

**MATH 166**  
**SPRING 2006**  
**EXAM 3**

1. (36 pt) Determine if the following series converge or diverge.

a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{\sqrt{n^7+1}}$     b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{n^4}\right)$     c)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{28^n (n!)^3}{(3n)!}$     d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2n^2+1)^{3n}}{(3n^3-1)^{2n}}$   
e)  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{\ln(\ln(n))}{\ln(n)}$     f)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin(a_n)$ , where  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is a convergent, positive term series.

2. (12 pt) Determine if the following sequences converge or diverge.

a)  $\left\{ n \tan\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$   
b)  $\left\{ a_n \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  where  $a_1 = 1$  and  $a_{n+1} = 3 - \frac{1}{a_n}$  for  $n \geq 1$ .

3. (15 pt) Suppose that the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  has interval of convergence  $[-R, R]$  ( $R > 0$ ) and that the series converges absolutely at the endpoints. Find the interval of convergence of the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{a_n}{n+1} (ax-b)^{cn}$$

where  $a \neq 0$  and  $c$  is a positive integer.

4. Let  $R > 0$  and suppose that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  converges if  $|x| < R$  and diverges if  $|x| > R$ .

a) (10 pt) Show that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^n$  converges for  $|x| > \frac{1}{R}$  and diverges for  $|x| < \frac{1}{R}$ .

b) (5 pt) Suppose that  $f(x)$  is equal to its Maclaurin series and has the property that  $f(x) = f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$  for all  $x \neq 0$ . Explain why if  $R > 1$ , then  $f(x)$  is continuous everywhere and if  $R = 1$  then  $f(x)$  has at most two discontinuities. What happens if  $R < 1$ ?

5. (12 pt) Find the center, radius, and interval of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt[3]{(2n+1)}(3x-6)^{2n}}{9^n}.$$

6. (10 pt) Evaluate the following limit (you might try using a series).

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin(x^2) + e^{-x^2} - \cos(x^3)}{3x^4}$$

7. (10 pt) Estimate

$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{16+x^4}$$

with error less than or equal to  $\frac{1}{20000}$  (and explain how you come to your conclusions).