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**Final exam in SF1659, Mathematics, Basic course**  
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For each question you can get at most 4 points. You need to give a full answer in order to get full points for a question. Solution must be well-presented and easy to follow. Explain your arguments, and write clearly and in an organized way.

Questions 1 and 2 correspond to the tests, respectively. If you passed test  $j$ , you get 4 points for question  $j$ . (that you don't need to solve)

Questions 3–6 correspond to basic knowledge and skills. Questions 7–9 are a little more advanced. If you want to receive C or higher, you must get points from this part, called VG-question.

Preliminary grading is: A–31 points with at least 8 VG points B–26 points with at least 5 VG points, C–21 points with at least 2 VG points, D–17, E–15, Fx–13.

There is a chance to complete an Fx within 4 weeks. In such a case, contact Maria Saprykina (masha@kth.se).

**Questions that corresponds to the tests**

- 1 Solve the equation:  $|x - 1| + 2|x| = 4$ .
- 2 Solve the equation:  $\cos^2 x - \frac{1}{2} \sin x = 1$ .

**G-questions**

- 3 Solve the equation  $\ln(1 + e^x) = \ln(1 - e^x) + \ln(1 + 4e^x)$ .
4. Given  $\sin x = 3/5$  and  $0 \leq x \leq \pi/2$ . Calculate the value of  $(\tan x + \sin x) \tan x$ .
5. Solve the inequality  $\frac{2x^2 - 3}{x + 2} \leq x$ .
6. Let  $P(x)$  be the polynomial  $(x^3 - 3x)^{10} - (x^2 - 2)^{15}$ . What is the degree of  $P(x)$ ?  
Compute the coefficient in front of the highest degree.

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**VG-questions**

7. Find all  $x$  for which the following inequality holds:

$$\left(\ln \frac{1}{x}\right) \ln x^3 + 12 \ln \sqrt{x} < 9.$$

8. Find the inverse of the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$ . For the obtained inverse function, find the domain of definition and the image.
9. Find the constant  $a$  such that the equation  $x^3 - 3x + a = 0$  has a double root (that is two roots that are equal).