

BSc Engineering Sciences – A. Y. 2017/18  
**Written exam (call II) of the course Mathematical Analysis 2**  
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Solve the following problems, **motivating in detail the answers**.

You may also use the other side of the sheets if necessary. **Papers for draft will not be evaluated.**

1. Find a power series expression for the solution  $y(x)$  of the differential equation

$$xy'' + (1+x)y' + 2y = 0$$

such that  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = -2$ , and determine its radius of convergence.

*Solution.*

1. continued.

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**2.** Let  $C$  be the curve in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  defined by

$$C = \{(x, y) : 2(x + y - 1)^2 + (x - y)^2 = 8\}.$$

Find the points on  $C$  which are the nearest and the farthest from the origin  $(0, 0)$ .

*Solution.*

**2.** continued.

**3.**

(1) Let  $c > 0$ . Find the solution  $f(x, t)$  of the partial differential equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}$$

with the initial condition  $f(x, 0) = e^{-x^2}$ ,  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(x, 0) = \frac{x}{(x^2+1)^2}$ .

(2) Let  $h(s)$  be a twice continuously differentiable function of  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\alpha} = (\alpha_x, \alpha_y, \alpha_z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $\|\boldsymbol{\alpha}\|^2 = 1$ . Let us define a function  $g$  of  $(x, y, z, t) \in \mathbb{R}^4$  by

$$g(x, y, z, t) = h(x\alpha_x + y\alpha_y + z\alpha_z - ct).$$

Prove that  $g$  satisfies the following partial differential equation (3d wave equation):

$$\frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \left( \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 g}{\partial z^2} \right)$$

*Solution.*

**3.** continued.

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4. Compute the integral

$$\iiint_T dx dy dz z \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

where  $T$  is the region bounded by the cylinder  $x^2 - 2x + y^2 = 0$ , the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 4$  and the plane  $z = 0$ .

4. continued.



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**5.** Let  $\mathbb{F}(x, y, z) = (-y^3e^z + y^2e^{xy^2}, x^3\cos z + 2xye^{xy^2}, xyz)$  be a vector field on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $C$  be the circle

$$C = \{(x, y, z) : x^2 + y^2 = a^2, z = 0\},$$

where  $a > 0$ .

Compute the line integral

$$\int_C \mathbb{F} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\alpha},$$

where  $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$  is a parametrization of  $C$  going counterclockwise.

*Solution.*

5. continued.