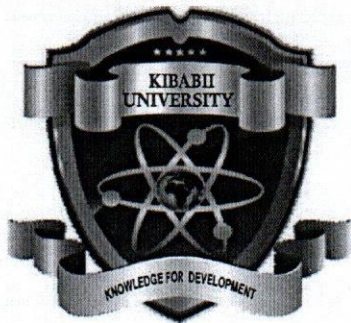


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**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION AND
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

COURSE CODE: MAT 204

COURSE TITLE: REAL ANALYSIS I

DATE: 30/07/18

TIME: 2 PM -4 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE : (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the following terms
- (i). Bounded set (2 mks)
 - (ii). Closed set (2 mks)
 - (iii). Disjoint sets (1 mk)
 - (iv). Ordered field (2 mks)
- b) Let \mathbb{F} be a field and $x, y \in \mathbb{F}$. Show that $|x| - |y| \leq |x - y|$. (5mks)
- c) Let $A = \{E_i \subset \mathbb{R}, i \in I\}$ be a collection of open sets. Show that arbitrary union of members of A is open. (4 mks)
- d) Prove that for any pair $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ we can find infinitely many real numbers (5 mks)
- e) Identify the point(s) at which the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{\cos x}$ has discontinuities. (4 mks)
- f) Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions on subspaces of a field \mathbb{F} .
If $f(x) = \frac{1}{2-x}$ and $g(x) = \frac{4x+1}{5}$, find $(f \circ g)^{-1}(x)$. (5 mks)

QUESTION TWO :(20 MARKS)

- a) Let $A = \{x: -1 < x < 0\}$ be a subset of the real number field \mathbb{R} .
- (i). Categorize the set as either closed or open, explain. (2 mks)
 - (ii). Determine the closure, \bar{A} , of A . Explain your answer. (2 mks)
 - (iii). Is A bounded? Explain (3 mks)
- b) State the completeness axiom. (2 mks)
- c) Let A and B be two finite sets. Show that $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$. (6 mks)
- d) Prove that there is no rational number x such that $x^2 = 2$. (5 mks)

QUESTION THREE :(20 MARKS)

a) (i). Define the terms supremum and infimum of a subset A of a field \mathbb{F} . (4 mks)

(ii). Determine the infimum, supremum of the following sets. (4 mks)

$$A = \left(-1, \frac{1}{n}\right) n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$B = \left[1, \frac{2+n}{n}\right] n \in \mathbb{N}$$

b) Using principles of mathematical induction, show that for $n \geq 1$, $8^n - 3^n$ is divisible by 5 for $n \in \mathbb{N}$. (8 mks)

QUESTION FOUR : (20 MARKS)

a) Define a composition of two functions? (2 mks)

b) Show that the limit of the function $f(x) = \frac{3}{x^2-4}$ as x approaches 2 does not exist. (5 mks)

c) Let \mathbb{F} be an ordered field. Define a metric d on the field as $d(x, y) = |x - y|$ for $x, y \in \mathbb{F}$. Show d is a metric. (6 mks)

d) Show that an infinite subset of a countable set is countable. (6 mks)

e) What is a relation between two sets A and B ? (1 mks)

QUESTION FIVE :(20 MARKS)

a) (i). What is a countable set? (1 mk)

(ii). Differentiate between finite and infinite set. (2mks)

(ii). Show that the set of integers is countably infinite. (4 mks)

b) Let $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ be a collection of closed sets. Show that the finite intersection, $\bigcap_{i=1}^n A_i$ is closed. (5mks)

c) Let \mathbb{F} be an ordered field. Prove that a nonempty subset A of \mathbb{F} has at most one least upper bound and at most one greatest lower bound. (4 mks)

d) Differentiate between injective and surjective functions giving examples in each case. (4 mks)