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Amherst College
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
Math 12
Midterm Exam #2
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- This is a closed-book examination. No books, notes, calculators, cell phones, communication devices of any sort, or other aids are permitted.

- You need *not* simplify algebraically complicated answers. However, numerical answers such as $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$, $4^{\frac{3}{2}}$, $e^{\ln 4}$, $\ln(e^7)$, or $e^{3\ln 3}$ should be simplified.

- Please *show* all of your work and *justify* all of your answers. (You may use the backs of pages for additional work space.)

| Problem | Score | Possible Points |
|---------|-------|-----------------|
| 1 | | 40 |
| 2 | | 8 |
| 3 | | 8 |
| 4 | | 20 |
| 5 | | 24 |
| Total | | 100 |

1. [40 Points] Compute the following integral, or else show that it diverges.

(a) $\int_1^9 \frac{1}{(x-7)^2} dx$

1. (Continued) Compute the following integral, or else show that it diverges.

(b) $\int \frac{4x + 1}{x^2 - 3x - 10} dx$

1. (Continued) Compute the following integral, or else show that it diverges.

(c) $\int \frac{x^4 + x^2 + x + 1}{x^3 + x} dx$

1. (Continued) Compute the following integrals, or else show that it diverges.

(d) $\int_9^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 8x + 41} dx$

2. [8 Points] Determine whether the following sequence **converges** or **diverges**. If it converges, compute its limit. Justify your answer. Do not just put down a number.

$$\left\{ \left(\frac{n+1}{n} \right)^n \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$$

3. [8 Points] Find the **sum** of the following series (which does converge):

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 3^{n+2}}{2^{4n-1}}$$

4. [20 Points] Determine whether each of the following series **converges** or **diverges**. Name any convergence test(s) you use, and justify all of your work.

$$(a) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n \sin^2 n}{8n^2\sqrt{n} + n + 7}$$

$$(b) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} e^{\frac{\sin n}{n}}$$

4. (Continued) Determine whether each of the following series **converges** or **diverges**. Name any convergence test(s) you use, and justify all of your work.

(c)
$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$$

(d)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{e^{2n} n!}$$

5. [24 Points] In each case determine whether the given series is **absolutely convergent**, **conditionally convergent**, or **diverges**. Name any convergence test(s) you use, and justify all of your work.

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

(b)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{n^2}{7^n}$$

5. (Continued) In each case determine whether the given series is **absolutely convergent**, **conditionally convergent**, or **diverges**. Name any convergence test(s) you use, and justify all of your work.

(c)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n^6 + 5n^2 + 826}{n^9 + 7n^3 + 2011}$$

(d)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{3^n}$$

OPTIONAL BONUS

Do not attempt these unless you are completely done with the rest of the exam.

OPTIONAL BONUS #1 Compute the sum of the following series:

1.
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 + 3n}$$

OPTIONAL BONUS #2 Determine whether the following series converges or diverges.

2.
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^{4n}}{n^7 (n!)^2 e^{8n} (2n)!}$$

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OPTIONAL BONUS #3 Compute the following integral:

3. $\int \frac{\cos x}{\sin^3 x - 1} dx$

OPTIONAL BONUS #4 Compute the following integral:

4. $\int \frac{x^5 + x^4 + 19x^3 + 18x^3 + 18x^2 + 81x + 81}{x^4 + 18x^2 + 81} dx$