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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM AND ENERGY STUDIES
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Course: Theory of real functions	Semester: III
Program: B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics	Time: 03 hrs.
Course Code: MATH 2010	Max. Marks: 100
Instructions: All questions are compulsory.	

SECTION A (Each question carries 4 marks)

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Q1	Consider the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x = \frac{1}{n}, \text{ where } n \in \mathbb{N} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ Then find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$.	CO1
Q2	Give one example in support of each of the following statements- a. Let A be a nonempty subset of \mathbb{R} , such that the derived set A' of A is empty. Then there exists a function $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ which is continuous. b. Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function and A is a bounded subset of \mathbb{R} then $f(A)$ is bounded.	CO2
Q3	Find the Taylor's polynomial of degree 6 for the function $\cos x$ about $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$.	CO4
Q4	Find the value of c of Cauchy's mean value theorem for the functions $f(x) = x^3, g(x) = x^2$ in the interval $[1,2]$.	CO4
Q5	Consider the following function defined on the interval $[a, b]$ $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{q}, & \text{if } x = \frac{p}{q}, p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{N}, q > 0 \text{ and } \gcd(p, q) = 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ Find the points of local minima of $f(x)$.	CO3

SECTION B (Each question carries 10 marks)

Q6	Prove that Thomae's function is continuous at $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ but discontinuous at \mathbb{Q} .	CO2
Q7	Consider the set $S = [0,1] \setminus \left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right)$. Consider a function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that $f(x) = \inf\{ x - y : y \in S\}$ Draw the graph of $f(x)$ and hence find the set of points where f is not differentiable.	CO3

Q8	Using Lagrange's mean value theorem prove that $\tan^{-1} x - \tan^{-1} y < x - y$, where $x > y$.	CO3
Q9	Show that $\log_e(1 + e^x) = \log_e 2 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{8} - \frac{x^4}{192} + \dots$ and hence deduce that $\frac{e^x}{1+e^x} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{4} - \frac{x^3}{48} + \dots$ OR State and prove Taylor's theorem with Cauchy's form of remainder.	CO4
SECTION-C (This question carries 20 marks)		
Q 10	Let $f(x)$ be defined on \mathbb{R} such that $ f(x) \leq x \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y) \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ then show that $f(x)$ is continuous on \mathbb{R} and $f(x) = cx$.	CO2
Q 11	Consider a function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ such that $ f(x) \leq x^2$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$. Prove that $f(x)$ is differentiable at 0 by using Sandwich theorem. OR Prove that between any two roots of $e^x \sin x = 1$, there is at least one root of $e^x \cos x + 1 = 0$.	CO3