

- (1) (a) Perform the indicated calculation, and give your answer in the simplified form $z = x + iy$:

$$z = \frac{5+i}{-5+i} = \frac{5+i}{-5+i} \cdot \frac{-5-i}{-5-i} = \frac{-(24+10i)}{26} = \frac{-12}{13} + \frac{5}{13}i.$$

or, from the other exam: $z = \frac{1+7i}{-1+7i} = \frac{24}{25} - \frac{7}{25}i.$

- (1b) Write the number $z = 1 + i\sqrt{3}$ in polar form $Re^{i\theta}$, then compute $z^3 = (1 + i\sqrt{3})^3$.

$$R = 2, \quad \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \quad z = 2e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}, \quad z^3 = 8e^{-\pi} = -8.$$

or, from the other exam: $z = 1 - i\sqrt{3} = 2e^{-i\frac{\pi}{3}}, \quad z^3 = 8e^{-i\pi} = -8.$

- (2) The function $f(x)$ is approximated near $x = 0$ by the third degree Taylor polynomial

$$P_3(x) = 2 - 4x^2 + 2x^3.$$

- (a) Give the exact value of $f(0)$, $f'(0)$, $f''(0)$, and $f'''(0)$.

$$f(0) = 2, \quad f'(0) = 0, \quad f''(0) = -8, \quad f'''(0) = 12.$$

or, from the other exam: $f(0) = 2, \quad f'(0) = 0, \quad f''(0) = 8, \quad f'''(0) = 12.$

- (b) Is $x = 0$ a local maximum, local minimum, or neither? *Since the first derivative is zero at $x = 0$, and since the second derivative is negative, $x = 0$ is a local maximum. (On "the other exam", the second derivative was positive, so $x = 0$ was a local minimum.)*
- (c) Sketch a graph of $f(x)$ in a vicinity of $x = 0$.

- (3) (a) Find the Taylor polynomial of degree 3 about $a = 8$ for the function $f(x) = x^{1/3}$.
 (b) Using your answer to part (a), find an approximation to the cube root of 10, i.e. $10^{1/3}$. *You should compare your answer to the exact value of $10^{1/3}$ provided by your calculator.*

$$P_3(x) = 2 + \frac{1}{12}(x-8) - \frac{1}{288}(x-8)^2 + \frac{5}{20736}(x-8)^3,$$

$$P_3(10) = 2 + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{72} + \frac{5}{2592} = \frac{5585}{2592} \approx 2.15471$$

$$10^{1/3} = 2.154434\dots$$

- (4) (a) Do the following series converge or diverge? Explain by making reference to one of the tests for convergence (if it converges) or explain why it diverges.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n}{\sqrt{2+n^2}}, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{3^n+5}$$

For the first series, the terms in the series do not go to zero as $n \rightarrow \infty$, and so the series diverges. For the second series, we have $\frac{2^n}{3^n+5} < \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$, and since the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$ is a geometric series and converges since $\frac{2}{3} < 1$, the original series converges.

- (b) Determine the radius of convergence for the following series. Show your work.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{3^n \sqrt{n}}$$

$$\left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \left| \frac{x^{n+1}}{3^{n+1}} \frac{3^n}{x^n} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right| = \left| \frac{x}{3} \right| \sqrt{\frac{n}{n+1}} \rightarrow \left| \frac{x}{3} \right|.$$

So, for convergence, we need $\left| \frac{x}{3} \right| < 1$ which means $|x| < 3$, and so the radius is 3. (For the other exam, the series was $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{4^n \sqrt{n}}$, and so the radius turns out to be 4.)

- (c) Does the above series converge if you plug in $x = -3$? Explain your answer. **Plugging in $x = -3$, the series is $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}}$ which is alternating. The terms clearly alternate, and as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \rightarrow 0$. Thus this alternating series converges.**

Bonus (3pts). A tennis ball is dropped from a height of 40 feet and bounces. Each bounce is $\frac{1}{2}$ the height of the bounce before. A “superball” has a bounce $\frac{3}{4}$ the height of the bounce before, and is dropped from a height of 30 feet. Which ball travels a greater total vertical distance? **For this problem one had to determine the exact amount each ball traveled, and then compare. The tennis ball traveled 120 feet, and the superball traveled 210 feet.**

Bonus (2pts). TRUE/FALSE questions.

- (a) If a power series $\sum a_k x^k$ converges at $x = 1$ and at $x = 2$, then it converges at $x = -1$. **True**
- (b) If a power series $\sum a_k x^k$ diverges at $x = c$ then it also diverges at $x = -c$. **False**