

MATH 1325-104 FINAL EXAM

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- Two sheets of notes (each double-sided) are allowed.
- A calculator is recommended.
- Show your work.

Date: Thursday, December 8, 2011.

Exercise	Point Possible	Score
1	16	
2	16	
3	17	
4	17	
5	17	
6	17	
Total	100	

1. [16 points] Use differentials to estimate $\sqrt[3]{1003}$.

2. [16 points] Find an equation for the line tangent to the curve $y = \ln(5x^2 - 4)$ at $x = 1$.

3. [17 points] Given $z = x^2e^{-3y} + 5y + 4$, compute the partial derivatives $\partial z/\partial x$ and $\partial z/\partial y$.

4. [17 points] The annual labor and automated equipment cost (in millions of dollars) for a company's production of HDTV's is given by

$$C(x, y) = 3x^2 + 2xy + 2y^2 - 18x - 16y + 54$$

where x is the amount spent per year on labor and y is the amount spent per year on automated equipment (both in millions of dollars).

- (a) Determine how much should be spent on each per year to minimise this cost.
- (b) What is the minimum cost?

5. [17 points] The unemployment rate U is the fraction $(L - E)/L$ where L is the number of people that are in the labor force and E is the number of people that are employed. (The labor force is those who are employed or are actively looking for a job.)

The Bureau of Labor Statistics recently estimated that in the US last month (November 2011), the labor force numbered 153,883,000 and was *decreasing* at a rate of 315,000 per month, while the employed population numbered 140,580,000 and was *increasing* at a rate of 278,000 per month. Given this data,

- (a) what was the unemployment rate last month, and
- (b) what was its (instantaneous) rate of change?

6. [17 points] Let T be the triangle in the xy -plane (where $z = 0$) with corners $A = (0, 0, 0)$, $B = (5, 0, 0)$, and $C = (5, 4, 0)$. Let P be a triangular pyramid with T as its bottom face and $D = (5, 4, 3)$ as its top point.

- (a) Find an equation for the plane of the top face of the pyramid, which is bounded by the points A , B , and D .
- (b) Find the volume of the pyramid P .