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Course Code: MTH 381
Course Title: Mathematical Methods III
Credit Unit: 3
Time allowed: 3 Hours
Instruction: Answer Question Number One and Any Other Four Questions

1(a). Define the following terms;

(i) Linearly dependent functions **(2 marks)**

(ii) linearly independent functions **(2 marks)**

(b). Determine whether or not x^2 and e^{-2x} are linearly dependent functions. **(3 marks)**

(c). (i) Find the Jacobian of $u = xy$, and $v = x^2 + y^2$ with respect to x and y . , **(3 marks)**

(ii) If $x^2 + y^2 + u^2 - v^2 = f_1$ and $uv + xy = f_2$, prove that $\frac{\partial(u,v)}{\partial(x,y)} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{u^2 + v^2}$. **(6 marks)**

(d). Evaluate $\int_{-1}^1 \int_0^z \int_{x-z}^{x+z} (x + y + z) dy dx dz$ **(6 marks)**

2(a). Given that Z is the conjugate of a complex number Z .

show that $\overline{z_1 + z_2} = \overline{z_1} + \overline{z_2}$ **(4 marks)**

(b). prove that $|z_1 z_2| = |z_1| |z_2|$ **(4 marks)**

(c). solve the equation $6z^4 - 25z^3 + 32z^2 + 3z - 10 = 0$ **(4 marks)**

3(a). Explain briefly the followings:

(i) Cauchy-Riemann equations **(2 marks)**

(ii) Harmonic function? **(2 marks)**

(b). Determine whether or not $\cos 2Z$ satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann equations **(8 marks)**

4. If $A = (3x^2 - 6yz)i + (2y + 3xz)j + (1 - 4xyz^2)k$, evaluate $\int_C A \cdot dr$ from $(0, 0, 0)$ to

$(1, 1, 1)$ along the following paths C:

(a) $x = t, y = t^2, z = t^3$ **(4 marks)**

(b) the straight lines from $(0, 0, 0)$ to $(0, 0, 1)$, then to $(0, 1, 1)$,
and then to $(1, 1, 1)$. **(5 marks)**

(c) the straight line joining $(0, 0, 0)$ and $(1, 1, 1)$ **(3 marks)**

(d)

5(a). Express $\frac{1+2i}{1-3i}$ in the form $r(\cos\theta + i \sin\theta)$ **(5 marks)**

(b). Convert $12 \cos(-60^\circ) + i \sin(-60^\circ)$ to the rectangular form **(4marks)**

c. Evaluate $\int_0^3 \int_0^2 (4 - y^2) dy dx$ **(3 marks)**

6(a). Determine the poles and the residue at each pole of the function

$$f(z) = \frac{z^2}{(z-1)^2(z+2)}$$
 (6 marks)

(b). Find the residue of $f(z) = \frac{ze^z}{(z-a)^3}$ at its pole **(6 marks)**