MATH 141 SPRING 2017 EXAM 3

NAME:

- 1. 5 pts. each Consider the sequence $(6, 9, 12, 15, \ldots)$.
 - (a) Find a recurrence relation that generates the sequence.
 - (b) Find an explicit formula for the *n*th term of the sequence.
- 2. 10 pts. each Find the limit of the sequence, or determine that it does not exist.

(a)
$$a_n = \frac{\tan^{-1} n}{n}$$

(b)
$$a_n = \ln \left(\frac{3n+1}{3n-1} \right)^n$$

- 3. $\boxed{10 \text{ pts.}}$ Write the repeating decimal $0.2\overline{13}$ as a geometric series.
- 4. 10 pts. For the telescoping series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right),\,$$

find a formula for the kth term of the sequence of partial sums (s_k) , and then evaluate the series.

5. 10 pts. Determine whether the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{10}{n^2 + 9}$$

converges or diverges using either the Divergence Test or Integral Test.

6. 10 pts. Use either the Direct Comparison Test or Limit Comparison Test to determine whether

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2n - \sqrt[3]{n^2}}$$

converges or diverges.

7. $\boxed{10~\mathrm{pts.}}$ Use the Ratio Test to determine whether

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n!)^3}{(3n)!}$$

converges or diverges.

8. 10 pts. Choose an appropriate test to determine whether

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \ln \left(\frac{n+2}{n+1} \right)$$

converges or diverges.

9. 10 pts. Choose an appropriate test to determine whether the series

$$\frac{1}{1\cdot 3} + \frac{1}{3\cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5\cdot 7} + \frac{1}{7\cdot 9} + \cdots$$

converges or diverges.

10. 10 pts. Use the Alternating Series Test to show the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n-1}{4n^2 + 9}$$

converges, or use another test to show it diverges.