The Open University of Sri Lanka Department of Mathematics B. Sc/ B. Ed Degree Programme No Book Test - 2019/ 2020 Pure Mathematics- Level 03



PEU3301 - Foundations of Mathematics

Duration: One Hour:

Date: 01 - 08 - 2020 Time: 2.30 p.m. - 3.30 p.m.

ANSWER All Questions Total Marks = 100

Q1) Find gcd(252, 336) and lcm(252, 336).

Q2) Show that the interval $(2020, +\infty)$ is not bounded above. 10 marks

Q3) Prove that the set given by the interval (0, 2020] does not have a minimum.

10 marks

Q4) Let $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 - 3x + 2 < 0\}.$

(a) Sketch A on the number line. 10 marks

(b) Prove that both $\sup A$ and $\inf A$ exist.

(c) Find sup A and inf A.

(d) Prove your answers. 15 marks

Q5) Show that the number $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{5}}$ is algebraic.