

B.Sc.(Honours) Examination, 2019
Semester-II (CBCS)
Mathematics (Honours)
Core Course: CC-3
(Analysis-II and Algebra-II)

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks: 60

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.
Notations and symbols have their usual meanings.

Unit-I [Analysis-II] (Marks-30)

Answer **Question No. 1** and **any four** from the rest.

1. Answer **any five** questions: 5x2
 - a) Find the volume and surface area of a sphere of radius a .
 - b) Show that arbitrary intersection of open sets may not be open and arbitrary union of closed sets may not be closed.
 - c) Define the closure of a set. Find closure of the sets
(i) $Q \cup \{1, 2, \dots, 100\}$ (ii) $Q \cap \{1, 2, \dots, 100\}$.
 - d) Find the area between the curves $y = \sin x$ and $y = \cos x$ in $[0, 2\pi]$.
 - e) Give an example of a sequence $\{x_n\}$ such that
 $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$ and $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = \infty$.
 - f) State Taylor's theorem with Lagrange's form of remainder. Also show that it is a generalization of Lagrange's mean value theorem.
 - g) Find the envelope of the family of straight lines
 $y = mx + \sqrt{a^2 m^2 + b^2}$ (m is parameter).
2. a) Find the necessary conditions for a power series representation of a function. 3
b) Define upper limit of a sequence $\{x_n\}$. 2
3. a) Expand $\cos x$ as a power series with proper justification. 3
b) Define characteristic points and envelope of a curve. 2
4. a) If ρ_1 and ρ_2 be radii of curvatures at the ends P and D of conjugate diameters CP and CD respectively on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, where C being the centre of the ellipse, then show that $\rho_1^{2/3} + \rho_2^{2/3} = \frac{a^2 + b^2}{(ab)^{2/3}}$. 2.5
b) For the cycloid $x = a(\theta + \sin \theta)$, $y = a(1 - \cos \theta)$, show that $s^2 + \rho^2 = 16a^2$. 2.5
5. State and prove Nested Interval Theorem. 1+4
6. Define a compact set in $\mathbb{R}$. If $K \subset \mathbb{R}$ is compact then prove that it is closed and bounded. 1+4
7. a) Suppose x_0 is a limit point of a set $S \subset \mathbb{R}$. Show that there is a sequence $x_n \in S - \{x_0\}$ such that $x_n \rightarrow x_0$. 2
b) Show that a set is closed if and only if it contains all its limit points. 3

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Unit-II [Algebra-II (Marks-30)]

Answer *all* the questions.

1. Answer *any two* questions: 2×5=10
 - a) i) Show that the sum of the squares of two odd integers cannot be a perfect square. Does there exist any perfect square in the sequence of integers:
11, 111, 1111,? 2+1
 - ii) Let a and b be two integers with $b \neq 0$. Then show that there exist unique integers r and r that satisfy $a = bq + r$, where $-\frac{1}{2}|b| < r \leq \frac{1}{2}|b|$. 2
 - b) i) Use Euclidean Algorithm to obtain integers x and y satisfying $\gcd(119, 272) = 119x + 272y$. 3
 - ii) For $n \geq 1$, and positive integers a, b , show that the relation $a^n | b^n$ implies that $a | b$. 2
 - c) i) If $p \neq 5$ is an odd prime, prove that either $p^2 - 1$ or $p^2 + 1$ is divisible by 10. 1
 - ii) How many primes are there up to $2^{2^{99}}$? 1
 - iii) Obtain three consecutive integers, each having a factor of a perfect square. 3
 - d) i) If $n > 1$ is a composite number, then show that $\phi(n) \leq n - \sqrt{n}$. 2.5
 - ii) Find the unit digit of 3^{100} by means of Euler's theorem. 2.5
2. Answer *any two* questions: 2×10=20
 - a) i) Let $\rho = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} : 3a + 4b = 7n, \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$. Show that ρ is an equivalence relation on $\mathbb{Z}$. 2
 - ii) Show that $\mathbb{R}$ is equipotent with the set $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : 0 < x < 1\}$. 3
 - iii) Let $f, g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5$ and $g(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1}$. Find $f \circ g, g \circ f$.
Also show that $g^{-1}(g(\{2, 3\})) \neq \{2, 3\}$. 1.5+1.5+2
 - b) i) Suppose a group G contains elements a and b such that $o(a) = 4, o(b) = 2, a^3b = ba$. Find $o(ab)$. 2
 - ii) Find all subgroups of the group $\mathbb{Z}$ of all integers under usual addition. 3
 - iii) In the group S_3 , show that the subset $H = \{a \in S_3 : o(a) | 2\}$ is not a subgroup. 2
 - iv) Does there exist a subset H of $(Q, +)$ such that $Q = \langle H \rangle$? 2
 - v) In the group $GL(2, \mathbb{R})$, find two elements A and B of finite order but order of AB is infinite. 1
 - c) i) Show that the eighth roots of unity form a cyclic group. Find all the generators of this group. 3+1
 - ii) Let G be a cyclic group of order 42. Does there exist an element of order 6? Justify your answer. 3
 - iii) Show that $(\mathbb{R}, +)$ is not a cyclic group. 3