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**3 (Sem 4) MAT M1**

**2015**

**MATHEMATICS**

**(Major)**

Theory Paper : M-4.1

**(Real Analysis)**

Full Marks – 80

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions.

1. Answer the following as directed :  $1 \times 10 = 10$ 
  - (a) Give an example of a set which is not an interval but is a neighbourhood of each of its points.
  - (b) Define an open subset of real numbers.

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(c) The set of limit points of  $\{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$  is

(i)  $\{1, 3\}$

(ii)  $\{7, 9\}$

(iii)  $\{1, 3, 5, 9\}$

(iv) None of these

(Choose the correct answer)

(d) Write whether the following statement is true or false :

A sequence having only one limit point is convergent.

(e) The sequence  $\left\{ \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \right\}$  is

(i) Convergent

(ii) Divergent

(iii) Oscillates finitely

(iv) Oscillates infinitely

(Choose the correct answer)

(f) Fill in the blank :

If a function  $f$  is derivable on a closed interval  $[a, b]$  and  $f'(a) < 0$  and  $f'(b) > 0$  then there exists at least one point  $c$  between  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $f'(c) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ .

(g) If  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 3-x, & 1 \leq x \leq 2, \end{cases}$  then

(I)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} f(x) = 1$

(II)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^+} f(x) = 2$

(III)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 2$

(IV)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = 1$

Of these statements

(i) I and III are correct

(ii) II and IV are correct

(iii) I and II are correct

(iv) III alone is correct

(Choose the correct answer)

(h) Find the maximum value of  $\sin x + \cos x$ .

(i) Evaluate :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{3x^2}$

(j) The value of 'C' in Lagrange's Mean Value theorem for  $f(x) = \alpha x^2 + \beta x + \gamma$ ,  $\alpha \neq 0$  in  $[a, b]$  is given by

(i)  $\frac{a+b}{2}$       (ii)  $\sqrt{ab}$

(iii)  $\frac{2ab}{a+b}$       (iv)  $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{a}$

(Choose the correct answer)

2. Answer the following questions :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

(a) Show that the following set

$\left\{1, -1, 1\frac{1}{2}, -1\frac{1}{2}, 1\frac{1}{3}, -1\frac{1}{3}, \dots\right\}$  is closed but not open.

(b) Show that the series  $\sum \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n^p}$  is absolutely convergent for  $p > 1$ , but conditionally convergent for  $0 < p \leq 1$ .

(c) Examine the continuity at  $x = 0$  of the function  $f(x) = [x] - [-x]$  where  $[x]$  denotes the largest integer  $\leq x$ .

(d) Verify Cauchy's Mean Value theorem for the functions  $f(x) = \sin x$  and  $g(x) = \cos x$  in  $\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, 0\right]$ .

(e) Use Taylor's theorem to show that  $\cos x \geq 1 - \frac{x^2}{2}$  for all  $x \geq 0$ .

3. Answer any four parts :  $5 \times 4 = 20$

(a) Prove that a set is closed if and only if its complement is open. 5

(b) Show that

(i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \right] = 0$

(ii)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{\frac{1}{n}} = 1$  5

- (c) State the Leibnitz test for convergence of an alternating series. Applying the test show that the series

$$1 - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 2^2} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 3^2} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 4^2} + \dots \text{ is convergent.}$$

$$1+4=5$$

- (d) Show that the series is convergent 5

$$\frac{1 \cdot 2}{3^2 \cdot 4^2} + \frac{3 \cdot 4}{5^2 \cdot 6^2} + \frac{5 \cdot 6}{7^2 \cdot 8^2} + \dots$$

(Use Comparison test)

$$(e) \text{ If } f(x) = \begin{cases} x \left( e^{\frac{1}{x}} - e^{-\frac{1}{x}} \right) & , x \neq 0 \\ \frac{\frac{1}{e^x} - \frac{1}{e^{-x}}}{e^x + e^{-x}} & , x \neq 0 \\ 0 & , x = 0 \end{cases}$$

show that  $f$  is continuous but not derivable at  $x=0$ . 5

- (f) (i) Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$  in order that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x(1 + a \cos x) - b \sin x}{x^3} = 1$$

(ii) Evaluate :  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{1}{e^x - 1} - \frac{1}{x} \right)$  3+2=5

4. Answer either (a) and (b) or (c) and (d) :  $5 \times 2 = 10$

- (a) Prove that every infinite bounded set has a limit point.

