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**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**  
**MAIN EXAMINATION**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN**  
**MATHEMATICS**

**COURSE CODE: MAT 869/MAT 817**

**COURSE TITLE: COMPLEX ANALYSIS**

**DATE: 12/02/2021**

**TIME: 2 PM -5 PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Any THREE Questions

TIME: 3 Hours

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**Question1 [20 marks]**

(a) (i) Express  $(1+i)^{1/6}$  in rational Cartesian form. [5 marks]

(ii) Show that  $e^{ix} + e^{-ix} = 2 \cos x$ ,  $e^{ix} - e^{-ix} = 2i \sin x$  [6 marks]

(b) Let  $D$  be a rectangular region bounded by lines  $x=0, y=0, x=2$  and  $y=1$ .

Define the mapping  $\omega(z) = (12+i)z + (1+2i)$  on  $D$  into  $D'$ . [2 marks]

(i) Show that  $\omega$  is a conformal mapping. [2 marks]

(ii) Obtain the translation, rotation and dilation factor, of  $D$  into  $D'$  [2 marks]

(c) Determine the residues of  $f(z) = \frac{z}{(z^2 + 144)^2}$  [3 marks]

**Question 2 [20 marks]**

(a) (i) Discuss the existence of  $f'(z_0)$ , the derivative of  $f(z)$  on the complex plane [5marks]

ii) If  $f(z) = z^2 \bar{z}$ , find  $f'(z)$  the derivative of  $f(z)$  [7marks]

(b) Evaluate the integral :  $\oint_{|z|=3} \frac{z}{(z^2 - 9)^3} dz$  [5 marks]

(c) Prove that  $u = e^{-x}(x \sin y - y \cos y)$  is harmonic. [3marks]

**Question 3 [20 marks]**

(a) If  $f(z) = z\bar{z}$  find  $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} \left\{ \frac{f(z) - f(z_0)}{z - z_0} \right\}$ . Discuss the existence of  $f'(z_0)$ , the derivative of  $f(z)$  on the complex plane. [6marks]

(b) Find all the points at which the function  $f(z) = x^2 - y^2 + x + i(2xy - y)$  is analytic. [6 marks]

(c) Evaluate the integral :  $\oint_{|z|=3} \frac{z}{(z^2-9)^3} dz$

[8marks]

**Question 4 [20 marks]**

(a) Given  $f(z) = \frac{z+11}{(z+1)^3(z^2+1)^2}$ , identify the poles of  $f(z)$

[5marks]

(b) Let  $f(z) = e^{z^2} : z = x+iy$

Discuss exhaustively and explicitly the differentiability of  $f(z)$

[15marks]

**Question 5 [20 marks]**

(a) Evaluate the integral  $\int_C z^2 dz : C$  is the curve  $y = \frac{1}{x^2}$  from  $z = 1+i$  to  $z = 3 + \frac{i}{19}$  [3marks]

(b) Suppose that a function  $f$  is analytic in a star  $D$ . Suppose further that  $C$  is a closed contour lying in  $D$ . Prove that  $\oint_C f(z) dz = 0$ . [8marks]

(c) Determine the value of the contour integral  $\oint_{|z|=13} \frac{e^z + \sin z}{(z^2-25)(z^2-49)} dz$  where the contour of integration is the circle centre at 0 and radius 3 followed in the positive (anticlockwise) direction. [9marks]