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MATH 285 E1/F1 Exam 3 (C)

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<p><b>INSTRUCTIONS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Do all work on these sheets.</li><li>• Show all work.</li><li>• The exam is 50 minutes.</li><li>• Do not discuss this exam with anyone until after 3:00 pm on Nov. 14, 2014.</li></ul>
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Problem	Possible	Actual
1	20	
2	20	
3	20	
4	20	
5	20	
Total	100	

ORTHOGONALITY FORMULAS

$$\int_{-L}^L \cos \frac{m\pi t}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ L, & m = n \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

$$\int_{-L}^L \sin \frac{m\pi t}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ L, & m = n \end{cases} \quad (2)$$

$$\int_{-L}^L \cos \frac{m\pi t}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L} dt = 0 \quad (3)$$

SOME INTEGRAL FORMULAS

$$\int u \cos u \, du = u \sin u + \cos u + C \quad (4)$$

$$\int u \sin u \, du = -u \cos u + \sin u + C \quad (5)$$

1. (20 points) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$y' - 4y = xe^{4x}$$

2. (20 points) Consider the forced oscillator with mass  $m = 1$ , spring constant  $k = 7$ , no damping  $c = 0$ , and forcing function  $F(t)$ :

$$F(t) = 2 \sin 2t + \cos 4t + \cos 6t$$

Find a particular solution of the differential equation  $mx'' + kx = F(t)$ .

3. (a) (10 points) Suppose that a function  $f(t)$  which is periodic of period  $2\pi$  has the Fourier series

$$f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n^2 + 3} \sin nt$$

Use the orthogonality formulas to evaluate the integral

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \sin 2t dt$$

- (b) (10 points) Let  $g(t)$  be the function which is periodic of period 24, and which is defined on the interval  $-12 \leq t < 12$  by the formula

$$g(t) = 4 + 2t + 7t^2$$

Set up, but do not evaluate, an integral expression for the coefficient of  $\cos \frac{5\pi t}{12}$  in the Fourier series of  $g(t)$  (also known as  $a_5$  in our standard notation).

4. (a) (5 points) Consider the function which is periodic of period  $2\pi$  defined on the interval  $-\pi \leq t < \pi$

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 800, & -\pi \leq t < 0 \\ 609250, & t = 0 \\ t, & 0 < t < \pi \end{cases}$$

If we take the Fourier series of  $f(t)$ , and put  $t = 0$  in that series, what number does it converge to? Put another way, what is the sum of the Fourier series of  $f(t)$  at  $t = 0$ ? Explain your answer (briefly).

- (b) (15 points) Consider the function defined by the Fourier series

$$g(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2e^{-3n} \sin n\pi t$$

Find a Fourier series expression for the antiderivative  $\int g(t) dt$ . You are *not* expected to address the question of convergence.

5. (20 points) Find the Fourier series of the periodic function of period 2 defined on the interval  $-1 \leq t < 1$  by

$$f(t) = 3|t|, \quad -1 \leq t < 1$$

*Hint:* You should use the fact that  $f(t)$  is an even function.

This page is for work that doesn't fit on other pages.