

KISII UNIVERSITY

THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR BACHELOR OF EDUCATION SCIENCE AND BSC  
PURE MATHEMATICS

MATH 313: REAL ANALYSIS II

STREAM: Y3S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Do not write anything on this question paper.

2. Answer questions ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

(a) Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence of elements in  $\mathbb{K}$ . Define convergence of  $\{x_n\}$ .

[2 mks]

(b) Let  $\{a_n\}$  and  $\{b_n\}$  be convergent sequences of elements in  $\mathbb{K}$  with limits  $a$  and  $b$  respectively. Show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{a_n + b_n\} = (a + b)$

[7 mks]

(c) Use ratio test to find the interval and radius of convergence of

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-3)^n}{n+1} (x-2)^2. \quad [7 \text{ mks}]$$

(d) State without proof the Lagrange's mean value theorem

[2 mks]

(e) Assuming the sequence  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} x_n$  converges, show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$ .

[6mks]

(f) Find the values of  $X$  for which the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2x+1)^n}{n^2}$  is convergent.

[6 mks]

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

(a) Using root test method show that the following series converge:

(i)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^2}{2^n}$  [6 mks]

(ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x-1)^n$  [6 mks]

(b) Show that if  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} Z_n$  is absolutely convergent, then  $\sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} Z_n$  is convergent.

[8 mks]

### QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

(a) Show that the function  $f$  defined on  $[0,1]$  by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \text{ is rational} \\ 0, & x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$

is not integrable on  $[0,1]$ . [7 mks]

(b) Let  $f$  be a real-valued function which is bounded on  $[a, b]$ , prove that

$$\int_a^b f(x)dx \leq \int_a^{\bar{b}} f(x)dx. \quad [6 \text{ mks}]$$

(c) Show that if  $f(x) = k$  is a constant function on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f$  is Riemann integrable (i.e  $f \in \mathfrak{R}[a, b]$ ) and find its integral. [7 mks]

### QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

(a) Using ratio test determine convergence of the infinite series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{nx^n}{2^n}$  and hence or otherwise find the radius and interval of convergence. [7 mks]

(b) Find the values of  $x$  for which the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^n x^n$  is convergent using root test method and find the interval of convergence. [7 mks]

(c) Use comparison test to show that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \cdot 2^n}$  is convergent. [6 mks]

### QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

(a) Prove that a bounded monotonic function is a function of bounded variation. [6 mks]

(b) Define without proof the Cauchy's criterion for Riemann-Stieltjes Integrability. [2 mks]

(c) Let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $[a, b]$ , show that  $f$  is Riemann- Stieltjes integrable on  $[a, b]$ . [6 mks]

(d) Prove that  $f(x) = \sin x$  is Riemann Integrable over  $\left[0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$ . [6 mks]

