

Brief Article

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December 3, 1997 **Math 108, Exam 3**

This exam is worth a total of 100 points. There are 11 problems and 3 partial credit. Each multiple choice problem is worth 7 points and 3 partial credit problems. Please show all work for the partial credit section of the test inside the test booklet. Use the front cover of the test booklet for the multiple choice section by putting a in the appropriate box. Start at 9:20am to complete the exam. Good luck!

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$$6=2.5\text{in} = 0.8\text{cm} = 1\text{cm} = 0.4\text{cm}=1$$

Compute f for the function $f(x, y) = x^2ye^{2xy-x^3}$.

Find the value of k which makes $f(x) = 3x^2 + kx$ a probability density function on the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

$$2xye^{2xy-x^3} + x^2y(2y-3x^2)(e^{2xy-x^3}) \quad 2xye^{2xy-x^3} + x^2ye^{2xy-x^3} \quad 2xye^{2xy-x^3}(2y - 3x^2) \quad 2xy + (2y - 3x^2)(e^{2xy-x^3}) \quad 2xye^{2xy-x^3}$$

$$k = \frac{3}{2} \quad k = \frac{-5}{8} \quad k = \frac{-7}{2} \quad k = 2 \quad k = -3$$

The time in minutes required to complete an assembly on a production line is a random variable X with probability density function $f(x) = 2x$ for $0 \leq x \leq 1$. It is given that $E(X) = \mu = \frac{2}{3}$. Compute the variance $\text{Var}(X)$.

It is given that $(3, 3)$ is a critical point of a function $f(x, y)$. If $f(x, y) = 6$, $f(x, y) = 6y$ and $f(x, y) = -6$, then what can be said of $(3, 3)$?

$(3, 3)$ is a relative minimum. $(3, 3)$ is a relative maximum. $(3, 3)$ is a saddle point. The test is inconclusive. There is not enough information to determine this.

$$\frac{1}{9} \quad \frac{4}{9} \quad \frac{2}{13} \quad \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} \quad \frac{1}{18}$$

Find the critical points of the function $f(x, y) = x^2 + 4xy + 2y^4$ and determine whether they are relative maxima, relative minima, or saddle points. (Hint: You should find three critical points.) (22

Suppose that the amount of time required to serve a customer at a bank has an exponential density function with $\mu = 5$. What is the probability that the customer will be served in one minute or less? (i.e. determine $P(0 \leq X \leq 1)$.)

$$e^{-\frac{1}{5}} \quad 1 + e^{-\frac{1}{5}} \quad 1 - e^{-\frac{1}{5}} \quad \frac{1}{5}e^{-\frac{1}{5}} \quad 1 - \frac{1}{5}e^{-\frac{1}{5}}$$

Find the equation of the plane which has x-intercept $(3,0,0)$, y-intercept $(0,-2,0)$ and z-intercept $(0,0,6)$.

$$z = 6 - 3x + 2y \quad z = 6 - 2x + 3y \quad z = 6 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{3}y$$

$$z = 6 - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{3}y \quad z = 6 + 3x - 2y$$

Consider the following probability table.

| | | | | | | |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| Outcome | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Probability | $\frac{1}{9}$ | $\frac{1}{18}$ | $\frac{1}{6}$ | $\frac{5}{18}$ | $\frac{2}{9}$ | $\frac{1}{6}$ |

What is the expected value $E(X)$?

$$\frac{31}{57} \quad \frac{55}{18} \quad \frac{1200}{104976} \quad \frac{152}{74} \quad \frac{53}{18}$$

Determine the cumulative distribution function for the probability density function $f(x) = \frac{3\sqrt{x}}{16}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 4$.

$$F(x) = \frac{3}{16}x^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad F(x) = \frac{3}{32}x^{\frac{-1}{2}} \quad F(x) = \frac{1}{8}x^{\frac{3}{2}} \quad F(x) = \frac{1}{12}x^2 \quad F(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^{\frac{-1}{2}}$$

points)

What would be your prediction for the profits for the fourth year?

A company determines that its production function is given by $f(x, y) = 72x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{3}{4}}$ where x is the amount of capital and y is the amount of labor. Suppose capital costs \$9 per unit and labor costs \$18 per unit. The company has a budget of \$12,000. Find the amounts of labor and capital which will maximize the company's production while keeping within the constraints of the bud-

Suppose that you are being asked to analyze the income for a company whose total profit fits into the following chart.

| | | | |
|--------|---|---|---|
| Year | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Profit | 2 | 5 | 7 |

What is the regression line for these data points? (Use the least squares method.) (22 points)

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