VU University Amsterdam	Calculus 2, First Test
Faculty of Sciences	21-11-2016
Department of Mathematics	11.00 - 13.00 h

The use of a calculator, a book, or lecture notes is <u>not</u> permitted. Do not just give answers, but give calculations and explain your steps.

- 1. Determine whether the sequence  $\left\{\frac{3^n+4^n+n}{1+2^{2n}+n^3}\right\}$  is convergent or divergent.
- 2. Calculate the sum of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 3^{n-1} 4^{1-2n}.$$

3. Determine if the following series are convergent or divergent.

a) 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2 + n - 1}.$$

b) 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos\left(\frac{1}{n^2}\right).$$

c) 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2n)!}{(n!)^2}$$
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4. Consider the power series

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(3x-1)^n}{2^n \ln(n)}.$$

Determine its interval of convergence.

5. The Taylor series of the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{2 - x^2}$  about x = 0 is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n.$$

- a) Calculate  $a_n$  for all  $n \geq 0$  and determine for which x the series converges to f(x).
- b) Use part a) to calculate  $f^{(7)}(0)$ .

(Please turn over)

6. The vectors  $\mathbf{u}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$  and point P are given by

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{k}, \quad \mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} \quad \text{and} \quad P = (1, 2, 3).$$

- a) Calculate the dot-product  $\mathbf{u} \bullet \mathbf{v}$  and the cross-product  $\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v}$ .
- b) Give an equation of the plane passing through P and normal to the vector  $\mathbf{u}$ .
- c) Calculate the distance from the point (0, 1, 0) to the plane from part b).
- 7. Consider the function  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  given by

$$f(x,y) = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2 + 1}.$$

- a) Calculate the first partial derivatives with respect to x and y.
- b) Find an equation of the tangent plane to the graph of f in the point where (x,y)=(1,1).

## Scoring:

Final grade = 
$$\frac{\text{\# points}}{3} + 1$$