

M. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2008
BRANCH I - MATHEMATICS
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : COMPLEX ANALYSIS – PART II
TIME : 3 HOURS
MAX. MARKS : 100

SECTION – A (5 X 8 = 40)

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS

1. State and prove the mean value property of harmonic functions.
2. Prove that for $\sigma = \operatorname{Re} s > 1$, $\frac{1}{\zeta(s)} = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - P_n^{-s})$.
3. Prove that a family \mathcal{F} is totally bounded if and only if to every compact set $E \subset \Omega$ and every $\mathcal{E} < 0$ it is possible to find $f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n \in \mathcal{F}$ such that every $f \in \mathcal{F}$ satisfies $d(f, f_j) < \mathcal{E}$ on E for some f_j .
4. State and prove Schwarz-Christoffel formula.
5. Prove that a continuous function $u(z)$ which satisfies the mean value property is necessarily harmonic.
6. Prove that any two bases of the same module are connected by a unimodular transformation.
7. Prove that a nonconstant elliptic function has equally many poles as it has zeros.

SECTION – B (3 X 20 = 60)

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

8. a) State and prove Poisson's integral formula.
b) Prove the functional equation $\zeta(s) = 2^s \pi^{s-1} \sin \frac{\pi s}{2} \Gamma(1-s) \zeta(1-s)$
9. State and prove Arzala's theorem.
10. State and prove Riemann mapping theorem.

11. (a) Prove that $\rho'(z)^2 = 4\rho(z)^3 - g_2\rho(z) - g_3$
- (b) Prove that the zeros a_1, \dots, a_n and the poles b_1, \dots, b_n of an elliptic function satisfy $a_1 + \dots + a_n \equiv b_1 + \dots + b_n \pmod{M}$.

12. a) Prove that
$$\begin{vmatrix} \rho(z) & \rho'(z) & 1 \\ \rho(u) & \rho'(u) & 1 \\ \rho(u+z) & -\rho'(u+z) & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

- b) Prove that the function $P_U(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \operatorname{Re} \frac{e^{i\theta} + z}{e^{i\theta} - z} U(\theta) d\theta$ is harmonic for

$|z| < 1$, and prove that $\lim_{x \rightarrow e^{i\theta_0}} P_U(z) = U(\theta_0)$ provided that U is continuous

at θ_0 .

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