

MATH 410.501  
Final examination  
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The exam consists of 6 questions. The point value for a question is written next to the question number. There is a total of 100 points. No aids are permitted.

1. [45] In each of the following 15 cases, indicate whether the given statement is true or false. No justification is necessary.

(a) Let  $\mathbf{x}$  be a nonzero vector in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Then there are only finitely many vectors  $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = 0$ .

(b) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a  $C^1$  function and set  $A = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \cos y \leq x < y^2\}$ . Then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an open set.

(c) The intersection of infinitely many compact subsets of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is compact.

(d) Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix and define the function  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  by  $f(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$ . Then  $f$  is differentiable at every point of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .

(e) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a function such that  $|f(x, y)| \leq x^2$  for all  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Then  $f$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0)$ .

(f) Every bounded sequence in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  has a convergent subsequence.

(g) Let  $\{\mathbf{x}_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  and  $\{\mathbf{y}_k\}_{k=1}^{\infty}$  be bounded sequences in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then there exist  $1 \leq k_1 < k_2 < k_3 < \dots$  such that the sequence  $\{\mathbf{x}_{k_j} + \mathbf{y}_{k_j}\}_{j=1}^{\infty}$  converges.

(h) Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of differentiable functions from  $[0, 1]$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  which converges pointwise on  $[0, 1]$  to a function  $f$ . Then  $f$  is continuous.

(i) If a power series  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k x^k$  converges on a compact set  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , then it converges uniformly on  $A$ .

(j) If a power series  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k x^k$  converges on  $\mathbb{R}$ , then for every  $\delta > 0$  there is a  $k_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $|c_k| \leq \delta^k$  for all  $k \geq k_0$ .

(k) The subset  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : |x - y| = 1\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  is connected.

(l) The function  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $f(\mathbf{x}) = \|\mathbf{x}\|$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$  is differentiable at the point  $\mathbf{x} = (0, 0)$ .

(m) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  be a  $C^1$  function and let  $A$  be a bounded subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then there exists an  $M > 0$  such that  $\|Df(\mathbf{x})\| \leq M$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in A$ .

(n) Let  $A$  be a bounded subset of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then the closure  $\overline{A}$  is compact.

(o)  $\mathbb{R}^n$  can be written as the union of finitely many compact sets.

2. [15] (a) Let  $A$  be a nonempty subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ . State what it means for a sequence  $\{f_n\}$  of functions to converge uniformly on  $A$  to a function  $f$ .

(b) State what it means for a set  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  to be compact.

(c) Define the interior  $A^\circ$  and closure  $\overline{A}$  of a set  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ .

3. [10] (a) Compute all second-order partial derivatives of the function  $f(x, y) = \sin(e^{xy})$ .

(b) Is the function in part (a) differentiable at  $(0, 0)$ ? (No justification is required.)

4. [10] (a) State what it means for a function  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  to be differentiable at a point  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

(b) Prove directly from the definition of differentiability that the function  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$  is differentiable at  $(0, 0, 0)$ .

(c) Give an example of a function  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that the first-order partial derivatives of  $f$  exist at  $(0, 0)$  but  $f$  is not differentiable at  $(0, 0)$ . No justification is required.

5. [10] Determine Taylor's formula for the function  $f(x, y) = \ln(x + 2y)$  at the point  $(1, 0)$  with remainder term of order three (i.e., the remainder term contains the third total differential).



6. [10] Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be defined by  $f(x, y) = (e^{xy}, x + y)$ . Prove that  $f$  is invertible on some open set  $U$  containing  $(1, 0)$  and that the inverse  $f^{-1}$  is differentiable on  $f(U)$ , and compute  $D(f^{-1})(1, 1)$ .