



**BERJAYA BUSINESS SCHOOL**

**FINAL EXAMINATION**

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Subject Code & Name : **BBM1303 MATHEMATICS FOR BUSINESS**  
Semester & Year : May – August 2017  
Lecturer/Examiner : Ms. Faridah Hanum Amran  
Duration : 3 Hours

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

1. **This question paper consists of 2 parts:**  
**PART A (30 marks) : THIRTY (30) multiple-choice questions. Answers are to be written in the Answer Booklet provided.**  
**PART B (70 marks) : FOUR (4) problem solving questions. Answers are to be written in the Answer Booklet provided.**
2. **Candidates are not allowed to bring any unauthorized materials except writing equipment into the Examination Hall. Electronic dictionaries are strictly prohibited.**
3. **This question paper must be submitted along with all used and/or unused rough papers and/or graph paper (if any). Candidates are NOT allowed to take any examination materials out of the examination hall.**
4. **Only ballpoint pens are allowed to be used in answering the questions, with the exception of multiple-choice questions, where 2B pencils are to be used.**

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**Total Number of pages = 10 (Including the cover page)**

**PART B : PROBLEM SOLVING QUESTIONS (70 MARKS)**

**INSTRUCTION(S) : FOUR (4) problem solving questions. Answer ALL questions in the Answer Booklet(s) provided.**

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**Question 1**

- a. Fitri has to pay RM 1,200 every month for 360 months to settle a housing loan at 4% compounded monthly. Calculate the original value of the loan. (4 Marks)
- b. Amy bought a piece of land for RM 30, 460.16. She made a down payment of RM 10,000 and the balance was financed through a bank. She had to pay RM 400 a month to settle the loan. If the bank charged 12% compounded monthly, determine the number of payments that will settle the loan. (6 Marks)
- c. A debt of RM 4,400 due in two years and another RM 7700 due in seven years will be settled by making a single payment four years from now. Find the total payment assuming that money is worth 5% compounded quarterly. Use the fourth year as the focal date. (7 Marks)
- d. Aliyah invests RM 2,600 in a fund that promises to give interest of 6% compounded semi-annually. Find the amount at the end of four years. (3 Marks)

**[Total: 20 marks]**

**Question 2**

A company produces two types of fabric detergents, Fragrant and Antibac. The production capacity of the company is 5,000 bottles daily. The company needs to produce at least 1,500 bottles of Fragrant and at least 2,500 bottles of Antibac daily to satisfy customers' demand. The profits obtained from Fragrant and Antibac are RM 10 and RM 15 per bottle, respectively. Using the graphical method, find the number of bottles for each type of detergent that must be produced daily in order to obtain maximum profit. What is the maximum profit?

**[Total: 20 marks]**

### Question 3

- a. The total revenue in ringgit per month of a product,  $R(x)$  is given by  $R(x) = 40x - 0.08x^2$ , where  $x$  is the number of units produced and sold per month. Find:
- i.  $R(50)$  (2 Marks)
  - ii. the average revenue function (2 Marks)
  - iii. the average revenue when 50 units are sold (2 Marks)
  - iv. the marginal revenue function (2 Marks)
  - v. the marginal revenue when 50 units are sold. (2 Marks)
- b. Solve  $\log(x + 3) + \log x = 1$ . (4 Marks)
- c. Condense each expression to a single logarithm.
- i.  $20 \log_6 u + 5 \log_6 v$  (2 Marks)
  - ii.  $4 \log_3 u - 20 \log_3 v$  (2 Marks)
  - iii.  $2(\log 2x - \log y) - (\log 3 + 2 \log 5)$  (2 Marks)

**[Total: 20 marks]**

### Question 4

Solve the following system of equations by Cramer's rule:

$$-1x - 8y - 5z = 143$$

$$-6x - 3y + 7z = -81$$

$$2x + 9y - 4z = -41$$

**[Total: 10 marks]**

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**