1. (a) Show that

$$\nabla\left(r^{n}\right) = nr^{n-2}\underline{r},$$

where  $\underline{r} = x\underline{i} + y\underline{j} + z\underline{k}$  and  $r = |\underline{r}|$ . Hence find the scalar function  $\phi(r)$  such that

$$\nabla \phi = \frac{r}{r^3}$$
 and  $\phi(1) = 0$ .

(b) Show that

$$\underline{F} = \left(y^2 \cos x + z^3\right)\underline{i} + \left(2y \sin x - 4\right)\underline{j} + \left(3xz^2 + 2\right)\underline{k}$$

is a conservative force field. Find the scalar potential for  $\underline{F}$  and hence find the work done in moving an object from (0, 1, -1) to  $(\pi/2, -1, 2)$  in the presence of the field.

- 2. (a) The surfaces x + 2y z = 10 and  $x^2 + y^2 z^2 = 9$  meet in a curve. Find the equations of the tangent line and the normal plane to this curve at the point (2, 3, -2).
  - (b) If  $\phi = x + y + xyz$ ,  $\underline{A} = xy^2 \underline{i} + yz^2 \underline{j} + zx^2 \underline{k}$ , find at the point P(1, 2, -3) the quantities  $\underline{A} \cdot \nabla \phi$ ,  $\phi \nabla \cdot \underline{A}$ ,  $\nabla \phi \times \underline{A}$  and  $(\nabla \phi) \times (\nabla \times \underline{A})$ .
- 3. (a) Sketch the area A bounded by the curves  $y = x^2$  and  $y = -x^2$  and lying between the lines x = -1 and x = 1 in the x, y plane. Evaluate the double integral

$$\iint_A \left( x^4 - 2y \right) \, dy \, dx.$$

(b) Use triple integration with Cartesian coordinates to find the volume of the solid bounded above by the parabolic cylinder  $z = 4 - y^2$  and bounded below by the elliptic paraboloid  $z = x^2 + 3y^2$ .

Turn over ...

4. (a) A plane P meets the x, y and z axes at points A(1,0,0), B(0,2,0)and C(0,0,3). If  $\underline{F} = xy\underline{i} + x^2\underline{j} + yz\underline{k}$  evaluate

$$\iint_{S} \underline{F} \cdot \underline{n} \, dS$$

where S is the surface of the triangle ABC and  $\underline{n}$  is the upward pointing unit normal vector to S.

(b) If  $\underline{A} = 2x\underline{i} + 2y\underline{j} + x^2y^2z^2\underline{k}$  and S is the upper half of the ellipsoid

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} + \frac{z^2}{27} = 1,$$

evaluate

$$\iint_{S} \left( \nabla \times \underline{A} \right) \cdot \underline{n} \, dS$$

either directly or by using Stokes' theorem, where  $\underline{n}$  is the unit normal vector drawn out of the ellipsoid.

5. If f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) is an analytic function state the Cauchy-Riemann equations satisfied by u(x, y) and v(x, y) where z = x + iy. Show that u satisfies Laplace's equation,  $\nabla^2 u = 0$ .

Identify which of the following could be the real part of an analytic function:

- (i)  $u(x,y) = e^x \cosh y + x^3 y xy^3$ ,
- (ii)  $u(x,y) = e^{-x} \sin y x^3 y + xy^3$ .

Find the corresponding conjugate harmonic function v(x, y), and hence find the analytic function f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) in terms of the complex variable z only.

Turn over ...

6. A function f(x) is periodic with period p. Write down its general Fourier expansion along with integral expressions for the coefficients  $a_0$ ,  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  with  $n \ge 1$ .

The periodic function f(x) has period 4. It is defined in the interval  $0 \le x \le 2$  by

$$f(x) = x(2-x).$$

Sketch this function on the interval  $-4 \le x \le 6$  for the two cases (i) f(x) is an odd function, and (ii) f(x) is an even function. What can be deduced about the Fourier coefficients in these two cases?

Given that f(x) is an *even* periodic function, by using integration by parts when required, calculate the Fourier coefficients for the function f(x). Hence write down its Fourier expansion.

Deduce from this expansion that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}.$$

- 7. Use contour integration techniques to evaluate the following integrals, stating clearly the contour used:
  - (i)

(ii)

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos\theta}{5 - 4\cos\theta} \, d\theta,$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{x^2 + 4}{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 9)} \, dx.$$

Turn over ...

## 8. (a) State the ratio test for the convergence of a power series.

By using the ratio test or otherwise, find the radius of convergence, R, for the following power series

- (i)  $1 + z + \frac{1}{2}z^2 + \dots + \frac{1}{n}z^n + \dots$ ,
- (ii)  $1 + z + 2z^2 + \frac{9}{2}z^3 + \dots + \frac{n^n}{n!}z^n + \dots,$
- (iii)  $1 + z + 2z^2 + 6z^3 + \dots + n!z^n + \dots$

You may quote the result that  $\lim_{n \to \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e.$ 

(b) Identify the poles of

$$f(z) = \frac{z^2}{(z^2+1)(z^2-4)}$$

This function has three different Taylor/Laurent series centred on z = 0 with different regions of validity. From the locations of the poles or otherwise identify what these three regions will be.

Find the Taylor/Laurent series for f(z) in each of the three regions, showing terms involving  $z^n$  for  $-4 \le n \le 4$ .

Internal Examiners:	Professor J. Mathon
	Dr O.S. Kerr
External Examiners:	Professor D. J. Needham
	Professor M.E. O'Neill