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## Examination paper for **TMA4130/35 Mathematics 4N/4D**

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**Examination time (from–to):** 09:00–13:00

**Permitted examination support material:** Code C: Approved calculator

One yellow, stamped A5 sheet with own handwritten formulas and notes (on both sides)

### Other information:

- All answers have to be justified, and they should include enough details in order to see how they have been obtained.
- There are two versions of Problem 3: one for Mathematics 4N and one for Mathematics 4D.
- Good Luck!

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**Problem 1**    Laplace Transform [20 points]

a) Compute Laplace transform of

$$f(t) = te^t.$$

b) Compute the inverse Laplace transform  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F)(t)$  of the following function

$$F(s) := \frac{s+3}{s(s-1)(s+2)}.$$

*(Hint: you can use partial fraction decomposition).*

c) Use Laplace transform to find the solution of

$$y'(t) - y(t) = e^t + e^{-t}, \quad \text{with } y(0) = \pi.$$

**Problem 2**    Fourier Series and Transform [14 points]a) Let  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} c_n e^{inx}$  be the complex Fourier series of the following function

$$f(x) = 1 - x^2, \quad x \in (-\pi, \pi).$$

Compute  $c_n$ .

b) Compute the Fourier transform of

$$f(x) = xe^{-|x|}.$$

**Problem 3**    *TMA4130 Mathematics 4N:* Fourier Transform [6 points]Show that for  $a \neq 0$ 

$$\mathcal{F}(f(at))(\omega) = \frac{1}{|a|} \mathcal{F}(f(t))\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right)$$

**Problem 3**    *TMA4135 Mathematics 4D:* Partial Derivative [6 points]Show that the heat kernel  $h(x, t) := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi t}} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2t}}$  satisfies  $h_t = \frac{1}{2} h_{xx}$ .

**Problem 4** Partial Differential Equations [10 points]

Solve the following heat equation

$$u_t = \frac{1}{2}u_{xx}, \quad t \geq 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq \pi,$$

with the boundary conditions

$$u(t, 0) = u(t, \pi) = 0, \quad \forall t \geq 0;$$

and the initial condition

$$u(0, x) = \sin 3x + \sin 5x, \quad \forall 0 \leq x \leq \pi.$$

**Problem 5** Polynomial Interpolation [10 points]

Find a polynomial  $p(x) \in \mathbb{P}_2$  interpolating the points

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} x_i & -2 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ \hline y_i & 0 & 1 & 9/8 & 0 \end{array}.$$

**Problem 6** Numerical Integration [10 points]

The integral

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx,$$

can be approximated by the quadrature formula

$$Q(a, b) = \frac{3h}{2} \left( f(x_1) + f(x_2) \right),$$

with

$$h = \frac{b-a}{3}, \quad x_1 = a+h \quad \text{and} \quad x_2 = a+2h.$$

a) Apply the quadrature rule to the integral

$$\int_1^2 x \ln(x) dx.$$

b) Find the degree of precision of the quadrature rule. You can use the interval  $[a, b] = [-1, 1]$ .

**Problem 7** Numerical Solution of Nonlinear Equations [10 points]

a) The following python-code is given:

```
x = 2.5
for k in range(100):
    x_new = (3*x**4 + 24*x**2 - 16)/(8*x**3)
    # Stop the iterations when ..
    x = x_new
```

Write down the fixed point iteration scheme which is implemented here.

Suggest an appropriate stopping criterium, and write down the corresponding python code.

b) Given that the fixed point  $r$  is known, and all computations are done with very high accuracy. In this case, the error  $e_k = |r - x_k|$  for each  $k$  would be printed out as follows:

```
k = 1, error = 9.50e-03
k = 2, error = 1.06e-07
k = 3, error = 1.49e-22
k = 4, error = 4.14e-67
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Use this to estimate the rate of convergence for this iteration scheme.

**Problem 8** Ordinary Differential Equations [10 points]

The following Runge–Kutta method is given:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{k}_1 &= \mathbf{f}(x_n, \mathbf{y}_n), \\ \mathbf{k}_2 &= \mathbf{f}\left(x_n + \frac{h}{2}, \mathbf{y}_n + \frac{h}{2}\mathbf{k}_1\right), \\ \mathbf{y}_{n+1} &= \mathbf{y}_n + h\mathbf{k}_2.\end{aligned}$$

a) Do one step with step size  $h = 0.1$  using the above method on the problem:

$$\begin{aligned}y_1' &= y_1 + xy_2^2, & y_1(1) &= 1.0, \\ y_2' &= y_1y_2, & y_2(1) &= -1.0.\end{aligned}$$

b) Find the stability function  $R(z)$  for this function. Find also the corresponding stability interval.

**Problem 9**    Finite difference scheme [10 points]

In this exercise you are asked to set up a finite difference scheme for the two point boundary value problem

$$u'' + 2u = x^2, \quad u'(0) + u(0) = 0, \quad u(1) = 2,$$

defined on the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ .

Let  $N$  be the number of grid points with  $h = 1/N$ , and let  $U_i$  be the approximations to the exact solution  $u(x_i)$  in the gridpoints  $x_i = ih$  for  $i = 0, 1, \dots, N$ . Set up the finite difference scheme for a general  $N$  in the form

$$A\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{b},$$

where  $\mathbf{U} = [U_0, U_1, \dots, U_N]^T$ , that is, set up the matrix  $A$  and the vector  $\mathbf{b}$ .

**Fourier Transform**

| $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{f}(w) e^{iwx} dw$ | $\hat{f}(w) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-iwx} dx$ |
|--|---|
| $e^{-ax^2}$  | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2a}} e^{-w^2/4a}$   |
| $e^{-a x }$  | $\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{a}{w^2 + a^2}$                                    |
| $\frac{1}{x^2 + a^2}$  | $\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{e^{-a w }}{a}$                                    |
| $\begin{cases} 1 & \text{for }  x  < a \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  | $\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\sin wa}{w}$                                      |

**Laplace Transform**

| $f(t)$            | $F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$   |
|-------------------|--|
| $\cos(\omega t)$  | $\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$   |
| $\sin(\omega t)$  | $\frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$  |
| $\cosh(\omega t)$ | $\frac{s}{s^2 - \omega^2}$   |
| $\sinh(\omega t)$ | $\frac{\omega}{s^2 - \omega^2}$  |
| $t^n$             | $\frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{s^{n+1}},$<br><small>for <math>n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, \Gamma(n+1) = n!</math></small> |
| $e^{at}$          | $\frac{1}{s - a}$  |
| $\delta(t - a)$   | $e^{-as}$  |

$$\int x^n \cos ax \, dx = \frac{1}{a} x^n \sin ax - \frac{n}{a} \int x^{n-1} \sin ax \, dx$$

$$\int x^n \sin ax \, dx = -\frac{1}{a} x^n \cos ax + \frac{n}{a} \int x^{n-1} \cos ax \, dx$$