

# **1 Topology**

## **1.1 Set theory**

Cardinal Numbers, Schröder-Bernstein Theorem, Cantor's Theorem, Cardinal Arithmetic, Continuum Hypothesis, Zorn's Lemma, Axiom of Choice, Well-Ordered Sets, Maximum Principle, Ordinal Numbers.

## **1.2 Topological spaces**

Definition and examples of topological spaces, closed sets, closure, dense subsets, neighborhood, interior, exterior and boundary, accumulation point, derived set, bases and subbases, subspace topology, finite product of topological spaces, neighbourhood system.

## **1.3 Functions on topological spaces**

Open, closed and continuous functions and homeomorphism, topological invariants, isometry and metric invariants.

## **1.4 Countability and separability**

Countability Axioms: First and second countability, separability and Lindelöf property, Hausdorff spaces. Separation Axioms: Regularity, normality (Definitions).

## **1.5 Compactness**

Compactness: Characterisations and basic properties, Alexander subbase theorem, compactness and separation axioms, compactness and continuous functions, sequentially, Frechet and countably compact spaces, compactness in metric spaces. Characterisation of compact metric spaces, equicontinuity, Ascoli-Arzelà Theorem, Stone-Weierstrass Theorem.

## **1.6 Connectedness**

Connectedness: Connected sets and their characterisations, connectedness of the real line, components, totally disconnected space, locally connected space, path connectedness, path components, locally path connected space. Quotient topology.