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**KIBABII UNIVERSITY**  
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**2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR**  
**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**  
**SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION**  
**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION**  
**SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE:** MAP 212/MAP 222/MAT 204

**COURSE TITLE:** REAL ANALYSIS I

**DATE:** 25/07/2022

**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

### QUESTION ONE COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the following terms:
- i. Power set (2marks)
  - ii. Cardinality of sets (2marks)
  - iii. A discontinuity of a function (2marks)
  - iv. A disjoint set (2marks)
  - v. Indexed sets (2marks)
- b) Let  $\mathbb{F}$  be an ordered field and  $a \in \mathbb{F}, a \neq 0$  iff  $a^2 > 0$  (4marks)
- c) Show that for  $n \geq 1, 8^n - 3^n$  is divisible by 5 for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . (5marks)
- d) Show that an infinite subset of a countable set is countable (4marks)
- e) 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. (2marks)
  - (ii). What is the interior of A? (1mark)
  - (iii). Determine the closure,  $\bar{A}$ , of A. Explain your answer. (2marks)
  - (iv). Is A bounded? Explain (2marks)

### QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) State the completeness axiom. (2marks)
- b) What do you understand by the term a countable set? (1mark)
- c) Prove that the set of integers are countable. (6marks)
- d) Define a relation,  $x \sim y$ , between  $x$  and  $y$  as  $x \equiv y \pmod{n}, n \in \mathbb{N}$  meaning that  $x - y$  is divisible by  $n$ . Show that  $x \sim y$  is an equivalence relation. (6marks)
- e) Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two finite sets. Show that  $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$  (5marks)

### QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Given that  $x$  and  $y$  are two positive real numbers, prove that  $x < y$  if and only if  $x^2 < y^2$  (5marks)
- b) Define the following terms
- i. Complete ordered field (2marks)
  - ii. Supremum (2marks)
  - iii. Complete ordered field (2marks)
  - iv. Infimum (2marks)
- c) For every real number  $x \neq 0$  prove that  $x^2 > 0$ . (4marks)
- d) Given that  $X = \{4,5\}$  and  $Y = \{-1,0,2\}$ , find the Cartesian product of  $X$  and  $Y$  (3marks)

#### QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $\sim$  be a relation on  $\mathbb{N}$  be defined as  $x \sim y$  if  $x \equiv y \pmod{n}$ , that is  $x - y$  is divisible by  $n$ . Show that  $\sim$  is an equivalence relation. (10marks)
- b) Let  $A, B$  and  $C$  be sets. Show that
- i.  $A \setminus (B \cup C) = (A \setminus B) \cap (A \setminus C)$  (5marks)
  - ii.  $A \setminus (B \cap C) = (A \setminus B) \cup (A \setminus C)$  (5marks)

#### QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Using the first principle of mathematical induction, show that (5marks)
- $$1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n + 1)}{2}, n \in \mathbb{N}.$$
- b) Define a closed set, hence, show that arbitrary intersection of closed sets is closed. (6marks)
- c) Define a metric space (3marks)
- d) Show that  $|a| + |b| \geq |a + b|$  (4marks)
- e) Define the term Cartesian product of sets  $X$  and  $Y$ . (2marks)