

**Part A**

- Determine if the following sets are bounded above. If so, find the least upper bound. Are they bounded below? If so, find the greatest lower bound.
  - $\{x \in \mathbb{R} | x < 0 \text{ and } x^2 + 2x > 0\}$
  - $\{\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, -\frac{3}{4}, \dots\}$
  - $\{1 - .9, 1 - .99, 1 - .999, 1 - .9999, \dots\}$
- Let  $A = \{\sin(x) | \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{7\pi}{4}\}$ 
  - Show that  $A$  is bounded above and below.
  - Find  $\sup(A)$  and  $\inf(A)$ . Show your work.
  - Is  $\sup(A)$  a member of  $A$ ? Is  $\inf(A)$  a member of  $A$ ?
- Let  $A$  be a non-empty subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  which is bounded above.
  - Show that  $-A$  is bounded below, where  $-A = \{-a | a \in A\}$ .
  - Let  $w = \sup(A)$ . Prove that  $\inf(-A) = -w$ .
- Suppose  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$  and  $B \subset A$  is non-empty. What can you conclude about  $\inf(A)$  and  $\inf(B)$ ? Prove your result.

**Part B**

- Find the least integer  $k$  such that  $4^k > k^4$  for all  $n \geq k$ . Prove by induction that your answer is correct.
- Consider the set  $A = \{2.1, -2.3, 2.11, -2.33, 2.111, -2.333, \dots\}$ .
  - Write a general expression for the  $2n^{\text{th}}$  and  $(2n + 1)^{\text{st}}$  elements.
  - Find the set  $B$  of upper bounds of  $A$  and the set  $C$  of lower bounds of  $A$ .
  - What is  $\inf(A)$ ? Prove your answer is correct.
  - What is  $\sup(A)$ ? Prove your answer is correct.
  - Find  $r \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $r \notin B \cup C$ .
- Let  $a > 0$ . What is  $\inf\{\frac{a}{n} | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ ? Prove that your answer is correct.