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AMA 1113: FUNDAMENTALS OF MATHS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES: AUGUST 2013

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions to Candidates:

You should have the following for this examination

- *Answer Booklet*
- *Mathematical Tables*
- *Scientific Calculator*

This paper consist of **FIVE** questions in **TWO** sections **A & B**

Answer question **ONE (COMPULSORY)** and any other **TWO** questions
 Maximum marks for each part of a question are as shown
 This paper consists of **THREE** printed pages

SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

Question One

a) Solve the following equations:

(i) $4x^2 - 6x - 10 = 0$ (4 marks)

$8x + 15y = 150$

$12x - 6y = 160$

(ii) (4 marks)

b) Calculate the value of $(1.002)^5$ correct to four places of decimal using the binomial theorem. (7 marks)

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

c) Given that matrix P and matrix A

$$M = P^T \times AP$$

Find matrix M where (7 marks)

d) Evaluate the following:

(i) ${}^{10}C_4$ (2 marks)

(ii) 9P_3 (2 marks)

(iii) ${}^7C_3 \times {}^6P_2$ (4 marks)

SECTION B (Answer any TWO questions from this section)

Question Two

a) Express the following numbers to denary:

(i) 254.452_8 (4 marks)

(ii) 2163_8 (3 marks)

(iii) 1101.011_2 (3 marks)

b) Convert the following numbers into the indicated bases:

(i) $(110111)_2$ to decimal

(ii) $(2C)_{16}$ to octal

- (iii) $(726)_{10}$ to octal (10 marks)

Question Three

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Given that A is the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and B is the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

- a) Find the product AB (4 marks)
 b) Evaluate the following with respect to matrix A (3 marks)
 (i) Det A (8 marks)
 (ii) Co-factor matrix C (5 marks)
 (iii) The inverse of A i.e. A^{-1}

Question Four

The numbers of days the workers of a certain factory are absent in a year are as follows:

45	40	57	44	38	39	42	55	20	45
31	59	37	47	32	22	62	66	57	43
40	11	43	42	33	41	35	33	53	27
25	38	51	46	39	65	17	41	48	32
26	34	32	45	54	65	32	65	63	47

- (i) Prepare a frequency distribution table for grouped data, use classes i.e. (10 – 19, 20 – 29 etc) (8 marks)
 (ii) Calculate the mean (5 marks)
 (iii) Calculate the standard deviation (7 marks)

Question Five

- a) A shelf contains six white covered books and four black covered books. If two books are removed from the shelf. Find the probability that:
 (i) Both are white (3 marks)
 (ii) One is white and one is black (4 marks)
- b) A research team has 8 programmers, 6 analyst and 4 operators. If **FOUR** member of the team are selected at random, calculate the probability that:
 (i) At most one programmer is among the four (5 marks)
 (ii) At least two operators are among the four (5 marks)
 (iii) All the four are analysts (3 marks)