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Instructions for Part A:

- Calculators are not allowed.
- Bubble your answer to the questions on the provided scantron. Use a #2 pencil.
- Please do not discuss the exam with other students until after the last day to take the exam.

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**MULTIPLE CHOICE** (3 points each)

1. Given one sequence  $\{a_n\} = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots\}$ , define a second sequence  $\{s_n\}$  recursively by  $s_1 = a_1$  and  $s_{n+1} = s_n + a_{n+1}$ . Then the sequence  $\{s_n\}$  converges if and only if...

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| (a) the sequence $\{a_n\}$ converges      | (e) the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges  |
| (b) the sequence $\{a_n\}$ converges to 0 | (f) the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges |
| (c) the sequence $\{a_n\}$ is decreasing  |  |
| (d) the sequence $\{a_n\}$ diverges       |  |

2. Let  $a_1 = 1$  and  $a_{n+1} = 2 + \frac{3}{a_n}$ . Find  $a_3$ .

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| (a) 3              | (c) $\frac{11}{5}$ | (e) $\frac{9}{5}$     |
| (b) $\frac{13}{5}$ | (d) 2              | (f) none of the above |

3. If convergent, find the sum of the series:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{5^n}$

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| (a) 2             | (c) $\frac{2}{3}$ | (e) $\frac{2}{5}$ |
| (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ | (d) 1             | (f) divergent     |

4. If convergent, find the sum of the series:  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+2}} \right)$

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| (a) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} - \frac{1}{2}$ | (c) $\sqrt{3}$           | (e) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ |
| (b) $\sqrt{2}$                         | (d) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$ | (f) divergent            |

5. Choose the test which concludes that the harmonic series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  is divergent.
- (a) alternating series test      (c) root test      (e) divergence test  
 (b) ratio test      (d) integral test      (f) love test
6. Write the first three nonzero terms of a power series representation for the function:  $\frac{2x}{4x+1}$
- (a)  $2x + 16x^2 - 32x^3 \dots$       (c)  $2x - 8x^2 + 32x^3 \dots$       (e)  $2x - 16x^2 + 64x^3 \dots$   
 (b)  $2x - 8x^2 + 16x^3 \dots$       (d)  $2x + 8x^2 + 16x^3 \dots$       (f)  $2x + 16x^2 + 64x^3 \dots$
7. Find the radius of convergence for the power series:  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{3n+1}}{4n}$
- (a) 1      (c) 0      (e)  $\frac{1}{4}$   
 (b)  $\frac{1}{3}$       (d)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$       (f)  $\infty$
8. Using the geometric series expansion of  $\frac{1}{1-x}$ , find a power series representation for  $\frac{3}{(1-x)^2}$ .
- (a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3nx^{n+1}$       (c)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3nx^n$       (e)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3(n+1)x^n$   
 (b)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n3^n x^{n+1}$       (d)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3^n x^{n+1}$       (f)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)3^n x^n$
9. Suppose the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  is absolutely convergent. Which of the following must be true?
- (a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$  is conditionally convergent      (d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-a_n)$  is absolutely convergent  
 (b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  has a positive sum      (e)  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  has positive terms only  
 (c)  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  alternates in sign      (f) none of the other options must be true
10. If any, which of the following series is convergent?
- (a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$       (c)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^3}}$       (e)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{-1}}$   
 (b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{n^2}}$       (d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{n^3}}$       (f) They are all divergent

END OF PART A