The Open University of Sri Lanka B.Sc/B.Ed. Degree Programme Continuous Assessment Test (OBT) - 2015/2016 Pure Mathematics - Level 04 PUU2140/PUE4140- Sequences and Series Duration: - One hour



Date: - 19-04-2016

Time: - 4:15pm - 5.15pm.

- 01. (i) Find two sequences  $\langle x_n \rangle, \langle y_n \rangle$  such that  $\langle x_n + y_n \rangle = \langle 1 \rangle$  and  $\langle x_n y_n \rangle = \langle 0 \rangle$ .
  - (ii) Find two unbounded sequences  $\langle x_n \rangle, \langle y_n \rangle$  such that  $\langle x_n + y_n \rangle$  is bounded.
  - (iii) Find two sequences  $\langle x_n \rangle, \langle y_n \rangle$  such that both  $\langle x_n \rangle, \langle y_n \rangle$  converge to 0 and for each

 $n \in \mathbb{N}, x_n < y_n$ .

(iv) Let x be a positive real number. Prove that  $\left\langle \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right)^n \right\rangle$  is strictly increasing.

02. (i) Use  $\varepsilon$  - definition of limit to prove that  $\lim_{n} \frac{n+1}{2n+3} = \frac{1}{2}$ .

(ii) Suppose  $\langle x_n \rangle$  is a sequence such that for each  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : |x_n - x| \ge \varepsilon\}$  is a finite set. Does it follow that  $\langle x_n \rangle$  converge to x?. Justify your answer.

(iii) Use the definition of limit to prove that  $\lim_{n} \frac{n^2 + 2}{n+1} = \infty$ .