

Mid Semester Examination, 10 April 2024

**MATH3401/3901****Complex Analysis/ Advanced Complex Analysis**  
(2 Unit Course)**Time: 50 Minutes** for working

No perusal time before examination begins

**CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN ONLY FOR WORK WRITTEN ON THIS EXAMINATION SCRIPT.**

FULL WORKING MUST BE SHOWN.

Use the back pages if the space provided is insufficient, and/or for rough working.

Answer **all** questions. Show all working. Questions carry the marks indicated.

Credit will only be given for work written on this examination paper. Total marks are 100.

**Check that this examination paper has 10 printed pages.**

Calculators - Casio FX82 series or UQ approved (labelled) only.

One A4 page (single sided) of hand-written notes permitted.

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1. **[25 marks]** Find the fourth roots of  $-256$ , i.e., find all solutions of  $z^4 + 256 = 0$  in  $\mathbb{C}$ . Express your answers in the form  $x + iy$ , with  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

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(Question 1 continued).

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2. Recall  $\coth z = \cosh z / \sinh z$ .

a) Prove that  $\coth^{-1} z = \frac{1}{2} \log \left( \frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)$ , clearly indicating any restrictions on your domain. [15 marks]

b) Find all solutions of  $\coth z = i$  (express them in the form  $x + iy$ ). [10 marks]

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(Question 2 continued).

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3. (a)[15 marks] Let  $f(z) = |z|^2$ .

(i) Find all points  $z \in \mathbb{C}$  at which  $f$  satisfies the Cauchy-Riemann equations. (Hint: the set is non-empty).

(ii) Find all points  $z \in \mathbb{C}$  at which  $f$  is differentiable (Hint: the set is non-empty). Make sure you justify your answer.

(iii) Show that  $f$  is nowhere analytic in  $\mathbb{C}$ .

(iv) Explain why there is no contradiction between your answers to (ii) and (iii).

(b)[10 marks] Let  $f(z) = \sin z + \cos z$ .

(i) Is  $f$  bounded on  $\mathbb{C}$ ?

(ii) Is there an unbounded subset of  $\mathbb{C}$  on which  $f$  is bounded?

Explain your answers. Note: no marks will be given for an answer without explanation, even if it is correct.

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(Question 3 continued).

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4. (a) [18 marks] Determine the Möbius transformation (viewed as a mapping on  $\overline{\mathbb{C}}$ ) mapping 3 to 0,  $i$  to  $\infty$ , and 0 to  $-3i$ .
- (b) [7 marks] Suppose that a Möbius transformation  $z \mapsto \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$  (viewed as a mapping on  $\overline{\mathbb{C}}$ ) maps  $\infty$  to 0. Can you say anything about any of the coefficients  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$  and  $d$ ?



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