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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualifications:–

B.Sc. *M.Sci.*

Mathematics M211: Analysis 3: Complex Analysis

COURSE CODE : MATHM211

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TIME : 14.30

TIME ALLOWED : 2 Hours

All questions may be attempted but only marks obtained on the best four solutions will count.

The use of an electronic calculator is **not** permitted in this examination.

1. Let f be a differentiable function on the open disc $D(0, R)$ of centre 0 and radius R .

Show

- (i) If $f'(z) = 0$ for all $z \in D(0, R)$, then f is constant on $D(0, R)$.
- (ii) If $|f|$ is constant on $D(0, R)$, then f is constant on $D(0, R)$.
- (iii) If $|f(z)| \leq |f(0)|$ for all $z \in D(0, R)$, then f is constant on $D(0, R)$.

2. Define

$$\begin{aligned}\exp z &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^n}{n!}, & \sin z &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} \\ \cos z &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n z^{2n}}{(2n)!}, & z &\in \mathbb{C}.\end{aligned}$$

Show

- (i) $\exp z \neq 0, \forall z \in \mathbb{C}$
- (ii) $\exp(a+b) = \exp a \exp b, \forall a, b \in \mathbb{C}$
- (iii)

$$\begin{aligned}\cos z &= \frac{1}{2}(e^{iz} + e^{-iz}) \\ \sin z &= \frac{1}{2i}(e^{iz} - e^{-iz})\end{aligned}$$

- (iv) $\cos(a+b) = \cos a \cos b - \sin a \sin b, \forall a, b \in \mathbb{C}$.
- (v) If $\sin z = 0$, then $z = k\pi$, where k is an integer.

3. State and prove Cauchy's Theorem for a triangle.

Let $\gamma : \{\gamma(\theta) = e^{i\theta}, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi\}$ be the circle, centre 0 radius 1, taken in the anticlockwise direction. Evaluate $\int_{\gamma} f(z)dz$ when $f(z)$ is

(i) $\frac{1}{\sin z}$,

(ii) $\frac{1}{4z^2+1}$,

(iii) $4z^{-5}e^{-\frac{1}{z^4}}$

(iv) $\frac{1}{(e^z-1)^2}$

4. (i) State and prove Taylor's Theorem.

(ii) If f is holomorphic on \mathbb{C} and f is not identically zero, show that the zeros of f are isolated, i.e. if $f(a) = 0$ then there exists $\delta > 0$ such that $f(z) \neq 0$ if $0 < |z - a| < \delta$.

(iii) Let f, g, h be holomorphic on \mathbb{C} with $f\left(\frac{1}{2n}\right) = \frac{1}{4n^2}$, $g\left(\frac{1}{2n+1}\right) = \frac{-1}{(2n+1)^2}$, $h\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2}$, $n = 1, 2, \dots$. Show that f, g exist but h does not.

5. (i) Find the Laurent expansion of $(z+1)^{-2}(z-1)^{-2}$ about the point -1 valid for

(a) $|z+1| < 2$,

(b) $|z+1| > 2$.

(ii) Given that $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} dx = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$, show that $\int_0^{\infty} \sin(x^2) dx = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}$.

(iii) Evaluate $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos x}{x^2+4} dx$.

6. (i) Let γ be a simple closed contour and f, g be holomorphic on and inside γ . If $|f(z)| > |g(z)|$, for all $z \in \gamma$, show that f and $f+g$ have the same number of zeros inside γ . Hence, or otherwise, deduce that any polynomial of degree n has n roots.

(ii) Evaluate

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n+1)(5n+2)}.$$