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INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS ON THE PAPER IN PEN
2. CALCULATORS ARE ALLOWED
3. INDICATE **CLEARLY** ANY ADDITIONAL WORKING OUT

Question 1

[5]

(1.1) Define clearly what is meant by saying “ $f(x, y)$ is continuous at the point (a, b) ”. (2)

(1.2) Is the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{2xy}{x^2 + 2y^2} & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

continuous at $(0, 0)$?

(3)

Question 2

[4]

The directional derivative of $f(x, y)$ at the point $P = (0, 4)$ in the direction of the origin is -2 . If $\nabla f(0, 4) = \langle k, k \rangle$ for some $k \in \mathbb{R}$, what is the directional derivative at P in the direction of $\theta = \pi/3$?

Question 3

[8]

Consider the volume represented by the following triple integral:

$$V = \left[\int_{-2}^2 \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \int_{-\sqrt{4-x^2-y^2}}^{\sqrt{4-x^2-y^2}} dz dy dx \right] - \left[\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \int_{-\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}}^{\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}} dz dy dx \right]$$

(3.1) Explain, in words, the represented volume. (1)

(3.2) Rewrite the **first term only** in the order $dx dz dy$. (2)

(3.4) Rewrite V in **spherical** coordinates using only one triple integral.

(2)

(3.4) Rewrite V in **cylindrical** coordinates.

(3)

Question 4

[8]

(4.1) Find $\iiint_E \frac{1}{(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)^{n/2}} dV$, where E is the region bounded between the spheres with center the origin and radii r and R , where $0 < r < R$. (5)

(4.2) For what values of n does the integral in (4.1) have a limit as $r \rightarrow 0^+$. (3)

Question 5

[5]

Use an appropriate change of variable to evaluate the double integral

$$\iint_R \cos\left(\frac{x-y}{x+y}\right) dA$$

where R is in the first quadrant and bounded by the lines $x + y = 1$ and $x + y = 3$.

Question 6

[6]

Consider the following vector field:

$$\mathbf{F} = \langle y^3 + 1, 3xy^2 + 1 \rangle.$$

(6.1) Is $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$ path-independent? Justify your answer clearly. (2)

(6.2) Show that $\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = 2$, where C is the semi-circular path, in the first quadrant, with starting point $(0, 0)$ and terminal point $(2, 0)$. (4)

Question 7

[5]

The force exerted by an electric charge at the origin on a charged particle at a point (x, y, z) with position vector $\mathbf{r} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$ is $\mathbf{F} = \frac{K\mathbf{r}}{\|\mathbf{r}\|^3}$, where K is a constant.

Find the work done by this latter force as the particle moves along a straight line from $(2, 0, 0)$ to $(2, 1, 5)$.

Question 8

[4]

Given a vector field $\mathbf{F} = P\mathbf{i} + Q\mathbf{j} + R\mathbf{k}$. Show that

$$\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \int_C P dx + Q dy + R dz$$

along a smooth curve C .