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.** (a) State the definition of the limit of a function (i.e., 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 $\lim_{x\to a} (f(x) g(x)) = L M$ (1,2)
- 2. Do each of the following (8, 10, 31, 34):
 - (a) State the Chain Rule (with all hypotheses).
 - (b) What does it mean for f(x) to be implicit to the equation F(x, y) = 0?
 - (c) Differentiate (you need not simplify your answer): $f(x) = \ln \sqrt{\frac{\cot(e^x)}{\arctan(x) + x^2}}$.
- **3.** Do each of the following **(14)**:

(a) Clearly state the relationship between the increasing-ness/decreasing-ness of a function and its first derivative.

- (b) Find the intervals on which $f(x) = x^{1/3}(x-4)$ is increasing/decreasing and graph f.
- 4. (a) State the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (both parts). (23)
 - (b) Use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to evaluate $\int_0^c \ln x \, dx$ and indicate with a star (*) where you are applying the Fundamental Theorem. Hint: Integrate by parts. (23, 24, 31)
- 5. (a) State the definition of partition, norm of a partition, Riemann sum, and definite integral for $\int_{a}^{b} f(x) dx$. (21)
 - (b) Explain the difference between a definite integral and an indefinite integral (if any). (20, 23)

- 6. (a) Use the definition of $y = \sin^{-1} x$ (in terms of the sine function) and implicit differentiation to find $y' = \frac{d}{dx} [\sin^{-1} x]$. (35)
 - (b) Evaluate $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{5-4x-x^2}}$. (28, 34, 35)
- 7. Do each of the following. Respect the calculus!
 - (a) Evaluate $\lim_{x\to 0^+} \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^x$. (31, 37) (b) Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \frac{1}{x^2} dx$. (39)
- 8. Do each of the following.
 - (a) State the definition of the limit of a sequence: $\lim_{n\to\infty} a_n = L$. (41)
 - (b) State the definition of the sum of a series: $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = S$. (41)

(c) Evaluate
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^n}\right)$$
. (45)

9. Do each of the following:

(a) For a given x value, the power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n (x-a)^n$ 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)? (46)

(b) For what values of x does $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{x^n}{n}$ converge? (46)

10. Do each of the following:

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

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