CALCULUS COMPREHENSIVE EXAM

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NAME _____ Start Time _____ End Time: _____

Be clear and **give all details**. Use all symbols correctly (such as equal signs). The numbers in bold faced parentheses indicate the number of the topics covered in that problem from the Study Guide. **No calculators and turn off your cell phones!** Use the paper provided and **only write on one side.** You may omit one problem from numbers 1 through 5 (which contain Calculus 1 material) and one problem from numbers 6 through 10 (which contain Calculus 2 material). Indicate which two problems you are omitting: _____ and _____.

1. Do each of the following **(1,2)**:

    (a) State the definition of the limit of a function (that is, what does $\lim_{x \to a} f(x) = L$ mean?).

    (b) Prove that if $\lim_{x \to a} f(x) = L$ and $\lim_{x \to a} g(x) = M$, then $\lim_{x \to a}(f(x) - g(x)) = L - M$.

2. Do each of the following **(5)**:

    (a) State the Intermediate Value Theorem.

    (b) Prove that $\cos x = x$ for some x.

3. Do each of the following **(12, 18)**:

    (a) State the Extreme Value Theorem.

    (b) Show that the largest area rectangle of a given perimeter is in fact a square.

4. Do each of the following **(20, 21, 23)**:

    (a) State the definition of *partition*, *norm* of a partition, *Riemann sum*, and *definite integral* for $\int_a^b f(x)\, dx$.

    (b) Explain the difference between a definite integral and an indefinite integral (if any).

5. Do each of the following **(23, 24, 35)**:

    (a) State the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (both parts). **(23)**

    (b) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \tan^{-1}(x)\, dx$ (HINT: Use parts) and indicate with a star (*) where you have used the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus in your computations. **(24, 31)**

6. Do each of the following:

(a) State L'Hôpital's Rule for an ∞/∞ indeterminate form.

(b) Use L'Hôpital's Rule to show $\displaystyle\lim_{x\to\infty}\left(1+\frac{1}{x}\right)^x = e.$ **(31, 37)**

7. Do each of the following **(32, 37)**:

(a) If f is continuous on $[a, c) \cup (c, b]$ then state the definition of $\int_a^b f(x)\,dx$. That is, how do you integrate over a discontinuity? You may assume the usual definition for integrals of continuous functions has been established.

(b) Evaluate $\displaystyle\int_0^2 \frac{1}{(x-1)^2}\,dx.$

8. Do each of the following **(41,43, 45)**:

(a) State the definition of the limit of a sequence: $\displaystyle\lim_{n\to\infty} a_n = L.$

(b) State the definition of the sum of a series: $\displaystyle\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = S.$

(c) Use the integral test to show that the harmonic series $\displaystyle\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ diverges.

9. Do each of the following **(46)**:

(a) For a given x value, the power series $\displaystyle\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n(x-a)^n$ may converge conditionally, converge absolutely, or diverge. Describe the possible behavior of this series (i.e. on what types of sets might the series converge conditionally, converge absolutely, or diverge)?

(b) For what values of x does $\displaystyle\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{(x-5)^n}{5^n(n+5)}$ converge?

10. Do each of the following:

(a) Use the MacLaurin Series for e^x to find a series for $\displaystyle\int e^{-x^2}\,dx.$ **(30, 46)**

(b) Estimate $\displaystyle\int_0^1 e^{-x^2}\,dx$ to the nearest 0.001 and explain why you know your answer has this level of accuracy. **(44, 47)**