

SECTION A

1. Let  $f(x + iy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ , where  $x, y, u$  and  $v$  are real. Write down the Cauchy-Riemann equations which hold where  $f$  is holomorphic.

Find the real and imaginary parts of the function  $f(z) = \bar{z}(z + i)$ . Show that  $f$  satisfies both Cauchy-Riemann equations only at  $z = -i$ .

Find a holomorphic function on  $\mathbf{C}$  with the imaginary part  $v(x, y) = 2xy - x$ .

[10 marks]

2. Sketch the path  $\gamma : [-1, 2] \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$  given by

$$\gamma(t) = \begin{cases} -it, & -1 \leq t \leq 0 \\ (2i - 1)t, & 0 \leq t \leq 2. \end{cases}$$

Evaluate  $\int_{\gamma} f(\operatorname{Re} z)^4 dz$ .

[7 marks]

3. Evaluate the following integrals, giving brief reasons:

$$\int_{\gamma(i;1)} \frac{dz}{4z^2 - 1}; \quad \int_{\gamma(1;1)} \frac{dz}{4z^2 - 1}; \quad \int_{\gamma(0;3)} \frac{dz}{4z^2 - 1}.$$

Here  $\gamma(a; r)$  denotes the circle, centre  $a$  and radius  $r$ , oriented anticlockwise.

[10 marks]

4. Find the 5-jet at 0 (the Taylor series up to and including the term  $z^5$ ) of each of the following functions:

$$(i) \quad (z^2 - 1)e^{z^2}; \quad (ii) \quad \frac{\sin(2z)}{\cosh z}.$$

[8 marks]

5. Determine the type of singularity exhibited by the function

$$f(z) = \frac{(2z - \pi)(2z + \pi)^2}{\cos^2 z}$$

at (a)  $z = 3\pi/2$ , (b)  $z = \pi/2$ , (c)  $z = -\pi/2$ . If the singularity is a simple pole determine the residue, and if it is removable determine the limiting value.

[10 marks]

6. (a) Find the residues of the function

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2z^2 - 5iz - 2}.$$

(b) Use contour integration and the result of (a) to determine

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\theta}{4 \sin \theta - 5}.$$

[10 marks]

SECTION B

7. (a) Write down the Laplace equation for a function  $v(x, y)$  of two real variables.

(b) For what value of the constant  $k$  can the function

$$v(x, y) = -4x^2 + ky^2$$

be the imaginary part of a function  $f(z) = f(x + iy)$  holomorphic on  $\mathbf{C}$ ?

(c) Write down the expression of the derivative of a holomorphic function in terms of the partial derivatives of its imaginary part. Apply this to determine the derivative  $g(z) = f'(z)$  of a holomorphic function with the imaginary part  $v$  you obtained in (b). Express  $g$  in terms of  $z$  (not  $x$  and  $y$ ).

(d) Show that, for the function  $g$  found in (c),

$$e^{g(z)} = -1 \quad \iff \quad z = \frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{\pi}{4}n \text{ for some integer } n.$$

[15 marks]

8. (i) Find the radius of convergence  $R$  and the sum inside the circle of convergence of the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{6^n}.$$

Assuming the term-by-term differentiation is valid find  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(z/6)^{n-1}$ .

(ii) Find the radius of convergence  $R$  of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-3)^n z^n}{n^5}.$$

Determine the convergence or divergence of this series for  $|z| = R$ . [Make sure that your argument applies to all  $z$  with  $|z| = R$ .]

[15 marks]

9. (a) Sketch the annulus  $\{z \in \mathbf{C} : 1 < |z - 4| < 3\}$ , and mark the poles of the function

$$f(z) = \frac{2}{z^2 - 4z + 3}$$

on your sketch.

- (b) Find the Laurent expansion of  $f(z)$  valid in the above annulus.
- (c) Determine whether this expansion converges at  $z = 7$ .

[15 marks]

10. Sketch the path  $\gamma_R : [0, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$  defined by  $\gamma_R(t) = Re^{it}$ , where  $R > 0$ . Prove that

$$\int_{\gamma_R} \frac{z^2}{(z^2 + 4)^2} dz \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } R \rightarrow \infty.$$

By integrating  $3z^2/(z^2 + 4)^2$  along a suitable contour, find

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{3x^2 - 5x}{(x^2 + 4)^2} dx.$$

[15 marks]

11. Find the principal value of the integral

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{x \sin 4x}{(x^2 - 4)(x^2 + 1)} dx$$

by integrating an appropriate holomorphic function round a large semicircle in the upper half-plane, indented both at 2 and  $-2$ .

State without proof any results you use on the limiting values of the integrals round the semicircular parts of the contour.

[15 marks]