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FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR MAIN **EXAMINATION** 

# FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF **EDUCATION ARTS/SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE:** 

**MAT 312** 

COURSE TITLE:

COMPLEX ANALYSIS I

DATE:

16<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2022

TIME:

2.00PM - 5.00PM

# INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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#### **MAT 312: COMPLEX ANALYSIS I**

STREAM: BED (Arts/Science)

**DURATION: 3** 

Hours

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- i. Answer ALL Questions from section A and any THREE from section B.
- ii. Do not write on the question paper.

#### SECTION A (31 Marks)

#### Answer ALL questions in this section

#### Question One (16 Marks)

- a) Write the following expressions in the form x + iy, x,  $y \in R$ :
  - i)  $(3 + 4i)^2$
  - $\frac{2+3i}{3-4i}.$

(6 Marks)

b) Differentiate  $f(z) = z^2 + z$  from first principles.

- (4 Marks)
- c) Let  $z_n \in \mathbb{C}$ . Show that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z_n$  is convergent if, and only if, both  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Re(z_n)$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Re(z_n)$  are convergent. (6 Marks)

#### Question Two (15 Marks)

- a) Let  $\gamma$  denote the circular path with centre 1 and radius 1, described once anticlockwise and starting at the point 2. Let  $f(z) = |z|^2$ . Write down a parametrisation of  $\gamma$ . Hence calculate  $\int_{\gamma} |z|^2 dz$ . (5 Marks)
- b) Suppose that  $f: D \to \mathbb{C}$  is continuous,  $F: D \to \mathbb{C}$  is an antiderivative of f on D, and  $\gamma$  is a contour from  $z_0$  to  $z_1$ . Prove that  $\int_{\gamma} f = F(z_1) F(z_0)$ . (4 Marks)
- c) Define the following terms
  - i) Anti-derivative
  - ii) Continuous function
  - iii) Open set

(6 Marks)

#### SECTION A (39 Marks)

#### Answer any THREE questions from this section.

#### Question Three (13 Marks)

- a) Let  $z_n \in \mathbb{C}$  and write  $z_n = x_n + iy_n, x_n, y_n \in R$ . Prove that  $z_n$  converges if and only if  $x_n$  and  $y_n$  converge. (4 Marks)
- b) By induction on n, derive De Moivre's Theorem.

(4 Marks)

c) Write the function f(z) = |z| in the form u(x, y) + iv(x, y). Using the Cauchy-Riemann equations, decide whether there are any points in  $\mathbb{C}$  at which f is differentiable.

(5 Marks)

#### Question Four (13 Marks)

a) Find a Laurent series expansion for

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 \left(z - 1\right)}$$

valid for 0 < |z| < 1.

(4 Marks)

b) Let  $f,g:D\to\mathbb{C}$  be holomorphic. Let  $\gamma$  be a smooth path in D starting at  $z_0$  and ending at  $z_1$ . Prove the complex analogue of the integration by parts formula:  $\int_{\gamma} fg' =$ 

$$f(z_1)g(z_1) - f(z_0)g(z_0) - \int_{V} f'g.$$

(5 Marks)

c) Describe the type of singularity at 0 of sin(1/z).

(4 Marks)

### Question Five (13 Marks)

a) Show that for  $z, w \in \mathbb{C}$  we have

i) 
$$\cos z = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$$

ii) 
$$\sin z = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2i}.$$

(4 Marks)

b) Find the radius of convergence of  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n z^n}{n}$ .

- (3 Marks)
- c) Let  $f(z) = 1/(z^2 + z + 1)$  and let  $\gamma(t) = 5e^{it}$ ,  $0 \le t \le 2\pi$ , be the circle of radius

5 centered at 0. Use the Estimation Lemma to bound  $\int_{V} f(z) dz$ .

(6 marks)

## Question Six (13 Marks)

a) Let  $z, w \in \mathbb{C}$ . Show that

i) 
$$z \pm w = \bar{z} \pm \bar{w}$$

ii) 
$$\overline{zw} = \overline{z}\overline{w}$$

(4 Marks)

b) Let  $w_0 \neq 0$  be a complex number such that  $|w_0| = r$  and  $\arg w_0 = \theta$ . Find the polar forms of all the solutions z to  $z^n = w_0$ , where  $n \geq 1$  is a positive integer. (4 Marks)

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c) Suppose that  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  are complex numbers, with  $z_1z_2$  real and non-zero. Show that there exists a real number r such that  $z_1 = r\bar{z}_2$ . (5 marks)

Question Seven (13 Marks)

a) Suppose that  $f(z) = x^2 - y^2 - 2y + i(2x - 2xy)$ , where z = x + iy. Use the expressions  $x = \frac{z+z}{2}$  and  $y = \frac{z-z}{2i}$  to write f(z) in terms of z and simplify the result.

(3 Marks)

b) Find all the complex roots of the equation  $\cos z = 3$ .

(5 Marks)

- c) Compute the following limits if they exist
  - $\lim_{z \to -i} \frac{iz^3 + 1}{z^2 + 1}$   $\lim_{z \to \infty} \frac{4 + z^2}{(z 1)^2}.$

ii)

(5 Marks)

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