

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE EXAMINATION, 2024

(1st Year, 1st Semester)

MATHEMATICS

PAPER : MAJOR – 101

(Real Analysis)

Time : 2 Hours

Full Marks : 40

Use a separate Answer-Script for each Part.

PART—I

(Marks : 20)

Answer *any five* questions :

(4×5=20)

1. Show that the set $[0, 1]$ is uncountable. 4
2. Let F be an Archimedean ordered field. Show that if F satisfies least upper bound property then F has Cantor's nested interval property. 4
3. Show that interior of a set is the largest open set contained in the set. Find the derived set of $\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{Q}^c$. 2+2

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4. Prove that in \mathbb{R} finite intersection of open sets is open. Give an example to show that arbitrary intersection of open sets may not be open. 2+2
5. Find the closure of the set $\{m + n\sqrt{2} : m, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$. 4
6. Prove that every closed and bounded set in \mathbb{R} is compact. 4
7. Show that an element x_0 is a limit point of a set S if and only if there exists a sequence $\{x_n\}$ of elements from $S \setminus \{x_0\}$ converging to x_0 . 4
8. Prove that the set $S = \{x \in \mathbb{Q} : 2 < x^2 < 3\}$ is both closed and open in \mathbb{Q} . Justify whether the set S is compact or not. 2+2

PART—II

(Marks : 20)

Answer *any four* questions :

1. (a) If the subsequences $\{x_{3n-2}\}$, $\{x_{3n-1}\}$ and $\{x_{3n}\}$ of a sequence $\{x_n\}$ converge to the same limit ℓ , then prove that $\{x_n\}$ converges to ℓ .
- (b) Prove that $n^{1/n} \rightarrow 1$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ 3+2

2. Define nests of intervals. For any nest of closed intervals $\{[a_n, b_n]\}$, prove that there exists a unique real number x such that $x \in [a_n, b_n] \forall n$. 1+4

3. Prove that $\left\{ \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \right\}$ is convergent and

$$\cancel{2 \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \leq 3.}$$

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$$2 < \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n < 3.$$

4. (a) Prove that the sequence $\{u_n\}$ defined by $u_1 = \sqrt{7}$ and $u_{n+1} = \sqrt{7u_n} \forall n \geq 1$, converges to 7.

- (b) If $\{x_n\}$ is a bounded sequence and $\{y_n\}$ converges to 0, then prove that $\{x_n y_n\}$ converges to 0. 3+2

5. (a) Let $\sum u_n$ and $\sum v_n$ be two series of positive real numbers and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \ell$. If $\ell \neq 0$, then prove that

$\sum u_n$ and $\sum v_n$ converge or diverge together.

- (b) If $\sum u_n$ is a convergent series of positive real numbers,

then prove that $\sum \frac{u_n}{s + u_n}$ is convergent for any non-

zero real number $s > 0$. 3+2

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6. (a) Test the convergence of the following series :

$$\sum \frac{a^n}{n}, \quad a > 0$$

- (b) Test the convergence of the following series :

$$\frac{1+2}{2^3} + \frac{1+2+3}{3^3} + \frac{1+2+3+4}{4^3} + \dots \quad [3+2]$$

7. Let $\sum a_n$ be a convergent series of positive real numbers.

- (i) Prove that the sequence of n th partial sum of the series is bounded above.
- (ii) If $\{a_n\}$ is monotonically decreasing sequence, then prove that $na_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. [2+3]



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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE EXAMINATION, 2024

(1st Year, 2nd Semester)

MATHEMATICS

PAPER : MAJOR - 104

(Theory of Real Functions)

Time : Two Hours

Full Marks : 40

Use separate sheet for each Part.
Symbols and notations have their usual meanings.

PART—I (Marks : 20)

Answer *any four* questions.

1. (i) Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous on \mathbb{R} and $f(x_0) > c$ for some x_0 in \mathbb{R} . Then show that there exists a $\delta > 0$ such that $f(x) > c \quad \forall x \in (x_0 - \delta, x_0 + \delta)$.
- (ii) Let $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : e^x + \sin x > 1\}$. Justify whether S is open in \mathbb{R} or not? 3+2
2. (i) Let $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. Then show that f is uniformly continuous iff $\lim_{x \rightarrow a+} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow b-} f(x)$ exist finitely.

- (ii) Hence or otherwise show that $f : (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = 1/x$ is not uniformly continuous. 4+1

3. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be such that f satisfies Cauchy functional equation

$$f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$$

If f is continuous at a point $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$, then show that f is continuous on \mathbb{R} and there exists a constant c in \mathbb{R} such that

$$f(x) = cx \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R} \quad 5$$

4. Let $X, Y \subset \mathbb{R}$ and $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a function which is invertible. Let $x_0 \in X$ and $f(x_0) = y_0$. If f is differentiable at x_0 and f^{-1} is continuous at y_0 , $f'(x_0) \neq 0$, then prove that f^{-1} is differentiable at y_0 and

$$(f^{-1})'(y_0) = \frac{1}{f'(x_0)} \quad 5$$

5. Let $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function such that f is differentiable at every point of $[a, b]$. If $f'(a) < \gamma < f'(b)$, then show that there exists $c \in (a, b)$ such that $f'(c) = \gamma$. Hence or otherwise show that if f is differentiable on $[a, b]$, then f' cannot have any simple discontinuities. 4+1

6. (i) Show that $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = x^2$ is not uniformly continuous on \mathbb{R} .

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- (ii) Find the differential of the function $f(x) = x^3$ at the point $x = 3$. 3+2

PART—II (Marks : 20)

Answer the following questions.

1. [CO-1] :

State and prove Taylor's theorem with Cauchy's form of remainder. 5

(OR)

Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} (\cos x)^{\cot^2 x}$

Show that $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{\pi}{2^{n+1}} (n \in \mathbb{Z}_+)$. 2½+2½

2. [CO-3] :

Define convex function.

If $a, b, c > 0$ and $a + b + c = 1$, then find the minimum value

of $\left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right)^{10} + \left(b + \frac{1}{b}\right)^{10} + \left(c + \frac{1}{c}\right)^{10}$. 1+4

(OR)

Let I be an open interval and $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be such that $f''(x)$ exists on I . Then prove that f is a convex on I iff $f''(x) \geq 0 \, \forall x \in I$. 5

3. [CO-2] : Answer *any two* :

5×2=10

(a) If $y = e^{a \sin^{-1} x}$, then show that

$$(1 - x^2) y_{n+2} - (2n + 1) x y_{n+1} - (n^2 + a^2) y_n = 0$$

Find y_n (n even) when $x = 0$.

(b) Find all the asymptotes of the curve

$$(x + y)^2 (x + 2y + 2) - x - 9y + 2 = 0$$

(c) Find the volume of the solid obtained by revolving the cardioid $r = a(1 + \cos \theta)$ about the initial line.

