minutes long. You may not leave during the last 30 minutes of the exam.
- Use the provided sheets to write your solutions. You may use the back of each page for the remainder of your solutions; in such a case, put an arrow at the bottom of the page and indicate that the solution continues on the back page. **No extra sheets of paper can be submitted with this exam!**
- The exam is closed notes and book, which means: **no class notes, no review notes, no textbooks, and not other materials can be used during the exam.** You can only use your cheat sheet. The cheat sheet is one side of one regular  $8 \times 11$  sheet, handwritten.
- **NO CALCULATORS ARE ALLOWED DURING THE EXAM!**
- Justify all your answers, include all intermediate steps and calculations, and box your answers.

1. (20 points) Find the following derivatives and integrals.

(a) (5 points)  $\frac{d}{dx}(\cos(\cos(x)))$ .

**Solution:** Use the chain rule to get  $-\sin(\cos(x)) \cdot (-\sin(x)) = \sin(\cos(x)) \sin(x)$ .

(b) (5 points)  $\frac{d}{dx} \int_{\sqrt{x}}^{x^2} e^{x^2} dx$ .

**Solution:** Use FTC to get  $e^{(x^2)^2} \cdot 2x - e^{(\sqrt{x})^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} = 2xe^{x^4} - \frac{e^x}{2\sqrt{x}}$ .

(c) (5 points)  $\int x \cos(x) dx$

**Solution:** We use integration by parts since it is a product of functions. Let  $u = x$  and  $dv = \cos(x)dx$  so  $du = dx$  and  $v = \sin(x)$ . This is

$$\int x \cos(x) dx = x \sin(x) - \int \sin(x) dx = x \sin(x) - (-\cos(x)) + C = x \sin(x) + \cos(x) + C.$$

(d) (5 points)  $\int_{-1}^0 2x\sqrt{x+1} dx$ .

**Solution:** First we  $u$  sub by  $u = x + 1$  so  $du = dx$ . Then  $2x = 2(u - 1)$  so this integral is

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^1 2(u-1)\sqrt{u} du &= \int_0^1 2u\sqrt{u} - 2\sqrt{u} du = \int_0^1 2u^{3/2} - 2u^{1/2} du \\ &= \frac{4u^{5/2}}{5} - \frac{4u^{3/2}}{3} \Big|_0^1 = \frac{4}{5} - \frac{4}{3} = \frac{-8}{15}. \end{aligned}$$

2. (20 points) Sand is being dumped in a conical pile whose width and height always remain the same. If sand is being dumped in at a rate of  $\pi \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$ , how fast is the height of the sand changing when the pile is 4 cm tall? (Hint: The volume of a cone with radius  $r$  and height  $h$  is  $V = \frac{\pi r^2 h}{3}$ ).

**Solution:** Since the width and height always remain the same, we know that  $2r = h$  or  $r = h/2$ . Therefore, the volume of the cone is given by  $V = \frac{\pi(h/2)^2 h}{3} = \frac{\pi h^3}{12}$ .

Taking the derivative, we get that  $V' = \frac{\pi h^2}{4} h'$ . So

$$h' = \frac{4V}{\pi h^2} = \frac{4\pi}{\pi(4)^2} = \frac{1}{4} \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{s}}.$$

3. (20 points) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 7 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(a) (5 points) What is the determinant of  $A$ ?

**Solution:** The determinant is  $1 \cdot 7 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 0 + 0 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 - 0 \cdot 7 \cdot 0 - 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 3 - 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 1 = 7 + 0 + 0 - 0 - 3 - 6 = -2$ .

(b) (15 points) Use Gaussian elimination to find the solution to  $A\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**Solution:**

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{II-3I} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{I-2II, III-3II} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 4 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{III/-2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{I+2III, II-III} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \end{array} \right).$$

So, the solution is  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

4. (20 points) Find the general solution of the following differential equations.
- (a) (10 points)  $y'' - 2y' + 5y = 0$ .

**Solution:** The characteristic equation is  $\lambda^2 - 2\lambda + 5 = 0$  which has roots  $1 \pm 2i$ . Therefore, the general solution is  $y(t) = c_1 e^t \cos(2t) + c_2 e^t \sin(2t)$ .

- (b) (10 points)  $y' + 3\frac{y}{x} - \frac{e^x}{x^3} = 0$ .

**Solution:** We want to use integrating factors. Moving only the  $y$ 's on one side, the equation becomes  $y' + 3\frac{y}{x} = \frac{e^x}{x^3}$ . The integrating factor is  $I(x) = e^{\int 3/x dx} = e^{3 \ln x} = x^3$ . Multiplying this new equation by the integrating factor gives  $x^3 y' + 3x^2 y = e^x$ . Finally, integrating gives

$$(x^3 y)' = \int e^x = e^x + C.$$

So the general solution is  $y = \frac{e^x + C}{x^3}$ .

5. (20 points) (a) (15 points) Find the line of best fit through the set of points  $\{(1, 1), (2, 0), (3, 5)\}$ .

**Solution:** Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 14 & 6 \\ 6 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $(A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ . So the line of best fit is  $y = 2x - 2$ .

- (b) (5 points) Calculate the least square error of using your line of best fit from above.

**Solution:** The expected  $y$  values were in order  $2(1) - 2 = 0, 2(2) - 2 = 2, 2(3) - 2 = 4$ . So the least square error is  $(\text{expected} - \text{actual})^2 = (0 - 1)^2 + (2 - 0)^2 + (4 - 5)^2 = 1 + 4 + 1 = 6$ .