

1. (16) In this problem show all work. In particular, mention any test that you might use and verify that it is applicable. A correct answer with incorrect work will be considered wrong.

(a) Find the radius of convergence of the power series

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(x+1)^n}{2^n \sqrt{n}}.$$

(b) Find the interval of convergence.

2. (13) Write down the first four non-zero terms of a Taylor series expansion centered at  $a = 3$  of the function

$$f(x) = (1 + x)^{3/2}.$$

3. (13) Find the MacLaurin series expansion for the function

$$\int x e^{5x} dx.$$

Ignore the arbitrary constant  $C$ . Your answer should be in the form  $\sum a_n x^n$ .

4. (40) For each of the following series, fill in the blank with the letters **CC**, **AC** or **D** depending on whether the given series is conditionally convergent (**CC**), absolutely convergent (**AC**) or divergent (**D**). You must show all work. In particular mention any test that you might use and verify that it is applicable. A correct answer with incorrect work will be considered wrong.

(a)  $1 + 1.1 + 1.11 + 1.111 + \dots$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} 10^n}{n!}$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(c)  $\frac{1}{\ln 2} - \frac{1}{\ln 3} + \frac{1}{\ln 4} - \frac{1}{\ln 5} + \dots$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

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$$(d) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin^3 n}{\pi^n}$$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

$$(e) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n\sqrt{\ln n}}$$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

$$(f) \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{8} + \cdots$$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

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$$(g) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{e^n}{n^3 + 2n}$$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

$$(h) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n^3 + n + 2}{\sqrt{n^9 - 10}}$$

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

5. (18) For each of the following statements, fill in the blank with the letters **T** or **F** depending on whether the statement is true or false. You do not need to show your work and no partial credit will be given on this problem.

(a) If the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges, then the sequence  $\{a_n\}$  converges.

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) The series  $2 - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{9} - \frac{2}{27} + \cdots$  converges to  $\frac{3}{2}$ .

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Every increasing sequence diverges.

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

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(d) If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is a divergent series, then the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$  is divergent.

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(e)  $\sqrt{e} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{48} + \dots$ .

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_

(f) If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is a divergent series of positive terms, then some partial sum is  $> 10^6$ .

ANS: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Math 8

29 January 2009  
Hour Exam I

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