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**MH1100 & SM2MH1100 – Calculus I**

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Midterm Test

90 minutes

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Do not turn over the pages until you are told to do so.
2. Write down your name, tutorial group, and matriculation number.
3. This test paper contains **SIX (6)** questions and comprises **SEVEN (7)** printed pages. Question 6 is optional.
4. The marks for each question are indicated at the beginning of each question.

For graders only	Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
	Marks							

**QUESTION 1.**

**(3 marks)**

Use the  $\epsilon, \delta$  definition of a limit to prove the following statement

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3} \left( \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{2}{3}.$$

**QUESTION 2.****(5 marks)**

Find the limits if exist.

(a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x^4 + \sqrt{x} - 2}{x^2 + \cos x + e^x}$

(b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{2 - \sqrt{4 - x^2}}{2x}$

(c)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 1}{(x - 2)^2}$

(d)  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{(x + 2h)^2 - (x - 3h)^2}{5h} \right]$

(e)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} \left( \frac{1}{1 - x} - \frac{3}{1 - x^3} \right).$

**QUESTION 3.****(4 marks)**

Show that there is at least one root of the equation

$$\sin x = x + \frac{1}{2}$$

between  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

**QUESTION 4.****(4 marks)**

Find the value of  $a$  that makes the following function continuous for all  $x$ -values.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x > 0; \\ a + x, & x \leq 0. \end{cases}$$

**QUESTION 5.****(4 marks)**

Consider the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right), & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

- (a) Show that  $f(x)$  is continuous in its domain.
- (b) Find the derivative of  $f(x)$  at  $x = 0$  if exists.

**QUESTION 6 (Optional).****(1 bonus mark)**

Suppose  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are continuous functions on the interval  $I$ . Let

$$F(x) = \max \{f(x), g(x)\} \quad \text{and} \quad G(x) = \min \{f(x), g(x)\}.$$

Show that both  $F(x)$  and  $G(x)$  are continuous on  $I$ .