

(2½ Hours)

[ Total Marks : 60

**N.B. : (1) All questions are compulsory.****(2) Figures to the right indicate marks for respective subquestions.**

1. (a) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $Y$  be a non-empty subset of  $X$ . Show that a subset  $G$  of  $Y$  is open in the subspace  $(Y, d)$  if and only if  $G = V \cap Y$  where  $V$  is an open set in  $(X, d)$ . (7)
- (b) Attempt any two questions:
- (i) State and prove Hausdorff property in a metric space  $(X, d)$ . (4)
- (ii) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Show that  $\overline{B(x, r)} \subseteq B[x, r]$ , where  $B(x, r) = \{y \in X : d(x, y) < r\}$ ,  $B[x, r] = \{y \in X : d(x, y) \leq r\}$ . Give an example to show that the strict inequality may hold. (4)
- (iii) Let  $X = C[0, 1]$  and  $d_1$  and  $d_\infty$  be the metric on  $X$  induced by  $\| \cdot \|_1$  and  $\| \cdot \|_\infty$ , where  $\|f\|_1 = \int_0^1 |f(t)| dt$  and  $\|f\|_\infty = \sup\{|f(t)| : t \in [0, 1]\}$ . Prove or disprove:  $d_1$  and  $d_\infty$  are equivalent metrics on  $X$ . (4)
- (iv) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $A \subseteq X$ . Prove that  $\text{diam}(A) = \text{diam}(\overline{A})$ . (4)
2. (a) Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space. Prove that a subspace  $(Y, d)$  of  $(X, d)$  is complete if and only if  $Y$  is a closed. (7)
- (b) Attempt any two questions:
- (i) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Show that a convergent sequence in  $X$  is Cauchy. Give an example to show that the converse is not true. Further, show that a Cauchy sequence  $(x_n)$  in  $X$  is convergent if it has a convergent subsequence. (4)
- (ii) Prove that  $(\mathbb{R}^2, d)$  is a complete metric space, where  $d(x, y) = |x_1 - y_1| + |x_2 - y_2|$  for  $x = (x_1, x_2)$ ,  $y = (y_1, y_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . (4)
- (iii) Check if Cantor's Theorem is applicable in the following examples. Also, find  $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n$  in each case, where  $(F_n)$  is a sequence of subsets of  $\mathbb{R}$  and the distance in  $\mathbb{R}$  is usual. (4)
- (i)  $F_n = [n, \infty)$  (ii)  $F_n = (0, \frac{1}{n})$
- (iv) Prove that  $(\mathbb{N}, d_1)$  is complete, where  $d_1$  is the metric defined by (4)

$$d_1(m, n) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } m = n \\ 1 + \frac{1}{m+n} & \text{if } m \neq n \end{cases}$$

3. (a) Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  be metric spaces and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ . Show that the following statements are equivalent. (7)
- (i)  $f$  is continuous on  $X$ .
- (ii) For each open subset  $G$  of  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(G)$  is an open subset of  $X$ .
- (b) Attempt any two questions:
- (i) Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  be metric spaces. Show that  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous on  $X$  if and only if for each subset  $B$  of  $Y$ ,  $(\overline{f^{-1}(B)}) \subseteq f^{-1}(\overline{B})$ . (4)
- (ii) Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  be metric spaces and  $f, g : X \rightarrow Y$  be continuous maps. Show that  $A = \{x \in X : f(x) = g(x)\}$  is a closed subset of  $X$ . (4)
- (iii) Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  be metric spaces and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a continuous onto map. If  $D$  is a dense subset of  $X$ , show that  $f(D)$  is a dense subset of  $Y$ . (4)
- (iv) If  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is such that  $f'(x)$  exists for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $|f'(x)| \leq M$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , then show that  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ . (4)
4. Attempt any three questions:
- (a) Show that  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{Q} : -\sqrt{2} < x < \sqrt{2}\}$  is both open and closed in the subspace  $\mathbb{Q}$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual distance. (5)

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- (b) Let  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  be metrics on a non-empty set  $X$  such that there exist  $k_1, k_2 > 0$  such that

$$k_1 d_1(x, y) \leq d_2(x, y) \leq k_2 d_1(x, y) \quad \forall x, y \in X.$$

Then show that  $(x_n)$  is Cauchy in  $(X, d_1)$  if and only if  $(x_n)$  is Cauchy in  $(X, d_2)$ . (5)

- (c) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and let  $A \subseteq X$ . If  $d_A : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is defined by  $d_A(x) = d(x, A)$ , then show that  $d_A$  is continuous on  $X$ . (distance in  $\mathbb{R}$  is usual). (5)
- (d) Prove or disprove: Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, d')$  be metric spaces. If  $(X, d)$  is complete and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous and onto, then  $(Y, d')$  is complete. (5)
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