

**Examination in Mathematics for Sciences (MS2)**

Duration: 3 hours – Documents and any type of calculators are not allowed

**Exercise 1 :** 1. Decompose into simple elements on  $\mathbb{C}$ , after that on  $\mathbb{R}$ , the rational fraction  $\frac{1}{X(X^2 + 1)}$ .

2. Compute the value of the integral :  $I = \int_1^e \frac{x}{(x^2 + 1)^2} \ln x \, dx$ . (Hint : first, integration by parts)

**Exercise 2 :** 1. Calculate  $I = \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} \, dx$ .

2. Let  $f(x) = \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x}$ . Show the identity :  $f(x) + f(\pi - x) = \frac{\pi \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x}$ .

3. Deduce from the previous questions the value of  $J = \int_0^\pi \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} \, dx$ .

4. By computing  $J$  directly by integration by parts, infer the value of the integral  $K = \int_0^\pi \text{Arctan}(\cos x) \, dx$ .

**Exercise 3 :** Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a < b$ . Let  $I_{m,n} = \int_a^b (x - a)^m (b - x)^n \, dx$ , with  $(m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2$ .

1. Show that  $I_{m,n} = \frac{m}{n+1} I_{m-1,n+1}$ ,  $\forall (m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^* \times \mathbb{N}$  and  $I_{m,n} = -\frac{n}{m+1} I_{m+1,n-1}$ ,  $\forall (m, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}^*$ .

2. Compute  $I_{0,m+n}$  and deduce from the previous questions that  $I_{m,n} = \frac{m!n!(b-a)^{m+n+1}}{(m+n+1)!}$ .

**Exercise 4 :** Let the function  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by  $f(x, y) = x^3(1 - 4y^2) + y^2$ .

1. Compute its first order partial derivatives (denoted as  $\partial_x f \equiv \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  and  $\partial_y f \equiv \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ ).

2. Show that  $f$  has only 3 critical points, namely  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}, \frac{1}{2})$  and  $(\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4}}, -\frac{1}{2})$ .

3. Compute in each point  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  the second order partial derivatives of  $f$  (denoted by  $\partial_{xx} f \equiv \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}$ ,  $\partial_{xy} f \equiv \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$ ,  $\partial_{yx} f \equiv \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x}$ ,  $\partial_{yy} f \equiv \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$ ).

4. Compute for each  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , the expression of the determinant  $\det H(x, y) = \begin{vmatrix} \partial_{xx} f(x, y) & \partial_{xy} f(x, y) \\ \partial_{yx} f(x, y) & \partial_{yy} f(x, y) \end{vmatrix}$ .

5. Give the values of  $\det H(x_i, y_i)$  where  $(x_i, y_i)$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , are the critical points of  $f$ .

6. According to the values found at the preceding question, discuss and decide (if possible) on the nature of the critical points (extremum, saddle points?).

7. Calculate  $f(0, 0)$ . Write the expression of  $f(x, y)$  in polar coordinates and use it in order to study the sign of  $f$  in an arbitrarily small ball centered on  $(0, 0)$ . Conclude : is  $f(0, 0)$  or not a local extremum of  $f$ ?

**Exercise 5 :** Let  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  (with  $I$  interval of  $\mathbb{R}$ ) be a differentiable function and let  $F$  be a primitive of  $f$ . Let **(E)** be the differential equation (with unknown function  $y : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ) :  $y'' + f y' + f' y = 0$ .

1. Show that **(E)** is equivalent to the sentence : there is some  $C \in \mathbb{R}$  such that **(e<sub>C</sub>)** :  $y' + f y = C$  on  $I$ .

2. Denote by **(e'<sub>C</sub>)** the homogenous (null right hand side) equation associated to **(e<sub>C</sub>)**. Give the expression of the general solution  $y_0$  of **(e'<sub>C</sub>)** (as an expression depending on  $F$ ).

3. Use the variation of the constant method in order to find an expression for a particular solution  $y_p$  of **(e<sub>C</sub>)** (as an expression depending on  $F$ ). Deduce from the previous questions the general solution of **(e<sub>C</sub>)**.

4. Give the general solution of **(E)** (as an expression depending on  $F$ ).

5. For  $x \in I = ] -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}[$  let  $f(x) = \frac{\tan x}{3 + \cos(2x)}$ . Compute a primitive  $F$  of  $f$ .

6. Deduce, for this case, the general solution of **(E)** in terms of a primitive  $G$  of  $g(x) = \sqrt[4]{2 + \tan^2 x}$  (one shall not try to compute  $G$  explicitly).

**Note :** *In the exercises 4 and 5 the last question is lightly harder than the others.*