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SECOND TRIMESTER, 2020/2021 SESSION

TEST 1 (AFE) MATHEMATICS I (PMT0101)

11th March 2021 2.00 p.m. – 3.15 p.m. (1 hour 15 minutes)

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Question	Mark
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INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENT

- 1) Show **intermediate** working steps in order to obtain maximum scores.
- 2) Working steps have to be **handwritten**, not typewritten.
- 3) Before submitting, make sure you go through your work to ensure it is **neat and legible**.
- 4) Make sure you write your full name and ID number on the first page of your script.
- 5) Name this file as follows: <your ID no.>_Test 1 (AFE), for example 1234567890_Test 1 (AFE).
- 6) Submit via Google Classroom in **PDF** format.

Question 1

a) Rationalize the numerator for
$$\frac{\sqrt{2}-3}{\sqrt{2}+3}$$
. (2 marks)

b) Simplify the expression
$$\frac{x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x + 12}{x^2 - 9}$$
. (2 marks)

Question 2

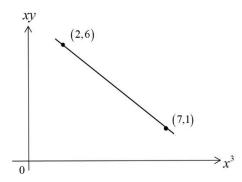
a) Find the value of q given the equation has one real solution.

$$x^2 + 4x + q = 0 \tag{1 mark}$$

- b) Given the length and width of a rectangle are x and $\sqrt{2+x}$, respectively. Find the value(s) of x if the perimeter of the rectangle is 20 units². (3 marks)
- c) Find the domain of $h(x) = \frac{x-1}{\sqrt{x^2 x 6}}$. Note: Show clearly your Sign Diagram and give your final answer in interval notation. (4 marks)

Question 3

- a) Find an equation of the line that passes through the point (0,3) and the centre of the circle, $3x^2 + 3y^2 + 6x 12y 9 = 0$. Express the line equation in the slope-intercept form. (4.5 marks)
- b) Two variables, x and y are related by an equation $y = ax^2 + \frac{b}{x}$ where a and b are constants. The figure below shows the linear line graph by plotting Y = xy against $X = x^3$. The linear line passes through the points (2,6) and (7,1).



Find the values of a and b.

(3.5 marks)

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