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SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE: MATH 314**

**COURSE TITLE: NUMERICAL ANALYSIS**

**STREAM: Y3S1**

**DAY: FRIDAY**

**TIME: 9.00 – 11.00 A.M.**

**DATE: 18/03/2011**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

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1. a) Let  $x = 3.55 \pm 0.05$  and  $y = 2.73 \pm 0.05$  determine the maximum error in calculating

$$f(x) = \frac{x}{y} \quad (5 \text{ marks})$$

- b) Two quantities are found to be related as below.

X:	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0
F(X)	3.1	4.0	4.2	3.8	2.9	2.8	2.7

Assuming  $f(x)$  is continuous find  $\int_1^4 f(x) dx$  numerically using both trapezoidal and Simpson's rules. (6 marks)

- c) Use Lagrange interpolation polynomial to calculate  $f(2)$  from the following table

x:	0	1	3
f(x)	1	3	35

(6 marks)

- d) Use the Newton-Raphson's iteration to estimate the square root of 2 starting with  $x_0 = 1.4$  upto 3 iterations correct 5 decimal places. (5 marks)

- e) Find  $f(x)$  from the following table and also  $f(7)$ .

x:	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
F(x):-	1	3	19	53	111	199	323

(8 marks)

2. a) Consider the sequence of values of  $f(x) = (0, 0, 0, \epsilon, 0, 0, 0)$  where  $\epsilon$  is an error. Show that

(i) the error spreads and increase in magnitude as the order of the difference is increased.

(ii) the error in each column have binomial coefficients. (6 marks)

- b) Find and correct a single error in the following table

x:	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
y:	0	0	1	6	24	60	120	210

(7 marks)

- c) Perform the computation  $0.0218 \times 179$

(i) Exactly

(ii) using three truncating arithmetic

(iii) Using three digit rounding arithmetic.

Comment on the errors generated by (i) and (ii). (7 marks)

3. a) Find the divided differences of  $f(x) = x^3 + x + 2$  for the arguments 1, 3, 6, 11. (4 marks)

- b) Using the Newton's divided formula find  $f(x)$  and  $f(6)$  from the values below.

x:	1	2	7	8
f(x):	1	5	5	4

(8 marks)

- c) Apply Newton-Raphson's method, find correct to four decimals the root between 0 and 1 of the equation  $x^3 - 6x + 4 = 0$  Take  $x_0 = 0.7$  (8 marks)

4. a) The population increase of a certain town is given below. Find the rate of growth of the population in 1931 and 1971.

Year, x:	1931	1941	1951	1961	1971	
Pop in thousands, y:	40.62	60.80	79.95	104.56	132.65	(10 marks)

- b) By Stirling and Bessel method compare the interpolation at  $x=0.35$  from the data

x:	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	
f(x):	1.40	1.56	1.76	2.00	2.28	3.18	(10 marks)

5. a) Using  $\sin(0.1) = 0.09983$  and  $\sin(0.2) = 0.19867$  find an approximate value of  $\sin(0.15)$  by lagrange interpolation. (7 marks)

- b) Evaluate  $I = \int_0^2 \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx$  taking a subdivision of 0.25 using

- (i) Trapezoidal rule
- (ii) Simpsos's rule
- (iii) Direct Integration. (13 marks)