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[Use separate Answer Books for each group]

Group – A

Answer **any five** questions from **Q. No. 1-8** and **any three** questions from **Q. No. 9-13** :

1. a) Let (X, d) be a metric space such that $B_d A = \emptyset \forall A \subseteq X$. What can you say about $\tau(d)$, the topology induced by d ?
b) Let G be a noncyclic subgroup of $(\mathbb{R}, +)$. Prove that G is dense in \mathbb{R} . [2+5]
2. a) Prove that a separable metric space is 2^{nd} countable.
b) Assume that \mathbb{R} with Euclidean metric is Lindolöf. Prove that a subset of \mathbb{R} which has no limit point is at most countable. [4+3]
3. a) Let $\{x_n\}$ be a Cauchy sequence in a metric space (X, d) . Prove that if $\{x_n\}$ has a convergent subsequence then $\{x_n\}$ is convergent.
b) Prove that A is compact in (X, d) implies A is closed and bounded. Give an example to show that a closed and bounded subset in a metric space may not be compact. [3+4]
4. Let $A_1 \supseteq A_2 \supseteq \dots A_n \supseteq A_{n+1} \supseteq \dots$ be a decreasing sequence of closed subsets of a metric space (X, d) .
a) Is $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \neq \emptyset$? Justify your answer.
b) Show that if $(X, d) = (\mathbb{R}, d_u)$ where d_u is the Euclidean metric on \mathbb{R} and $d(A_n) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ then $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \neq \emptyset$.
c) Prove that if (X, d) is compact then $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \neq \emptyset$. [2+3+2]
5. a) State and prove Baire's Category theorem.
b) Use Baire's Category theorem to prove that \mathbb{R}^2 can't be expressed as a countable union of straight lines in \mathbb{R}^2 . [5+2]
6. a) If A, B are two disjoint closed subsets of a metric space (X, d) , prove that there exists a continuous function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ with $f(A) = \{0\}$, $f(B) = \{1\}$ and $0 \leq f(x) \leq 1$ for all $x \in X$.
b) Let $f, g : (X, d) \rightarrow (Y, d')$ be two continuous maps. Prove that $\{x \in X : f(x) = g(x)\}$ is a closed subset of X .
Hence prove that if $f : (X, d) \rightarrow (X, d)$ is continuous then $\{x \in X : f(x) = x\}$ is closed in X . [3+4]
7. a) Prove that a totally bounded metric space is bounded.
b) Show that a metric space (X, d) is totally bounded iff every sequence in X has a Cauchy subsequence. [2+5]
8. a) Prove that a continuous image of a connected metric space is connected.
Use the above result to show that a connected metric space with at least two distinct points is uncountable.
b) Prove that a connected subgroup of $(\mathbb{R}, +)$ is either $\{0\}$ or \mathbb{R} . [4+3]
9. a) Let $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence of real valued continuous functions on $E \subset \mathbb{R}$ converging uniformly to a function f over E . Prove that f is continuous on E .

- b) Show that the sequence $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ where $f_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{1+x^n}$, $x \in [0, 2]$ is not uniformly convergent over $[0, 2]$ [3+2]
10. Let D be a compact subset of \mathbb{R} and $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be a sequence of continuous functions on D to \mathbb{R} , that converges pointwise to a continuous f on D . If the sequence $\{f_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is monotone of D , then prove that it converges uniformly on D to f . [5]
11. Let D be a subset of \mathbb{R} and a series of functions $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n$ be uniformly convergent on D to a function f . Let x be a limit point of D and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f_n(t) = A_n$, $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$. Prove that—
- i) the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$ is convergent and
- ii) $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t)$ exists and $\lim_{t \rightarrow x} f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$. [5]
12. Show that the series of functions $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)$ converges uniformly over \mathbb{R} , here $f_n(x) = \frac{\sin nx}{n^2}$. Does $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f'_n(x)$ converge? Justify your answer. [3+2]
13. a) Test the convergence of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{1+x^n}$: $x \geq 0$.
- b) Find the radius of convergence of the power series $x + \frac{2^\alpha}{2!}x + \frac{3^\alpha}{3!}x^2 + \dots$ for $\alpha > 0$. [3+2]

Group – B

Answer **any three** questions from **Q. No. 14-18** and **any four** questions from **Q. No. 19-24** :

14. a) Find the eigen-values and the corresponding eigenfunctions of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \lambda y = 0$ ($\lambda > 0$) under boundary conditions $y(0) + y'(0) = 0$ and $y(1) + y'(1) = 0$. [5]
- b) Solve $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4x \frac{dy}{dx} + (4x^2 - 1)y = -3e^{x^2} \sin 2x$ by reducing to normal form. [5]
15. a) Solve the following differential equation using Laplace transform $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - 3 \frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = 4e^{2t}$, given $y(0) = -3$ and $y'(0) = 5$. [5]
- b) Knowing that $y = x$ is a solution of the equation $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x(x+2) \frac{dy}{dx} + (x+2)y = 0$ reduce the equation $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x(x+2) \frac{dy}{dx} + (x+2)y = x^3$ to a differential equation of 1st order and 1st degree and find its complete primitive. [5]
16. a) Find the integral surface of the linear partial differential equation $x(y^2 + z)p - y(x^2 + z)q = (x^2 - y^2)z$ which contains the straight line $x + y = 0$, $z = 1$. [5]
- b) Solve the equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (x-1)^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 4(x-1)y = 0$ in series about the ordinary point $x = 1$. [5]

17. a) Find a complete integral of the partial differential equation $(p^2 + q^2)y = qz$, using Charpit's method. [5]
- b) Solve $(x^2 - yz)p + (y^2 - zx)q = z^2 - xy$ by Lagrange's Method $\left(p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right)$. [5]
18. a) Use convolution theorem to show that $L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(p+2)^2(p-2)} \right\} = \frac{1}{16} (e^{2t} - 4te^{-2t} - e^{-2t})$ where L^{-1} is inverse Laplace transformation. [3]
- b) If $F(t)$ be a periodic function with period $T(>0)$ then show that $L\{F(t)\} = \frac{\int_0^T e^{-pt} F(t) dt}{1 - e^{-pT}}$ where L represents Laplace transform operator. [4]
- c) Form a partial differential equation by eliminating the arbitrary functions f and g from $z = yf(x) + xg(y)$ [3]
19. If $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/2} x^n \sin x dx$, n being a positive integer > 1 , show that $I_n + n(n-1)I_{n-2} = n \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right)^{n-1}$. Hence find the value of $\int_0^{\pi/2} x^5 \sin x dx$. [5]
20. Show that the pedal equation of $e^2(x^2 + y^2) = x^2 y^2$ w.r. to the origin is $\frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{3}{r^2} = \frac{1}{c^2}$. [5]
21. Find the envelope of the family of ellipses $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$, where the parameters a and b are connected by a relation $\frac{a^2}{\ell^2} + \frac{b^2}{m^2} = 1$, ℓ and m are non-zero constants. [5]
22. Find the radius of curvature at the origin of the curve $4x^4 + 3y^3 - 8x^2y + 2x^2 - 3xy - 6y^2 - 8y = 0$. [5]
23. Find the existence of double point, if any, of the curve $y^2(a^2 + x^2) = x^2(a^2 - x^2)$. If so, find its nature. [5]
24. State Pappus theorem on the volume of a solid of revolution and use it to find the volume of the solid generated by revolving the ellipse $x = a \cos \theta$, $y = b \sin \theta$ about the line $x = 2a$. [5]

