University of Ruhuna-Faculty of Technology

Bachelor of Engineering Technology Level I (Semester 1) Examination, July 2017

Course Unit: TMS1152 Applied Calculus

Time Allowed 2 hours Answer all Five(05) questions

All symbols have their usual meaning.

1. (a) Compute following limits.

(i)
$$\lim_{x\to 0} (x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 1)$$

(ii)
$$\lim_{x \to 1} \frac{(1-x)}{(1-\sqrt{x})}$$

(b) For the function $f(x) = x^2 + 2x$ the slope of the tangent line (m_{tan}) at the point x = 1 can be expressed as follows,

$$m_{tan} = \lim_{x \to 1} \frac{f(x) - f(1)}{x - 1}$$

- (i) Compute mtan.
- (ii) Write down the equation of the tangent line at x = 1.

2. For each of the following functions, compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$. (You may use the chain rule if necessary.)

(a)
$$y = x^2 - 9x + 2$$

(b)
$$y = (x^2 + 1)(x + 2)$$

(c)
$$y = \sqrt{x + \sqrt{x}}$$
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(d)
$$y = u^3 - 9u$$
 and $x = 3u + 2$.

3. (a) If $y = f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 4$, find all the points (x, y) on the graph of f(x) where the tangent

(b) Compute $\frac{dy}{dx}$ of following equations using implicit differentiation.

$$(i) \quad 3xy + x^2 = 0$$

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(ii) $x^2 + y^2 + e^{(x^2 - y^2)} = 9$

4. (a) Prove the following formula is correct by differentiation. First clearly express the corresponding differentiation formula.

$$\int \frac{(x^2+2)}{x} dx = 2\ln(x) + \frac{x^2}{2} + C$$

(b) Compute the following indefinite integral. If necessary use a suitable u-substitution.

solution (i)
$$\int (x+1)^2 dx$$

(ii)
$$\int \frac{1}{x \ln(x)} dx$$

(iii)
$$\int \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} dx$$

- **5.** (a) Consider the function $y = \sqrt{x}$.
 - (i) Sketch the graph of the above function.
 - (ii) Shade the area represented by the definite integral,

$$\int_0^4 \sqrt{x} dx$$

- (iii) Compute the area of the above shaded region.
- (b) Consider the function $f(x) = (x-2)^2$.
 - (i) Sketch the graph of the above function.
 - (ii) Find the slope (m) of the above function at x = 1.
 - (iii) Write down the equation of the tangent line to the above function at x = 1.
 - (iv) Shade the area represented by the definite integral,

$$\int_0^{3/2} (mx+c)dx,$$

where m and c are the slope and the intercept of the tangent line in part (iii) respectively.

(v) Find the area of the shaded region by evaluating the above definite integral.