

FINAL
Alternative Assessment

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Session : April 2020

Programme : Foundation in Business Information Technology (CFPI)

Course : **MAT1215 : Fundamentals of Mathematics**

Date of Examination : 5 August 2020 (Wednesday)

Time : 2:00pm – 4:30pm Reading Time : Nil

Duration : 2 hours 30 minutes

Special Instructions :

This paper consists of **FIVE (5)** questions. Answer **ALL FIVE (5)** questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Materials permitted :

Non-Programmable Calculator

Materials provided :

Formula Booklet 1 & Graph Paper

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Question 1

(a) Simplify each expression:

(i) $(6 - 6x^2 + 3x^3 - 3x^4) - (3x^4 + 3x^3 + 6x^2 - 6)$ (2 marks)

(ii) $\sqrt{108} - \sqrt{48} + \sqrt{12}$ (3 marks)

(b) Factorize each expression completely:

(i) $3x^2 - 192$ (3 marks)

(ii) $5x^2 + 2x - 3$ (2 marks)

(c) Rationalize the denominator of $\frac{\sqrt{2}+2}{\sqrt{5}+1}$. (4 marks)

(d) Simplify $\left(\frac{3x^4y^2}{4x^2y^{-3}}\right)^{-2}$ and express your answer in positive exponents only. (4 marks)

(e) Convert 1.100011×10^{-4} to decimal notation. (1 mark)

(f) Write 200,332,200 in scientific notation. (1 mark)

Question 2

- (a) The monthly revenue and cost functions for a company manufacturing a new model of smartphone were determined to be:

$$R(x) = 800x \text{ and } C(x) = 70x + 300000$$

where x represents the number of units sold.

- (i) Find the profit function. (2 marks)
- (ii) How many smartphones must be sold monthly in order for the company to breakeven? Round your answer to the nearest integer. (3 marks)
- (iii) What is the profit if 5,000 smartphones are sold in a particular month? (1 mark)
- (b) Differentiate the following functions with respect to x :
- (i) $y = 4x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x - 2$ (2 marks)
- (ii) $y = \frac{3}{3x-2}$ (3 marks)
- (c) Determine the following:
- (i) $\int (2x^2 - x + 3) dx$ (1 mark)
- (ii) $\int_1^3 \left(2x - \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 dx$ (5 marks)
- (d) Find the equation of the line passing through the point (3, 4) and parallel to the line $2x + 3y = 6$. (3 marks)

Question 3

- (a) Solve the following linear programming problem graphically:

Maximize: $2x + 5y$

Subject to: $6x + 11y \leq 66$
 $10x + 5y \leq 60$
 $x \geq 0, y \geq 0$

(8 marks)

- (b) Given
- $f(x) = x^2 + 4x - 21$
- .

- (i) Find the vertex of
- $f(x)$
- .

(2 marks)

- (ii) Find the
- x
- and
- y
- intercepts. Hence sketch the graph of
- $f(x)$
- .

(5 marks)

- (iii) Find the area enclosed by the graph
- $f(x)$
- , the
- x
- axis and the lines
- $x = 2$
- and
- $x = 5$
- .

(5 marks)

Question 4

- (a) Given the first four terms of a geometric sequence: -2, 6, -18, 54,...

- (i) Find the 13
- th
- term of the sequence.

(2 marks)

- (ii) Find the sum of the first 12 terms of the sequence.

(3 marks)

- (b) An arithmetic sequence has the 5
- th
- term 22 and the 15
- th
- term 62. Find the 63
- th
- term.

(5 marks)

- (c) If a single sum of RM5,000 is invested at 8% per annum compounded quarterly, what is the total amount of the investment at the end of 6th year?

(4 marks)

(d) A team of student representatives consists of 8 students is to be formed. The team will be chosen from a group of 7 boys and 6 girls. Find the number of teams that can be formed such that each team consists of

(i) 5 girls, (2 marks)

(ii) more boys than girls. (4 marks)

Question 5

(a) Given the matrices $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $C = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & x+1 \\ 3 & 2x-1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find

(i) $A - 2B$, (2 marks)

(ii) $B^{-1}A$, (4 marks)

(iii) value of x if $C = \begin{bmatrix} 4x & x+1 \\ 2 & 2x-1 \end{bmatrix}$ has no inverse. (4 marks)

(b) Solve the following system of equations by the inverse of the coefficient matrix.

$$\begin{aligned} 5x + 2y &= -1 \\ 2x + 7y &= 12 \end{aligned}$$

(5 marks)

(c) A total of 120 office workers of a company were asked whether they own IOS operating system (I) tablet and/or Android operating system (A) tablet, and the information obtained is given below:

$$n(I \cap A) = 12, n(I) = 40, n(A) = 34$$

(i) Represent the information in a Venn Diagram. (3 marks)

(ii) Find the number of office workers that has IOS operating system tablets but not Android operating system tablets. (1 mark)

- (iii) Find the number of office workers that has neither IOS operating system tablets nor Android operating system tablets.

(1 mark)

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