

M.Sc. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,
NOVEMBER 2023.

Fourth Semester

Mathematics – Core

COMPLEX ANALYSIS

(For those who joined in July 2021-2022 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

- A function which satisfies Laplace's equation $\Delta u = 0$ is said to be _____
(a) harmonic (b) Conjugate
(c) compact (d) morera
- A series of the form $a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots$ is called _____ series.
(a) Sequence (b) Laurent
(c) Power (d) Exponential

- If γ lies inside of a circle, then $n(\gamma, a) =$ _____ for all points a outside of the same circle.
(a) 1 (b) 0
(c) -1 (d) 2
- A function which is analytic and bounded in the whole plane must reduce to a _____.
(a) 0 (b) -1
(c) constant (d) Complex number
- The _____ of $f(z)$ at an isolated singularity a is the unique number R such that $f(z) - R/(z-a)$ the derivative of a single valued analytic function in an annulus $0 < |z-a| < \delta$.
(a) Pole (b) Zero
(c) Order (d) Residue
- A cycle γ is said to _____ the region Ω if and only if $n(\gamma, a)$ is equal to 1 for all $a \in \Omega$ and either undefined or zero for $a \notin \Omega$.
(a) Closed (b) Open
(c) Bound (d) Compact

- The points z and z^* are said to be _____ with respect to the circle c through z_1, z_2, z_3 if and only if $(z^* z_1 z_2 z_3) = (\overline{z z_1 z_2 z_3})$
(a) transitive (b) symmetric
(c) reflexive (d) equal
- The cross ratio is _____ under linear transformation.
(a) Constant (b) Same
(c) Equal (d) Invariant
- The integral $\int_{\gamma} f dz$ with continuous f depends only the end points of γ if and only if f is the _____ of an analytic function in
(a) Derivative (b) Integrand
(c) Zero (d) Discontinuous
- The length of a circle with equation $z = z(t) = a + \rho e^{it}, 0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$ is
(a) 2π (b) $2\pi i$
(c) $2\pi \rho$ (d) $\pi \rho$

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).
Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

- (a) Derive Taylor-Maclaurin series from power series.
Or
(b) Expand $\frac{2z+3}{z+1}$ in powers of $z-1$.
- (a) If z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4 are distinct points in the extended plane and T any linear transformation, then prove that $(Tz_1, Tz_2, Tz_3, Tz_4) = (z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4)$.
Or
(b) Find the linear transformation which carries the circle $|z|=2$ into $|z+1|=1$, the point -2 into the origin and the origin into i .
- (a) Prove that $\left| \int_{\gamma} f dz \right| \leq \int_{\gamma} |f| \cdot |dz|$.
Or
(b) If $f(z)$ is analytic in an open disk Δ , then prove that $\int_{\gamma} f(z) dz = 0$ for every closed curve γ in Δ .

14. (a) Define zeros and poles with examples.

Or

- (b) If the piecewise differentiable closed curve γ does not pass through the point a then prove that $\int_{\gamma} \frac{dz}{z-a}$ is a multiple of $2\pi i$.

15. (a) State and prove argument principle.

Or

- (b) Find the residue of the function

$$\frac{e^z}{(z-a)(z-b)}$$

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)
Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Prove that if all zeros of a polynomial $P(z)$ lie in a half plane, then all zeros of the derivative $P'(z)$ lie in the same half plane.

Or

- (b) Derive Cauchy-Riemann equations.

17. (a) Prove that the cross ratio (z_1, z_2, z_3, z_4) is real if and only if the four points lie on a circle or on a straight line.

Or

- (b) Prove the symmetric principle.

18. (a) State and prove Cauchy's theorem for a rectangle.

Or

- (b) Prove that the line integral $\int_{\gamma} p dx + q dy$ defined in Ω depends only on the end points of γ if and only if there exists a function $U(x, y)$ in Ω with the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = p, \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = q$.

19. (a) State and prove Taylor's theorem.

Or

- (b) Derive Cauchy's integral formula.

20. (a) Compute $\int_0^{\pi} \frac{d\theta}{a + \cos \theta}$, $a > 1$ write about definite integral.

Or

- (b) State and prove Cauchy residue theorem.