

TOM MBOYA UNIVERSITY

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION
FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
EDUCATION

MMA 300:REAL ANALYSIS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. This paper consists of FIVE questions
2. Attempt questions ONE and any other TWO questions.
3. Observe further instructions on the answer booklet.

SECTION A

QUESTION 1 [30 Marks]

- (a) Define the following.
- (i) Interior point of a set. [1 mk]
 - (ii) Boundary point of a set [1 mk]
- (b) Let $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = n + \frac{1}{n}$. Find the lower and the upperbound of this sequence if it exist. [3 mks]
- (c) State and prove the uniqueness property of limits. [5 mks]
- (d) Show that the sequence $\{s_n\} = \frac{n+1}{n}$ is a Cauchy sequence. [5 mks]
- (e) Use integral test to test the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1}$ for convergence or divergence. [5 mks]
- (f) Use $\epsilon - \delta$ definition of limits to show that $\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} (x^2 + 2x) = 15$ [5 mks]
- (g) Show that the function $f(x) = x^2$ is uniformly continuous on the interval $[-1, 1]$. [5 mks]

QUESTION 2 [20 Marks]

- (a) Prove that the sequence $\{x_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} = (-1)^n$ diverges. [5 mks]
- (b) Let s_n and t_n be sequences of real numbers which converges to s and t respectively. Show that
- $$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n t_n = st$$
- [8 mks]
- (c) Show that a constant function $f(x) = k$ is Riemann integrable in the interval $[a, b]$ hence find the integral. [7 mks]

QUESTION 3 [20 Marks]

- (a) Show that the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & \text{if } x \neq 0; \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$ is continuous at 0 [5 mks]
- (b) Prove that every convergent sequence of real numbers is bounded. [5 mks]
- (c) (i) Prove that a geometric series with ratio r diverges if $|r| \geq 1$ and if $0 < |r| < 1$ the series converges to the sum $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^n = \frac{a}{1-r}$. [7 mks]
(ii) Find the sum of the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3}{2^n}$. [3 mks]

QUESTION 4 [20 Marks]

- (a) Use Cauchy criterion to show that the sequence $\{\frac{(-1)^n}{n}\}$ converges. [6 mks]
- (b) State and prove the Cauchy ratio test for testing the convergence of series. [14 mks]

QUESTION 5 [20 Marks]

- (a) Define the following.
(i) A monotonic sequence. [1 mk]
(ii) an open ball. [1 mk]
(iii) A countable set. [1 mk]
- (b) Prove that arbitrary union of open sets in a metric space is open. [6 mks]
- (c) Test for convergence or divergence of the series given by $\sum \frac{n^2}{3^n}$. [4 mks]
- (d) Prove that the set of real numbers is uncountable. [7 mks]