Can an infinite unbounded set have a limit point? Justify your answer. 4+1=5

- (b) State Cauchy's General Principle of convergence of a sequence. Using this show that the following sequence  $\{S_n\}$  where

$$S_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} \text{ is convergent.}$$

$$1+4=5$$

- (c) Prove that a convergent sequence of real numbers is bounded. Is the converse true? Justify your answer. 3+2=5

- (d) Show that the sequence  $\{S_n\}$  defined by recursion formula  $S_1 = \sqrt{2}$ ,  $S_{n+1} = \sqrt{2S_n}$  converges to 2. 5

5. Answer either (a) and (b) or (c) and (d) :  $5 \times 2 = 10$

- (a) Prove that a necessary condition for

convergence of an infinite series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$$

With an example show that it is not a sufficient condition. 3+2=5

- (b) State Raabe's test for convergence of a series. Applying this test, examine the convergence of the series  $1+4=5$

$$1 + \frac{3}{7}x + \frac{3}{7} \cdot \frac{6}{10}x^2 + \frac{3}{7} \cdot \frac{6}{10} \cdot \frac{9}{13}x^3 + \dots$$

- (c) Applying Logarithmic test prove that the series  $1 + \frac{1!}{2}x + \frac{2!}{3^2}x^2 + \frac{3!}{4^3}x^3 + \dots$  converges if  $x < e$  and diverges if  $x \geq e$ . 5

- (d) Test the convergence of the series

$$1 + \frac{\alpha\beta}{1 \cdot \gamma}x + \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)\beta(\beta+1)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot \gamma(\gamma+1)}x^2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha+1)(\alpha+2)\beta(\beta+1)(\beta+2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \gamma(\gamma+1)(\gamma+2)}x^3 + \dots$$

for all positive values of  $x$ ;  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  being all positive. 5

6. Answer the following questions :

- (a) Prove that if a function is continuous in a closed interval, then it is bounded therein. 5

Or

Show that the function  $f$  defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ x, & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$$

is continuous only at  $x = 0$ . 5

- (b) Define uniform continuity of a function on an interval.

Prove that every uniformly continuous function on an interval is continuous on that interval.

Justify with an example that the converse is not true.  $1+2+2=5$

Or

- (c) Show that the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$  is uniformly continuous on  $(a, \infty)$ , where  $a > 0$  but not uniformly continuous on  $(0, \infty)$ . 5

7. Answer any two parts :

- (a) State Rolle's theorem. Using it prove that if  $f'(x)$  and  $g'(x)$  exist for all  $x \in [a, b]$ , and  $g'(x) \neq 0$  for all  $x \in (a, b)$ , then for some

$$c \text{ between } a \text{ and } b, \frac{f(c) - f(a)}{g(b) - g(c)} = \frac{f'(c)}{g'(c)}$$

$1+4=5$

(b) Show that

$$\frac{v-u}{1+v^2} < \tan^{-1} v - \tan^{-1} u < \frac{v-u}{1+u^2}, \text{ if } 0 < u < v.$$

$$\text{Hence deduce that } \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{3}{25} < \tan^{-1} \frac{4}{3} < \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{6}.$$

$$3+2=5$$

(c) Show that the height of the cylinder of maximum volume that can be inscribed in a

sphere of radius  $a$  is  $\frac{2a}{\sqrt{3}}$ . 5

(d) Find Maclaurin's power series expansion for the function

$$f(x) = \log(1+x) \text{ for } -1 < x \leq 1. \quad 5$$