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**THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)  
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(CBCSS)

Mathematics

MTH 3C 12—COMPLEX ANALYSIS

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Part A***Answer all questions.**Each question has weightage 1.*

1. If the function  $f$  defined on a domain  $G$  is differentiable at a point  $a$  in  $G$  then prove that  $f$  is continuous at  $a$ .
2. Prove that  $|\exp z| = \exp(\operatorname{Re} z)$ .
3. Prove that  $u(x, y) = \log(x^2 + y^2)$  is harmonic on  $G = \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ .
4. Let  $\gamma$  be the closed polygon  $[1 - i, 1 + i, -1 + i, -1 - i, 1 - i]$ . Find  $\int_{\gamma} \frac{1}{z+2} dz$ .
5. Establish Cauchy's Estimate.
6. Evaluate  $\int_C \frac{2z^2 + z}{z^2 - 1} dz$  where  $C$  is  $|z| = 1$ .
7. If  $G$  is an open set which is  $a$ -star shaped and if  $\gamma_0$  is a curve which is constantly equal to  $a$  then prove that every closed rectifiable curve in  $G$  is homotopic to  $\gamma_0$ .
8. Find the singularities of  $f(z) = \frac{\sin z}{z}$  and identify the type of singularities.

(8 × 1 = 8 weightage)

**Turn over**

## Part B

Answer any **six** questions choosing **two** from each unit.  
Each question has weightage 2.

## UNIT I

9. Prove that  $f(z) = |z|^2 = x^2 + y^2$  has a derivative only at the origin.
10. If  $u$  is a real-valued function defined on a region then prove that  $u$  has a harmonic conjugate if  $u$  is harmonic.
11. Define Cross ratio. Prove that cross ratio remains invariant under Mobius transformation.

## UNIT II

12. Let  $\gamma: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be non-decreasing. Show that  $\gamma$  is of bounded variation and  $V(\gamma) = \gamma(b) - \gamma(a)$ .
13. If  $\gamma: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a closed rectifiable curve and  $a \notin \{\gamma\}$  then prove that  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z-a}$  is an integer.
14. State and prove fundamental theorem of algebra.

## UNIT III

15. Find the image of  $\{z: \operatorname{Re} z < 0, |\operatorname{Im} z| < \pi\}$  under the exponential function.
16. If  $f$  has an essential singularity at  $z = a$  then prove that for every  $\delta > 0$ ;  $f[\operatorname{ann}(a; 0; \delta)] = \mathbb{C}$ .
17. Prove that the function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is convex iff the set  $A = \{(x, y): a \leq x \leq b \text{ and } f(x) \leq y\}$  is convex.

(6 × 2 = 12 weightage)

## Part C

Answer any **two** questions.  
Each question has weightage 5.

18. If for a given power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-a)^n$  the number  $R, 0 \leq R \leq \infty$  is defined by

$$\frac{1}{R} = \limsup |a_n|^{\frac{1}{n}}$$
 then prove the following :

- (a) If  $|z-a| < R$ , the series converges absolutely.
  - (b) If  $|z-a| > R$ , the terms of the series become unbounded and so the series diverges.
  - (c) If  $0 < r < R$  then the series converges uniformly on  $\{z : |z| \leq r\}$ .
19. State and prove open mapping theorem.
20. Show that if  $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a continuous function such that  $f$  is analytic off  $[-1, 1]$  then  $f$  is an entire function.
21. (i) If  $f$  is analytic in a region  $G$  and  $a$  is a point in  $G$  with  $|f(a)| \geq |f(z)|$  for all  $z$  in  $G$  then prove that  $f$  must be a constant function.
- (ii) If  $G$  is a bounded open set in  $\mathbb{C}$  and suppose  $f$  is a continuous function on  $G^-$  which is analytic in  $G$  then prove that  $\max \{|f(z)| : z \in G^-\} = \max \{|f(z)| : z \in \partial G\}$ .

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)