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2017–18**

Mathematics Core 1

2 hours

Attempt all the questions. The allocation of marks is shown in brackets.

This exam paper has two sections. Section A consists of multiple choice questions which must be answered on the exam paper itself.

Answers to Section B must be written on the answer booklet provided.

Total marks: 55

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Section A:

Each question or incomplete statement in this section is followed by four possible options of which exactly one is correct. Mark clearly the correct answer on the question paper. (22 marks)

A1 If $A = \{1\}$ and $B = \{2\}$, then $A \times B$ is

- A. $(1, 2)$ B. $\{1, 2\}$ C. $\{(1, 2)\}$ D. $\{(1, 2), (2, 1)\}$

A2 How many injective functions from $\{1, 2, 3\}$ to $\{4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$ are there?

- A. 125 B. 15 C. 3^5 D. 60

A3 Functions $f, g, h : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are given by

$$f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1, \quad g(x) = \sin(\pi x), \quad \text{and} \quad h = g \circ f.$$

What is $h(2017^{2017})$?

- A. ∞ B. 2017 C. 0 D. 1

A4 How many different anagrams does ABCABCABC have?

- A. $\frac{9!}{3^3}$ B. $\frac{9!}{3!}$ C. $\frac{9!}{3!3!3!}$ D. $\frac{9^9}{3^33^33^3}$

A5 If $r \neq 1$ then $r^6 + r^7 + r^8 + r^9 + r^{10}$ is equal to

- A. $(r + r^2)^5$ B. $\frac{r^6(1 - r^5)}{1 - r}$ C. $\frac{r^5(1 + r^2)^5}{1 + r^5}$ D. $\frac{1 - r^{10}}{1 - r^2}$

A6 If $(1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3)^{100} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots$ then the series $a_0 + a_1 + a_2 + \dots$ sums to

- A. ∞ B. 0 C. 10^{100} D. 100

A7 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^{100} - 1}{x^2 - 1} =$

- A. 100 B. 50 C. 1 D. ∞

A8 The function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ has the property that $x \leq f(x) \leq x + 10$ for $x > 0$. Then $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} =$

- A. 0 B. 1 C. 10 D. ∞

A9 If $e^y = \sin x$ for $0 < x < \pi$ then $\frac{dy}{dx} =$

- A. $\tan x$ B. $\cot x$ C. $-\tan x$ D. $3 - \cot x$

A10 $\int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} dx =$

- A. $\ln \frac{\pi}{6}$ B. $\ln 2$ C. $\ln \sqrt{2}$ D. e

A11 $1 + \frac{1 + 3i}{1 - 2i} =$

- A. $2 - i$ B. $-i$ C. 0 D. i

A12 $e^{i\pi/6} =$

- A. $\frac{\sqrt{3} + i}{2}$ B. $\frac{\sqrt{3} - i}{2}$ C. $\frac{-\sqrt{3} + i}{2}$ D. $\frac{\sqrt{3} - i}{2}$

A13 If $z = 3 + 4i$ then $|z^4| + |\bar{z}^4| =$

- A. 25 B. 50 C. 1000 D. 1250

A14 If $\arg(z) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\arg\left(\frac{1}{w}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4}$, then $\arg(zw) =$

- A. $\frac{7\pi}{12}$ B. $\frac{\pi}{5}$ C. $\frac{4}{3}$ D. $\frac{\pi}{12}$

A15 The sequence generated by the recurrence $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{3 + 2a_n}$ for positive integers n and $a_1 = 1$ is known to be convergent. What is $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$?

- A. -1 B. 0 C. $\sqrt{5}$ D. 3

A16 The series $1 + \frac{x^2}{1!} + \frac{x^4}{2!} + \frac{x^6}{3!} + \dots + \frac{x^{2n}}{n!} + \dots$ is the Maclaurin series expansion of

- A. $\cos x$ B. $\cos(x^2)$ C. e^x D. e^{x^2}

A17 The infinite series $1 + 2x + 2^2x^2 + 2^3x^3 + \dots$ has radius of convergence

- A. 1 B. 2 C. -2 D. $\frac{1}{2}$

A18 $\frac{d}{dx} \int_0^x \sin(t^{100}) dt =$

- A. $x^{101} \cos(x^{100})$ B. $\frac{x^{101} \cos x}{101}$ C. $\sin(x^{101})$ D. $\sin(x^{100})$

A19 The differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$ can be solved by multiplying with the *integrating factor*

- A. $\int P(x) dx$ B. $\int Q(x) dx$ C. $e^{\int P(x) dx}$ D. $e^{\int Q(x) dx}$

A20 The function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by the rule $f(x) = \frac{a \sin x}{x}$ when $x \neq 0$ and $f(0) = 3$. If f is given to be continuous then $a =$

- A. 0 B. 1 C. 3 D. 4

A21 Let $h(x) = f(x)^2 + g(x)^2$ where $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ satisfy the relations

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x) = g(x) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{d}{dx} g(x) = -f(x).$$

Then $\frac{dh}{dx} =$

- A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. insufficient data

A22 How many complex numbers z satisfy the relations $|z - 1| = 1$ and $|z| = |z - i|$ simultaneously? (You might find it helpful to sketch the points on an Argand diagram.)

- A. 0 B. 1 C. 2 D. 4

Section B

B1 Use induction to prove that

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

(5 marks)

B2 Find the general solution to the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dt} + y = \cos t$$

where y is a function of t .

(5 marks)

B3 Write down the expression for $f'(x)$, the derivative of a function f at x , as a suitable limit. Using this, show that if $f(x) := \frac{1}{x}$ then $f'(x) = -\frac{1}{x^2}$. (3 marks)

B4 Sketch a picture to illustrate why

$$(b-a)a^2 \leq \int_a^b x^2 dx \leq (b-a)b^2$$

for $0 \leq a < b$.

Using the above estimates and a division of the interval $[0, 1]$ into N congruent subintervals, obtain *underestimates* and *overestimates* for the area $\int_0^1 x^2 dx$. Deduce that

$$\int_0^1 x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}.$$

You may use the result of Question **B1** without proof if needed.

(5 marks)

- B5** Write down the coefficient of x^n in the binomial expansion of $(1+x)^a$ for a general exponent a . Then use the relation

$$\frac{d}{dx} \arcsin(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

to write down the first three non-zero terms in the Maclaurin series expansion of $\arcsin(x)$. Hence evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{6 \arcsin(x) - 6x - x^3}{x^5}.$$

(You do not have to worry about the radii of convergence of the series involved.)

(5 marks)

- B6** Evaluate $\int_a^\infty \frac{1}{x^3} dx$ when $a > 0$.

Assume that the series $1 + \frac{1}{2^3} + \frac{1}{3^3} + \frac{1}{4^3} + \dots$ converges to ℓ . How many terms of the series should you add up in order to determine ℓ to within an error of $\frac{1}{2,000,000}$?

(5 marks)

- B7** Express $1 + i\sqrt{3}$ in polar form. By considering $(1 + i\sqrt{3})^n$ in two ways, show that

$$1 - \binom{n}{2}3 + \binom{n}{4}3^2 - \binom{n}{6}3^3 + \dots = 2^n \cos \frac{n\pi}{3}$$

for any positive integer n . Also, find a closed form expression for

$$\binom{n}{1} - \binom{n}{3}3 + \binom{n}{5}3^2 - \binom{n}{7}3^3 + \dots$$

(5 marks)

End of Question Paper