

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

MATH 155
Final Examination

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INSTRUCTIONS

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2. Write your last name, given name(s), and student number in the box above. Sign on the last line of the box.
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- [9] 1. Find $\int_0^{\pi/4} \tan x \, dx$. Hint: Start by rewriting the integrand.

[9] 2. Find $\int x^2 e^x dx$.

- [8] 3. If an object is propelled upward from ground level with the initial velocity 50 m/s, then its height at time t (seconds) is given by

$$s = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + 50t$$

where $g \approx 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$ is the gravitational acceleration. Find the average height of the object between times $t_0 = 2$ seconds and $t_1 = 4$ seconds.

- [9] 4. Use the formula for the volume of a solid of revolution to find the volume of the right-circular cone with base radius r and height h .

[9] 5. Evaluate $\int_1^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^3}} dx$.

- [8] 6. Give the formula for the approximation of $\int_a^b f(x) dx$ using the Trapezoidal Rule. Explain clearly how this formula is obtained. Draw a picture.

7. A tank of constant volume V contains a solution whose concentration at time t is denoted $C(t)$. The inflow rate into the pool is q (constant) and the outflow rate from the pool is also equal to q . The concentration of the inflowing solution is constant denoted C_I . The concentration of the outflowing solution at time t is the same as the concentration of the solution in the tank at time t , that is, $C(t)$. The concentration of the solution in the tank at time $t = 0$ is C_0 .

[5] (a) Find a differential equation for the function $C(t)$. Explain how you obtained the equation.

[5] (b) Find $C(50)$ if $C_0 = 6 \text{ g/m}^3$, $C_I = 2 \text{ g/m}^3$, $q = 1 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ and $V = 100 \text{ m}^3$.

- [5] 8. (a) Write down the differential equation for the *Logistic Growth* model. Explain the meaning of all symbols present in the model.

- [5] (b) Find the equilibria for the *Logistic Growth* model, and analyze their stability.

9. Denote by $p = p(t)$ the fraction of occupied patches in a metapopulation model, and assume that

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = cp(1 - p) - p^2$$

where $c > 0$ is a constant. The value $\hat{p} = 0$ is a *trivial* equilibrium for this model.

- [6] (a) Does there always exist a non-trivial equilibrium? If yes, find it and analyze its stability. Explain why we only consider equilibria in the interval $[0, 1]$. Does this condition hold for your solution?
- [3] (b) Compare your result in part (a) with the corresponding results in Levins model. You do not need to analyze Levins model; you can just write down the results for it.

- [9] 10. Suppose that the dynamics of a certain population is given by the following Leslie matrix:

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1.8 & 2.1 \\ 0.9 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

This matrix has an eigenvalue $\lambda = 1.5$. Set up a system of linear equations whose solution is a stable age distribution. Find the exact pattern of any stable age distribution.

- [10] 11. A rectangular box with edge lengths x, y, z has volume $V = xyz$ and surface area $S = 2(xy + xz + yz)$. Among all rectangular boxes of volume $V = 8 \text{ m}^3$, find the one that has the smallest surface area. Use partial derivatives. Find the critical point(s) and discuss the nature of the critical point(s).