

**CANADIAN BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS**

**C-1 MATHEMATICS**

**March 2024**

Although programmable calculators may be used, candidates must show all formulae used, the substitution of values into them, and any intermediate values to 2 more significant figures than warranted for the answer. Otherwise, full marks may not be awarded even though the answer is numerically correct.

**Note:** This examination consists of 10 questions on 2 pages.

**Marks**

Q. No

Time: 3 hours

Value   Earned

1.	<p>(a) Find</p> $\sum_{n=1}^{2024} \frac{1}{n^2 + 3n + 2}$ <p>Hint: use partial fractions and telescoping series</p> <p>(b) Find the limit of the following geometric series</p> $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2n - 1$	10	
2.	<p>If you were to make a nonstop flight from the city of Dayton, Ohio (<math>39^{\circ}</math> to Tokyo (<math>35^{\circ}39'N, 139^{\circ}45'E</math>) by the shortest route, in which direction you start your flight?</p>	10	
3.	<p>(a) Find the eigenvalues of</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ <p>and find one eigenvector for each eigenvalue.</p> <p>(b) Find <math>a, b, c, d, \lambda_1, \lambda_2</math> in</p>	10	
4.	<p>(a) An orthogonal matrix is one whose column vectors form an orthonormal basis. The vectors of an orthonormal basis all have length 1 and are orthogonal to each other. Find <math>a, b</math> for the orthogonal matrix</p> $\begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.4 & x \\ 0.7 & a & y \\ \sqrt{0.26} & b & z \end{bmatrix}$	10	
5.	<p>The electric power (in <math>W</math>) produced by a certain source is given by</p> $P = \frac{144r}{(r + 0.6)^2}$ <p>where <math>r</math> is the resistance in ohms in the circuit. For what value of <math>r</math> is the power <math>P</math> maximised?</p>	10	

6.	<p>(a) The Arcadium arcade in Lynchburg, Tennessee uses 3 different tokens for their game machines. For \$20 you can purchase any of the following mixtures of tokens: 14 gold, 20 silver, and 24 bronze; 15 silver, and 19 bronze; OR, 30 gold, 5 silver, and 13 bronze. What is the monetary value of the silver token?</p> <p>(b) Use Cramer's Rule to find <math>y</math> in terms of <math>a</math> and <math>b</math> when you</p> $\begin{bmatrix} a & b & b^2 \\ 1 & x & 1 \\ 1 & a & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x \\ a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ a \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$	10	
7.	<p>(a) Provide the second derivative (the derivative of the derivative) of the following function in its simplest form.</p> $f(x) = 5x - \frac{3}{x-2}$ <p>(b) Provide the second derivative (the derivative of the derivative) of the following function in its simplest form.</p>	10	
8.	<p>Find the equation of the tangent line to the curve</p> $y = \frac{1}{5 \sin x + 2 \cos x}$	10	
9.	<p>(a) Find the following indefinite integral</p> $\int x^2 \ln x \, dx$ <p>(b) Find the function <math>y = f(x)</math> whose function graph passes through the point <math>(1, 2)</math> and whose derivative is</p>	10	
10.	Find the three cube roots of the complex number 64 and provide them in rectangular form $a+bi$ .	10	
<b>Total Marks:</b>		100	