

## ACADEMIC YEAR 2023 - 2024

Program	Semester	Term	Paper
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MODULE NAME:	<b>BASIC MATHEMATICS I</b>		
MODULE CODE:	<b>FMTH003</b>	EXAM DATE:	<b>03/01/2024</b>
INSTRUCTOR's NAME:	<b>Dr Taofeek</b>	DURATION:	<b>1 hr 30mins</b>

<b>Questions to be answered on:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Space provided on the question paper	<b>Allowed tools:</b> Pen, Pencil & Calculator	<b>Number of pages</b> (Incl. cover page): <b>07</b>
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### Points of attention:

- For each question, the maximum earned points are mentioned between brackets at the end of each question.
- Write very clearly! Answers that are not readable are not marked and don't get points!
- Make sure your answers are written to the point.
- All answers must be written **in English**.
- Write all the answers **in blue or black pen only**.
- When finished, submit the question paper, together with the answer scripts and the signed cover page to the invigilator.
- Cheating / copying is not allowed and will result in failing the exam.

### FINAL MARKS

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Number of answer scripts:.....

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### Question 1

[2 Marks]

The cardboard milk container has a volume of  $2500\text{cm}^3$ . What is the equivalent amount of milk in litres that the carton can hold?

### Question 2

[4 Marks]

Find the indicated set if  $U = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$ ,  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$ ,  $B = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$ ,  $C = \{7, 8, 9, 10\}$ .

a.  $B' \cap C$  (2 marks)

b.  $(A' \cup B) \cup C$  (2 marks)

**Question 3**

**[3 Marks]**

Simplify the following expression given below and eliminate any negative exponents.

$$(3a^4b^{-2})^3(a^2b^{-1})$$

#### Question 4

[4 Marks]

Express the following repeating decimal given below as a fraction.

a.  $5.\overline{23}$

(2 marks)

b.  $1.\overline{37}$

(2 marks)

### Question 5

[3 Marks]

Evaluate the expression given below.

$$1 + \frac{5}{8} - \frac{1}{6}$$

**Question 6**

**[4 Marks]**

The speed of light is about 300,000 km/s. Given that the distance from the earth to the sun is about  $1.5 \times 10^8$  km, calculate the time required for a light ray to travel from the Sun to the Earth?

## Formula Sheet

### Units Conversion Table

$1 \text{ km} = 1000 \text{ m}$	$1 \text{ m} = 100 \text{ cm}$
$1 \text{ cm} = 10 \text{ mm}$	$1 \text{ kg} = 1000 \text{ g}$
$1 \text{ g} = 1000 \text{ mg}$	$1 \text{ l} = 1000 \text{ ml}$
$1 \text{ tonne} = 1000 \text{ kg}$	$1 \text{ cm}^3 = 1 \text{ ml}$
$1 \text{ foot} = 12 \text{ inches}$	$1 \text{ litre} = 1000 \text{ cm}^3$

### MLO & Bloom's Level of Complexity

Q #	MLO Addressed	Complexity Level	Mark	Remark
1		Application	2	Expect 90% to solve
2		Analyse	4	75% students can solve
3		Analyse	3	Expect 100% to solve
4		Understanding /Analyse	4	Expect 80% to solve
5		Understanding	3	Expect 80% to solve
6		Application	4	Expect 100% to solve

### References:

Barnett, R. *et al.* (2011) *College Algebra with Trigonometry*. 9th edn. New york: Mcgraw Hill.  
 Stewart, J., Redlin, L. and Watson, S. (2017) *Precalculus Mathematics for Calculus*. 7th edn. Cengage.