

# PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

## CERTIFICATE IN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

### END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

**DEPARTMENT: COMPUTING AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**COURSE CODE: CICT 0114**

**COURSE TITLE: ELEMENTARY MATHEMATICS**

**CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU**

**EXAM DATE: FRIDAY, 5TH APRIL 2024**

**TIME: 8:00 AM - 11:00AM**

### INSTRUCTIONS

- This exam script has **TWO (2)** sections.
- Read all questions carefully before attempting.
- Answer All questions in Section **A** and any other Three questions in Section **B**.
- Write only your student number on the answer booklet provided.

### SECTION A

**(Answer ALL questions in this section)**

**Question 1:**

a) Determine which numbers in the set are: **[4 marks]**

- i. Natural numbers
- ii. Whole numbers
- iii. Integers
- iv. Rational numbers

$$-8, 9, \frac{-8}{3}, 0, \frac{3}{4}$$

b) Express 0.253 in the form  $\frac{a}{b}$ , where a and b are integers. **[2 marks]**

c) Given that A and B are sets, express  $[A \cap (A' \cap B)]'$  **[4 marks]**

**SECTION B**

**(Answer any THREE (3) questions in this section)**

**Question 2:**

a) Calculate the number of subsets in set  $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ . **[2 marks]**

b) Find  $A \cup (B \cap C)$ , if  $A = \{1, 3, 5\}$ ,  $B = \{2, 4, 6\}$ , and  $C = \{1, 5, 7\}$ . **[3 marks]**

c) Construct the truth table for the following statement: **[5 marks]**

$$(p \vee q) \vee \sim q$$

**Question 3:**

a) Write  $-\frac{21}{49}$  in its lowest form. **[1 mark]**

b) Write two equivalent forms of the following rational numbers: **[4 marks]**

- i.  $3/17$
- ii.  $-5/9$

c) Simplify:  $2x + 4[2 - (5x - 3)]$     **[3 marks]**

d) Solve:  $|3x - 4| = 5$     **[2 marks]**

**Question 4:**

a) Consider the experiment of rolling a die. Let A be the event 'getting a prime number', B be the event 'getting an odd number'. Write the sets representing the events:

- i. A or B    **[2 marks]**
- ii. A and B    **[2 marks]**
- iii. A but not B    **[2 marks]**
- iv. 'not A'.    **[1 mark]**

b) The monthly test scores of a student are given below:

Test	1	2	3	4	5
% Marks	69	71	73	68	74

Based on the above table, find the probability of the student scoring more than 70% in a test. **[3 marks]**

**Question 5:**

a) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  be two matrices. Find matrix BA. **[5 marks]**

b) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for each of the following: **[5 marks]**

i.  $y = (x^2 - 1)^3$

ii.  $y = \frac{3x - 2}{1 - 4x}$

**Question 6:**

A random sample of the life expectancy of residents of for 25 countries in Africa was selected and the following distribution was obtained:

Class	Frequency
48 – 47	2
48 – 52	2
53 – 57	3
58 – 62	3
63 – 67	4
68 – 72	6
73 – 77	3
78 – 82	2

Calculate:

**[10 marks]**

- i. The mean
- ii. The mode
- iii. The median
- iv. The standard deviation

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