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ACTUARIAL SCIENCES/ BED (SCI OR ARTS)**

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REGULAR MAIN

COURSE CODE: WMB 9404

COURSE TITLE: FOURIER ANALYSIS

**EXAM VENUE:
ARTS)**

STREAM: (BSc. Actuarial Sci /BED (SCI OR

DATE:

EXAM SESSION: TIME: 2.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer question 1 (Compulsory) and ANY other 2 questions**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

QUESTION ONE [COMPULSORY] (30 MARKS)

a) Find the limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \left\{ \frac{-x^{18} + \frac{1}{2}x^{16} - \frac{1}{2}x^{241} + \frac{1}{12}x^{81}}{x^6} \right\}$

[6 Marks]

b) Determine explicitly if the following functions are odd, even or not ;

i) $f(x) = \cos 2x$ is on $-4\pi \leq x \leq 4\pi$ [5 Marks]

ii) $f(x) = \sin x$ on $-\pi \leq x \leq 4\pi$ [5 Marks]

iii) $f(x) = x \sin x$ on $-\pi \leq x \leq 4\pi$ [2 Marks]

iv) $f(x) = x \tan x$ on $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ [2 Marks]

c) Compute the Maclaurin series as far as x^6 term for the following functions

i) $x^2 [\sin(x)]$ [4 Marks]

ii) $\frac{\cos(x^2)}{x^2}$ [3 Marks]

iii) e^{-x} [3Marks]

QUESTION TWO 2 MARKS)

a) Suppose function $f(x)$ is expressible in the Fourier series form

$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum [a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx], [-\pi, \pi]$. Describe fully what you understand by

i) period of f [2 Marks]

ii) f is periodic [2 Marks]

iii) periodic extension of f [3 Marks]

iv) Fourier coefficients of expansion of f [2 Marks]

b) Sketch of graph of four periodic extensions of f defined by $f(x) = 2x^2$ on the interval $[-10, 10]$ [4 Marks]

c) Obtain the full solution of the ordinary differential differential equation

$$y'' - 121y = \begin{cases} x & ; 0 < x < 5 \\ -x & ; 5 \leq x < 10 \end{cases}, \quad [7 \text{ Marks}]$$

QUESTION THREE (20MARKS)

Determine Solution of the heat equation satisfying $u_t = 4u_{xx}$, the condition $0 < x < 1, t > 0$ with the Dirichlet boundary conditions $u(t,0) = u(t,1) = 0, t > 0$ and initial conditions

$$u(0, x) = g(x) = 2x^2, 0 \leq x \leq 1 \quad [20 \text{ Marks}]$$

QUESTION FOUR (20MARKS)

Given real valued function $y = f(x)$ for which $f(x) = \cos x \quad 0 < x < 2\pi$

$$f(x) = f(x + 2\pi)$$

a) State period of $f(x)$ [2 marks]

b) Sketch the graph of $f(x) = \sin x$ over the interval $-6\pi < x < 6\pi$ [8 marks]

c) Find Fourier coefficients for function $f(x) = \cos x$ and state $f(x) = \cos x$ in its Fourier series up to the first ten harmonics Deduce that the series is convergent [5 marks]

d) Find the Fourier half-range sine for $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \\ \pi + x \end{cases}$ [5 marks]

QUESTION FIVE (20MARKS)

a) Given the Fourier series for function $f(x) = \begin{cases} x; & -\pi < x < 0 \\ -x; & 0 \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$

takes the expansion form, $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum [a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx], [-\pi, \pi]$

prove that;

i) $\frac{a_0}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ [2 marks]

ii) $a_n = \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2 \pi} = (-1)^n$ [4 marks]

iii) $b_n = \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2 \pi} = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$ [4marks]

c) i) Show that the functions $\sin mx, \cos mx, e^{imx}, e^{-imx}, m = 0, 1, 2, 3 \dots$ are orthogonal functions on $[-\pi, \pi]$. [5 marks]

ii) Show that the functions $\sin mx, \cos mx, e^{imx}, e^{-imx}$, satisfy the Sturm-Liouville equation $-w''(x) = \lambda w(x), w(-\pi) = w(\pi)$ and $w'(-\pi) = w'(\pi)$. [5 marks]