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SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS AND ACTUARIAL SCIENCE

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
AND ACTUARIAL SCIENCE**

SPECIAL RESIT

MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: SMA 300

COURSE TITLE: Real Analysis

EXAM VENUE:

STREAM: Bed And Act Science

DATE:

EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2.00 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two 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 (30 MARKS)

- a) i) Find a simple expression for the n^{th} term of the following sequence

$$1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots \quad (2\text{marks})$$

- ii) Differentiate between a bounded sequence and a convergence sequence (4marks)

- iii) Determine whether the sequence $\frac{1}{n}$ is bounded (2marks)

- iv) Show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3n+2}{n+1} \right) = 3$ (5marks)

- b) State and prove Bolzano-Weirstrass theorem (5marks)

- c) Suppose that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$ and $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} b_k$ are convergent series. Then prove that

i) $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k + b_k) = \alpha + \beta$ (4marks)

ii) $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c a_k = c \alpha$ (3marks)

- d) i) Define a Riemann integrable function (2marks)

- ii) Prove that the function $f: [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0, & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

is not Riemann integrable (3marks)

QUESTION TWO(20 MARKS)

- a) i) Define a Cauchy sequence (2marks)

- ii) Show that every Cauchy sequence converges (4marks)

- b) i) Prove that if (x_n) is a convergent sequence then its limit is unique (5marks)

- ii) Show that if (x_n) is a sequence that converges to l then every subsequence (x_{n_r}) converges to l (4marks)

- c) Let (x_n) and (y_n) be two sequences converging to l and h respectively as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Then show that $x_n + y_n \rightarrow l + h$ (5marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) i) Define a metric space (4marks)

- ii) Show that (\mathbb{R}, d) is a metric space where $d(x, y) = |x - y|$ (8marks)

- b) Prove that the set $C_R[0,1]$ of all real-valued continuous functions defined on $[0,1]$ is a metric space with respect to the metric defined as

$$d(f, g) = \text{Sup}\{|f(x) - g(x)|: x \in [0,1]\} \text{ where } f, g \in C_R[0,1] \quad (8\text{marks})$$

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) i) What is a monotone sequence (2marks)
ii) Show that if (x_n) is monotonically increasing and is bounded above, then x_n converges to its Supremum (5marks)
- b) i) Define a divergent sequence (2marks)
ii) Show that the sequence $(-1)^n$ is divergent although it is bounded by 1 (4marks)
- c) Prove that a sequence (x_n) is bounded if and only if there is some $K \geq 0$ such that $|x_n| \leq K$ for all n (7marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Let (a_n) be a sequence of positive real numbers and suppose that there is some positive function ψ such that the sequence of integrals $(\int_1^n \psi(x) dx)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ converges as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and such that, for each $k \geq 2$, $a_k \leq \psi(x)$ for all $(k-1) \leq x \leq k$. Show that $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$ is convergent (10marks)
- b) Suppose that $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is bounded. Then f is integrable on $[a, b]$ if for every $\epsilon > 0$ there exist a partition P of $[a, b]$ such that $U(f, P) - L(f, P) < \epsilon$ (10marks)