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(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 16)

SUBJECT CODE : 15MT/MC/RA55

B. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2017
BRANCH I - MATHEMATICS
FIFTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : PRINCIPLES OF REAL ANALYSIS
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS : 100

SECTION – A (10X2=20)
ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

1. When do you say that $f(x)$ approaches ' L ' (where $L \in R$) as ' x ' approaches ' a '?
2. Prove by an example that if $f(a)$ is not defined, then ' f ' cannot be continuous at the point ' a '.
3. State the definition of a Cauchy sequence in a Metric space :
4. Why every subset of R_d is Open?
5. If A is a bounded subset of a metric space $\langle M, \rho \rangle$, define the diameter of A .
6. Define the "Complete Metric Space".
7. State the Heine-Borel property of a metric space M .
8. Define a Uniformly Continuous function.
9. Define the upper integral of ' f ' over an interval $[a, b]$.
10. State "The Law of the Mean".

SECTION – B (5X8=40)
ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS

11. The set of all n -tuples of real numbers, denoted by R^n , is a Metric space – Justify.
12. If f and g are real valued functions, if ' f ' is continuous at ' a ' and if ' g ' is continuous at ' $f(a)$ ', then prove that gof is continuous at ' a '.
13. Prove that the arbitrary union of open subsets of a Metric space M is an open subset of M .
14. Let ' f ' be a continuous function from a metric space M_1 into a Metric space M_2 . If the domain of ' f ' is connected, prove that the range of ' f ' is also connected.
15. Let f be a continuous function from the Compact metric space M_1 into the Metric space M_2 . Using the concept of open covering, prove that the range $f(M_1)$ is also compact.
16. Let ' f ' be a bounded function on $[a, b]$. If σ and τ are any two subdivisions of $[a, b]$, then prove that $U[f; \sigma] \geq L[f; \tau]$.
17. If the real-valued function ' f ' has a derivative at the point $c \in R^1$, then prove that ' f ' is continuous at ' c '.

SECTION – C
ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

(2X20=40)

18. (a) Prove that ' f ' is continuous at ' a ', if and only if, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = a$
implies $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(x_n) = f(a)$ (7 + 7)
- (b) Let $\langle M_1, \rho_1 \rangle$ and $\langle M_2, \rho_2 \rangle$ be metric spaces and let $f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$.
Prove that ' f ' is continuous on M_1 if and only if $f^{-1}(G)$ is open in M_1 ,
whenever G is open in M_2 (3 + 3)
19. (a) Let $\langle M, \rho \rangle$ be a metric space. Prove that a subset A of M is totally bounded
if and only if every sequence of points of A contains a Cauchy subsequence. (6 + 6)
- (b) Let $\langle M_1, \rho_1 \rangle$ be a compact metric space. If f is a continuous function from M_1
into a Metric space $\langle M_2, \rho_2 \rangle$, then prove that ' f ' is uniformly continuous on M_1 . (8)
20. (a) If ' f ' and ' g ' both have derivatives at $c \in R^1$, then prove that
 $(fg)' = f'(c)g(c) + f(c)g'(c)$ (5)
- (b) State and prove the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus. (15)

