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**Second Semester M.Sc. Degree (Regular) Examination, March 2018**  
**MATHEMATICS (2017 Admn.)**  
**MAT 2 C09 : Foundations of Complex Analysis**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

## PART – A

Answer **any four** questions from this part. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

1. Evaluate  $\int \frac{z^2+1}{z(z^2+4)} dz$  where  $r(t) = re^{it}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ , for all possible values of  $r$  with  $0 < r < 2$ .

2. Show that the relation homotopy is an equivalence relation on the set of all closed rectifiable curves in a region.

3. Define :

- i) isolated singularity
- ii) removable singularity.

Illustrate with examples.

4. Does there exist an analytic function  $f : D \rightarrow D$  with  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{4}$  and

$$f\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{2}{3} \text{ (where } D = \{z : |z| < 1\}) \text{ ? Why ?}$$

5. Define the set  $C(G, \Omega)$ . Can it be empty ? Why ?

6. Show that  $\prod_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n^2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$ .

(4×4=16)

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## PART – B

Answer **any four** questions from this part without omitting **any** unit.  
Each question carries **16** marks.

## Unit – I

7. a) Let  $G$  be a connected open set and let  $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be an analytic function. Prove that  $f \equiv 0$  if and only if the set  $\{z \in G : f(z) = 0\}$  has a limit point in  $G$ .  
b) State and prove the maximum modulus theorem.
8. a) Define the winding number and prove that it is an integer.  
b) State and prove the first version of Cauchy's integral formula.
9. a) Let  $G$  be a region and let  $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a continuous function such that  $\int_T f = 0$  for every path  $T$  in  $G$ . Prove that  $f$  is analytic in  $G$ .  
b) Let  $G$  be an open set and let  $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a differentiable function. Prove that  $f$  is analytic on  $G$ .

## Unit – II

10. a) State the theorem (no proof) on Laurent series development. Use the Laurent expansion to classify the isolated singularity at a point  $z = a$  of a function  $f$  analytic in  $\{z : 0 < |z - a| < R\}$ . Justify your classification.  
b) State and prove Casaroti-Weierstrass theorem.
11. a) State and prove residue theorem.  
b) Use residue theorem to show that  $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .
12. a) State and prove Schwarz's lemma.  
b) If  $|a| < 1$ , prove that the map  $\varphi_a$  defined by  $\varphi_a(z) = \frac{z - a}{1 - \bar{a}z}$  is a one-one map of  $D = \{z : |z| < 1\}$  onto itself; the inverse of  $\varphi_a$  is  $\varphi_{-a}$ . Also prove that  $\varphi_a$  maps  $\partial D$  onto  $\partial D$ ,  $\varphi_a(a) = 0$ ,  $\varphi_a'(0) = 1 - |a|^2$  and  $\varphi_a'(a) = (1 - |a|^2)^{-1}$ .



**Unit – III**

13. a) Suppose  $F \subset C(G, \Omega)$  is equicontinuous at each point of  $G$ . Prove that  $F$  is equicontinuous over each compact subset of  $G$ .
- b) State and prove Arzela-Ascoli theorem.
14. a) Define the set  $H(G)$ . If  $\{f_n\}$  is a sequence in  $H(G)$  and  $f$  belongs to  $C(G, \mathbb{C})$  such that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  then prove that  $f$  is analytic and  $f_n^{(k)} \rightarrow f^{(k)}$  for each integer  $k \geq 1$ .
- b) Prove that a family  $F$  in  $H(G)$  is normal if and only if  $F$  is locally bounded.
15. a) State (no proof) the Weierstrass factorization theorem.
- b) Let  $G$  be a region and let  $\{a_j\}$  be a sequence of distinct point in  $G$  with no limit point in  $G$ ; and let  $\{m_j\}$  be a sequence of integers. Then prove that there is an analytic function  $f$  defined on  $G$  whose only zeros are at the points  $a_j$  and further that  $a_j$  is a zero of multiplicity  $m_j$ . **(4×16=64)**
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