

# MATH141 – Autumn 2007

## Tutorial Sheet – Week 2

Solutions may be available as of Friday at the MATH141 web site:  
<http://www.uow.edu.au/~mnelson/teaching.dir/math141.html>

(The university is updating it's web pages and solutions may not be made available at this site. Instead, please check the e-learning site).

1. Evaluate each of the following summations, then state which one is equal to 7.

$$(a) \sum_{\alpha=1}^2 (2\alpha + 1) \qquad (b) \sum_{\alpha=1}^2 2\alpha + 1 \qquad (c) \sum_{i=1}^2 2\alpha + 1$$

2. Evaluate each of the following summations

$$(a) \sum_{k=1}^4 k \sin \frac{k\pi}{2} \qquad (b) \sum_{k=0}^4 1 \qquad (c) \sum_{k=1}^{20} \left( \frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{k+1} \right)$$

3. Given that  $\sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  and  $\sum_{k=1}^n k^3 = \left( \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right)^2$ , evaluate  $\sum_{k=1}^6 (4k^3 - 2k + 1)$ .

4. Evaluate  $\sum_{k=1}^{10} (k+2)^3$ , given

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^n k^3 &= \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}, \\ \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 &= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}, \\ \sum_{k=1}^n k &= \frac{n(n+1)}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

5. Evaluate the following.

$$(a) \sum_{i=1}^4 \sum_{j=1}^4 \delta_{ij} \delta_{j3} x_i x_3, \qquad (b) \sum_{k=1}^4 \sum_{m=1}^2 \delta_{km} \delta_{k3}.$$

6. Evaluate the following

$$(a) \sum_{j=1}^4 \sum_{i=1}^4 \delta_{i3} \delta_{ij}, \qquad (b) \sum_{j=1}^3 \sum_{i=1}^3 (3i+j) \delta_{ij}$$

7. Simplify each of the following

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad & 2^{5x} \times 8^x \div 4^{2x} & (b) \quad & (x^2 - y^2)^{1/2} \times (x - y)^{3/2} \times (x + y)^{-1/2} \\ (c) \quad & 7 \log 5 - \log 25 & (d) \quad & \frac{\log 64}{\log 16} \\ (e) \quad & 2\sqrt{10} \times 4\sqrt{15} & (f) \quad & 3\sqrt{32} + 2\sqrt{50} - 8\sqrt{18} \end{aligned}$$

8. Without using your calculator, solve for  $x$  if

$$(a) \log_5 25\sqrt{5} = x; \qquad (b) 3 \log_5 x + 4 = \log_5 x^7.$$

9. Factorise the following

$$(a) 3x^2 + 4x - 7 \qquad (b) a^2 - b^2 + 2a - 2b$$

10. Solve the following equation by factorisation

$$5x^2 - 26x + 24 = 0.$$

11. Solve the following equation using the quadratic formula

$$4x^2 + 11x + 2 = 0.$$

12. Solve  $9^x - 10(3^x) + 9 = 0$ .

13. Simplify the following

(a)  $\frac{3x^3}{4a^2} \times \frac{ay - a}{xy^2} \div \frac{3y - 3}{4ay^2}$

(b)  $\frac{5x}{3} - \frac{2x + 3}{4} + \frac{x}{6}$

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## Week 2 Lecture Material

### FUNDAMENTALS

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Sections 1.3–1.8.

**Exercises 1.3.2, 1.4.1, 1.5.2, 1.7.2, 1.8.3 & 1.8.5**

### ALGEBRA

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For Wednesday, read Sections 5.1 to 5.5 inclusive

**Exercises 5A**