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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2021 / 2022 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**MAIN EXAMINATION**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE:** MAT 110

**COURSE TITLE:** BASIC CALCULUS

**DATE:** 27/01/2022

**TIME:** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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**QUESTION ONE COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)**

(a) Define the following terms

- (i) A function (2 mks)
- (ii) An even function (2 mks)
- (iii) An odd function (2 mks)

(b) If  $h(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sin x}$  and  $g(x) = 3x^2 + x^3 - 2$  find

- (i)  $goh$  (2 mks)
- (ii)  $hog$  (2 mks)

(c) Find the domain and the range of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{3-x}$  (2 mks)

(d) Evaluate the following limits;

(i)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \frac{\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{x}}{x^3 - 27}$  (4 mks)

(ii)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4x^3 - 2x - 1}{\sqrt{x^6 + \frac{4}{x}}}$  (3 mks)

(e) Given the function  $y = \ln(2x^3 + x^2 - x)$ , determine  $y''$  (4 mks)

(f) Prove that  $\lim_{\theta \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin \theta}{\theta} = 1$  (7 mks)

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

(a) Find the equation of the tangent and normal to the curve  $x^2y + 2xy - 3x = 8$   
At  $(1, -1)$  (7 mks)

(b) Determine if the following function is continuous at  $x = 3$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 1 & x < 3 \\ 10 & x = 3 \\ \frac{5x+9}{2} - 2 & x > 3 \end{cases} \quad (5 \text{ mks})$$

(c) A particle moves in the OX so that it is  $S$  metres from O  $t$  seconds after passing O is given by  $S = 6t^2 - t^3$  find;

- (i) The distance when the particle is momentarily at rest (5 mks)
- (ii) The greatest velocity in the direction of OX (3 mks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- (a) Given  $y = -3\operatorname{cosec}x^4$  find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  (4 mks)
- (b) Prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (2x - 6) = -2$  (5 mks)
- (c) Find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  given that  $x(t) = t^2 + \frac{1}{2}t^3 - 3t + 6$ ,  $y(t) = 3t^3 + 2$  (5 mks)
- (d) A rectangular land is to be enclosed with 180M of barbed wire of which one of the shortest side is a wall. Find the maximize area enclosed. (6 mks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- (a) Determine whether each of the following functions is even, odd or neither
- (i)  $g(x) = 2 + x^2$  (2 mks)
- (ii)  $f(x) = x - x^2$  (2 mks)
- (iii)  $h(x) = 3x + 5x^3$  (2 mks)
- (b) Given the equation of the curve  $y = x^4 + x^3 - \frac{x^2}{2}$
- (i) Find all the turning points (5 mks)
- (ii) The nature of the turning points (5 mks)
- (iii) Sketch the graph (4 mks)

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

- (a) State the Rolle's theorem (2 mks)
- (b) Find from the 1<sup>st</sup> principles the differential coefficient of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  given that  $y = 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 4$  (4 mks)
- (c) Find the derivative of Differentiate  $y = \frac{(x^2-3)^3 \sin 2x}{\ln 4x}$  (4 mks)
- (d) Evaluate the following
- (i)  $\int \frac{3}{(2-5x)^2} dx$  (5 mks)
- (ii)  $\int 2x^3 \cos 2x dx$  (5 mks)