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Instructions

Answer Five Questions

Symbols have the usual meanings.

QUESTION 1 [28]

Choose at least one correct answer and write your answer on the question paper and hand it in with your examination book.

1.1) The image of the half-plane $\operatorname{Re}(z) > 1$ under the linear transformation $w = f(z) = (1 - i)z + 1 - 2i$ is given by

- (A) $v > u - 5$ (B) $v > u + 5$ (C) $u > v + 5$ (D) $u > v + 1$ (E) None of the above.

1.2) $\lim_{z \rightarrow 1-i} \frac{z^2+z-1-3i}{z^2-2z+2}$

- (A) $-1 + \frac{3}{2}i$ (B) $1 + \frac{3}{2}i$ (C) $1 - \frac{3}{2}i$ (D) $-1 - \frac{3}{2}i$ (E) None of the above.

1.3) The function $f(z) = x^2 + y^2 + i2xy$ is differentiable on ...

- (A) $\{x + iy | x \in \mathbb{R}, y = 0\}$ (B) $\{x + iy | x = 1, y = 0\}$ (C) complex plane (D) nowhere
(E) None of the above.

1.4) $\left\{ \frac{(n+i)(1-ni)}{n^2} \right\}$

- (A) Is divergent. (B) converges to $1 - i$. (C) converges to 0. (D) converges to i .
(E) None of the above.

1.5) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1+i}{3}\right)^n =$

- (A) $\frac{2+i}{5}$ (B) $\frac{6+3i}{5}$ (C) $\frac{6-3i}{5}i$ (D) $\frac{-6-3i}{5}i$ (E) None of the above.

1.6) The disk of convergence for the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{z+i}{6+8i}\right)^n$ is

- (A) $|z + i| < 10$ (B) $|z + i| < 5$ (C) $|6 + 8i| < 5$ (D) $|z + i| < 1$ (E) None of the above.

1.7) Find all values of $z \in \mathbb{C}$ for which $e^z = -1 - i$ hold.

- (A) $\ln(\sqrt{2}) + i\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (B) $\ln(\sqrt{2}) + i\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + 2\pi n\right), n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (C) $\ln(\sqrt{2}) + i\left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + 2\pi n\right), n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (D) none
(E) None of the above.

1.8) Find the principal value of i^i .

- (A) $e^{-i\left(\frac{\pi}{2}+2\pi n\right)}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (B) $e^{-i\left(\frac{\pi}{2}+2\pi n\right)}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ (C) $e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}}$ (D) $e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}}$ (E) None of the above.

1.9) $\int_0^2 \frac{t}{t+i} dt =$

- (A) $2 - \arctan(2) - i\ln(\sqrt{5})$ (B) $2 - i\ln\sqrt{5}$ (C) $2 + i\ln\sqrt{5}$ (D) $\ln(t+i)$
 (E) None of the above.

1.10) Evaluate $\int_C z dz$ where C is the line segment from i to 1 given by the parametrization $z(t) = 1 - t + it, 0 \leq t \leq 1$.

- (A) i (B) $-i$ (C) -1 (D) 1 (E) None of the above.

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QUESTION 2

2.1) Let $f(z) = \frac{z^2}{|z|^2} = \frac{x^2 - y^2 - 2ixy}{x^2 + y^2}$.

2.1.1) Compute $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(z)$ along the line $y = 2x$.

2.1.2) Compute $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(z)$ along $y = x^2$.

2.1.3) Use your answers above to explain whether $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} f(z)$ exists?

[3, 3, 1]

2.2) Let $f(z) = f(x + iy) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ be differentiable at the point $z_0 = x_0 + iy_0$. Prove that the **partial derivatives of u and v** exist at the point (x_0, y_0) and satisfy the equations $u_x(x_0, y_0) = v_y(x_0, y_0)$ and $u_y(x_0, y_0) = -v_x(x_0, y_0)$.

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2.3) Consider the **harmonic** function $u(x, y) = y^3 - 3x^2y$. Use 2.2) to **construct** a harmonic conjugate $v(x, y)$ of $u(x, y)$ such that $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ is **analytic**.

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QUESTION 3

3.1) Compute $\int_C \frac{2z-1}{z^2-z} dz$ where $C: |z| = \frac{1}{2}$. [Hint: Use $\int_C \frac{1}{z-z_0} dz = 2\pi i$, where C is a simple closed contour with positive orientation such that z_0 lies interior to C together with the **Cauchy-Goursat theorem**.]

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3.2) Use the **Cauchy Integral Formula** to compute $\int_C \frac{\sin(z)}{z^2+1} dz$ along the positive oriented contour $C: |z - i| = 1$. [6]

3.3) Use the **Cauchy Integral Formulae for derivatives** to compute $\int_C \frac{1}{(z^2+1)^2} dz$ along the positive oriented contour $C: |z - i| = 1$. [7]

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QUESTION 4

4.1) Consider $f(z) = \frac{1-z}{z-2} = \frac{z-1}{1-(z-1)}$

4.1.1) Use a **geometric series** to compute the **Taylor series** for $f(z)$ centred about $\alpha = 1$. [4,2]
4.1.2) Find the **region of convergence** for the series in 4.1.1.

4.2) Compute the **Laurent series** representation for $f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2-5z+6}$ involving **powers of z** in the domain $2 < |z| < 3$. [6]

4.3) **Classify** the **singularities** (if any) of $f(z) = \frac{\sin(z)}{z^2+z}$. [3]

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QUESTION 5

5.1) Let D be a **simply connected domain** and let C be a **simple closed positively oriented contour** that lies in D . If f is **analytic inside C and on C** , except at the **points z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n that lie inside C** , then **prove** $\int_C f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_{k=1}^n \text{Res}(f, z_k)$. [5]

5.2) Use the **theorem** in 5.1 to show that $\int_C \frac{e^z}{z^3+z} dz = 2\pi i(1 - \cos(1))$, where $C: |z| = 2$ [7]

5.3) Use **residues** to compute $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2+16} dx$. [5]

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