



**Çankaya University**  
**Mcs 331 Numerical Methods**  
**Final Examination**  
**Dec 31, 2014 09.30 – 11.30**  
**Good Luck!**



**NAME-SURNAME:**

**SIGNATURE:**

**ID:**

**DEPARTMENT:**

**DURATION:** 120 minutes

- ◇ Answer all the questions.
- ◇ Write the solutions explicitly and clearly.  
Use the numerical terminology.
- ◇ You are allowed to use Formulae Sheet.
- ◇ Calculator is allowed.
- ◇ You are not allowed to use any other electronic equipment in the exam.
- ◇ I declare hereby that I fulfilled the requirements for the attendance according to the University regulations and I accept that my examination will not be valid otherwise.

Question	Grade	Out of
1		15
2		10
3		15
4		20
5		20
6		20
7		20
<b>TOTAL</b>		120

1. Answer the following questions, **choose only 4 of them.**
  - i What are the advantages and disadvantages of numerical analysis?
  - ii Describe the general working of a bracketing method. What are the assumptions for this family of methods?
  - iii Describe truncation and round-off errors. Give example.
  - iv Describe the concept of ill-condition. Give an example.
  - v What does singularity mean for a matrix? Make a comparison of singular and nonsingular matrices.
  - vi What information can be obtained from the condition number of a matrix?
  - vii What are the differences between the interpolation and curve fitting?

2. Consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ -3 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- i Get the inverse of the matrix through **either** Gaussian elimination **or** Gauss-Jordan method.
- ii Check your result:  $AA^{-1} = I$

3. For the given data points;

$x$	$y$
1	1.06
2	1.12
3	1.34
5	1.78

- i construct the divided-difference table.
- ii interpolate for  $x = 4$ .
- iii extrapolate for  $x = 5.5$ .

4. A material is tested for cyclic fatigue failure whereby a stress (S), in MPa, is applied to the material and the number of cycles (N) needed to cause failure is measured. The results are in the table below.

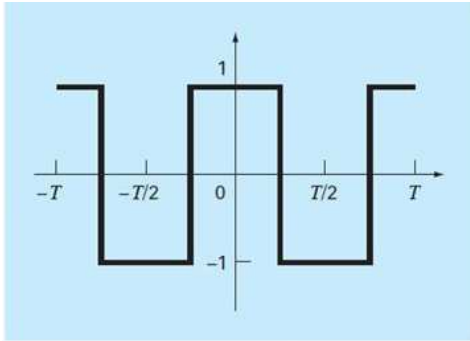
X	Y
Cycles (N)	Stress (S)
1	1100
10	1000
100	925
1000	800
10000	625
100000	550
1000000	420

When a log-log plot of stress versus cycles is generated, the data trend **shows a linear relationship**;  $Y' = aX' + b$ . Use least-squares method to determine a best-fit equation for this data. **Hints:**

- i Start by taking logarithms of the data.
- ii Construct the normal equations.
- iii Find the values  $a$  and  $b$ .
- iv Determine the best-fit equation for  $Y(X)$ .

5. Write the expression to economize the the Maclaurin series for  $e^{2x}$  with the precision 0.08 by using Chebyshev polynomials. Do not perform the calculation.

6. Use the Fourier series to approximate the square wave function (see Figure).

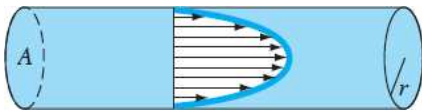


$$f(t) = \begin{cases} -1 & -T/2 < t < -T/4; \\ 1 & -T/4 < t < T/4; \\ -1 & T/4 < t < T/2. \end{cases}$$

- i Find the Fourier coefficients. Do not evaluate the integrals. **Hint:** Odd or even function?
- ii Write the Fourier series expansion for this function up to  $2^{nd}$  term.

7. If the velocity distribution of a fluid flowing through a pipe is known (see Figure), the flow rate  $Q$  (that is, the volume of water passing through the pipe per unit time) can be computed by  $Q = \int v dA$ , where  $v$  is the velocity and  $A$  is the pipe's cross-sectional area. For a circular pipe,  $A = \pi r^2$  and  $dA = 2\pi r dr$ . Therefore,  $Q = \int_0^r v(2\pi r) dr$ , where  $r$  is the radial distance measured outward from the center of the pipe.

If the velocity distribution is given by



$$v = 2\left(1 - \frac{r}{r_0}\right)^{1/6}$$

where  $r_0$  is the total radius (in this case, 3 cm), compute  $Q$  using the *Composite Trapezoidal Rule*.

i First fill the table within the four digit accuracy.

$r_i$	$q_i$
0.0000	0.0000
0.5000	
3.0000	

ii Approximate the integral with a step size of  $h = 0.5$ .

iii Approximate the integral with a step size of  $h = 1.0$ .

iv Estimate the *error* in your answers;

- Exact value of the integral is 44.7419. Find the errors for parts ii and iii.
- Also use the global error formula to find the errors for parts ii and iii.
- Analyze and compare these error values.