

Centre for Preparatory Studies (CPS)

Math Unit

Math for Computer Science (FPMC 101A)

Midterm Exam – Model Paper

Term 1 Fall, 2024-25

Student Name					
Student ID					Date: 21/10/2024
Section	1				Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes
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General Instructions

- Place your DU ID card on your desk throughout the examination period.
- Read the task instructions carefully.
- Use only a blue or black pen. (Pencil is allowed only for writing tasks)
- Not allowed to use programmable calculators and/or smart-watches/phones or any other smart devices inside the exam hall.
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Signature of the student _____

Marking Grid					
Question 1		5	Question 3		10
Question 2		5	Question 4		10
Total					30

Marked by: _____	Moderated/ Checked by: _____
Signature: _____ Date: _____	Signature: _____ Date: _____

Question 1: Classify each number as a rational “ Q ” or irrational “ H ” number.

(5 Marks)

-1	
0.6666	
0	
$\frac{3}{4}$	
π	

Question 2: Fill the blanket with the best answer: (5 Marks)

Commutative (Addition):	$3 + 4 = \underline{\quad}$
Commutative (Multiplication):	$2 \times \underline{\quad} = 3 \times 2$
Associative (Addition):	$(3 + 4) + 7 = 3 + (4 + \underline{\quad})$
Associative (Multiplication):	$(6 \times 5) \times 4 = 6 \times (5 \times \underline{\quad})$
Commutative	$11 + 5 = \underline{\quad}$

Question 3: Perform the indicated operation, then simplify: (10 Marks)

a) $-4\frac{1}{2} + 1\frac{2}{3} =$

(2 Marks)

b) $\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{-1}{3} =$

(2 Marks)

c) $(xy^2 - 2y - 5) - (2xy^2 + 9y + 4) =$

(3 Marks)

d) $(x + 1)(x - 2) =$

(3 Marks)

Question 4: Factor the following expressions: (10 Marks)

a) $x^2 - 144 =$

(3 Marks)

b) $x^2 + 144 =$

(1 Mark)

c) $y^2 - 2y + 1 =$

(3 Marks)

d) $y^2 + 3y + 2 =$

(3 Marks)

End of Model paper Midterm Exam

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