

Please read the following instructions carefully:

- There are **five problems** in this exam.
- There is **one bonus** problem.
- You have **80 minutes** to complete the exam
- The point distribution is given in the table below.
- Please write each solution on a separate page.
- You **must have your camera on** during the exam.
- This is a **closed book, closed notes exam**. You must not consult any resource while attempting the exam.
- Upload your work to Gradescope.
- Submitting the exam implies you abide by the honor pledge stated below:

I pledge on my honor that I have not given or received any unauthorized assistance on this quiz/examination

Question:	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Points:	10	10	10	10	10	3	53

1. **(Short Questions)** Please answer each of the following five questions:

(a) (2 points) Solve for y in the following equation:

$$(y^2)(y^4)^2(y^{-1})(y^{-2})^2 = 32$$

(b) (2 points) Mark the following statements true or false:

(a) There are infinitely many functions $f(x)$ such that $f'(x) = x$.

(b) The following formula is correct:

$$\int e^{-x^2} dx = -\frac{e^{-x^2}}{2x} + C$$

(c) The following formula is correct:

$$\int \ln x \, dx = x \ln x - x + C$$

(c) (2 points) If $G(x)$ is an anti-derivative of $g(x)$, then write down an expression in terms of $G(x)$ that is equal to

$$\int_0^5 g(x) \, dx$$

(d) (2 points) Suppose someone picks a random real number x between 0 and 10. What is the probability that $2 \leq x \leq 7$?

(e) (2 points) If $f(x, y)$ is a function of x and y , and you know that

$$f(0, 0) = 3, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(0, 0) = 2, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(0, 0) = -5,$$

estimate the value of $f(1, 1)$.

2. (10 points) **(Areas)** Find the area enclosed by the curves $y = 5x$ and $y = x^2 + 6$ between their points of intersection.

3. **(Probability)** Please answer the following two questions:

(a) (5 points) Find λ so that

$$f(x) = \lambda e^{-5x} \quad 0 \leq x < +\infty$$

is a probability density function.

(b) (5 points) You study how long it takes students to finish an assignment. You find that it is described by the probability density function

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{(1+t)^2} \quad 0 \leq t < +\infty$$

where t is the time measured in hours. What is the probability that a randomly chosen student takes between 0 and 5 hours to complete the assignment.

4. **(Integrals & Probability)** Please answer the following two questions:

(a) (5 points) Evaluate the following integral:

$$\int \left(\frac{1}{5x+1} + x^{1/2} + e^{2x} + x^{-2} \right) dx$$

- (b) (5 points) When you flip a coin 10,000 times, the number of heads is approximately normally distributed with $\mu = 5000$ and $\sigma = 50$. What is the probability that the number of heads is between 4950 and 5075?

NOTE: Leave your answer in terms of values of $\Phi(x)$ for the standard normal distribution.

5. **(Partial Derivatives)** Please answer the following two questions:

- (a) (6 points) Consider the function

$$f(x, y) = xe^{xy}$$

Find $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$, and $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$.

- (b) (4 points) Please answer the following two qualitative questions:

- (i). What does it mean for $f(x, y)$ to have a relative maximum at some point (x_0, y_0) . Give an example of a function $f(x, y)$ that has a relative-maximum, and state the point (x_0, y_0) at which it has a relative maximum.
- (ii). What does it mean for $f(x, y)$ to have a saddle point at some point (x_0, y_0) . Give an example of a function $f(x, y)$ that has a saddle point, and state the point (x_0, y_0) at which it has a saddle point.

6. (3 points (bonus)) **(Last Call)** Please answer the following bonus questions:

- (a) (1 point) In class, we have learnt how to differentiate and integrate functions of one variable. Examples of some functions we have analyzed:

$$f_1(x) = x^2 + e^x \quad f_2(x) = e^x + x^{1/2}$$

We have also learnt how to compute partial derivatives of functions of two variables. Examples of some functions we have analyzed:

$$g_1(x, y) = ye^{x^3} \quad g_2(x, y) = x^2y^3 + e^x \ln(x^2y^2)$$

Is it possible to *integrate* functions of *two* variables? If so, what do you think would be the method to approach this problem? Any thoughts based on your current understanding of calculus?

- (b) (1 point) We have discussed how to compute partial derivatives of a function of two variables. In principle, one can compute partial derivatives of a function of n -variables. Consider the following function of n -variables:

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{e^{x_1}}{e^{x_1} + \dots + e^{x_n}}$$

Compute $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}$.

Note: Partial derivatives of such an n -variable function routinely pop up in the theoretical analysis of machine learning algorithms designed specifically to solve multi-classification problems.

- (c) (1 point) **Free bonus point!** Write down any interesting comments about the class, exams, bonus questions, or anything about the course. Your input is valuable; it is at least worth a point :)

Thanks for being part of the class this summer. Good luck with everything!