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Mathematics — Core

TOPOLOGY — II

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — ($10 \times 1 = 10$ marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. A space for which every open covering contains a countable sub covering is called
 - (a) Separable
 - (b) Compact
 - (c) Lindelöf
 - (d) Second countable

2. Which one of the following is not true?
 - (a) T_2 and compact \Rightarrow normal
 - (b) T_3 and Lindelöf $\Rightarrow T_{3\frac{1}{2}}$
 - (c) T_2 and compact $\Rightarrow T_3$ and Lindelöf
 - (d) T_2 and compact $\Leftarrow T_3$ and Lindelöf

3. Every regular space with a countable basis is
 - (a) normal
 - (b) completely regular but not normal
 - (c) regular but not completely regular
 - (d) compact and Hausdorff

4. A space X is completely regular then it is homeomorphic to a subspace of
 - (a) $[0, 1]^J$
 - (b) \mathbf{R}^n where n is a finite
 - (c) \mathbf{R}^J
 - (d) $(0, 1)^J$ where n is a finite number and J is uncountable.

5. Normal space is also known as
- (a) T_4 (b) $T_{2\frac{1}{2}}$
- (c) $T_{3\frac{1}{2}}$ (d) T_3
6. Tietze extension theorem implies
- (a) The Urysohn Metrization theorem
- (b) Heine-Borel theorem
- (c) The Urysohn lemma
- (d) The Tychonof theorem
7. Let $A = \{(n-1, n+1) : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$. Which of the following refine A .
- (a) $\left\{ \left(n - \frac{1}{2}, n + \frac{3}{2} \right) : n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \right\}$
- (b) $\left\{ \left(n + \frac{1}{2}, n + \frac{3}{2} \right) : n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \right\}$
- (c) $\left\{ \left(n - \frac{1}{2}, n + 2 \right) : n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \right\}$
- (d) $\{(x, x+1) : x \in \mathbb{R}\}$

8. Which one of the following is locally finite in R ?
- (a) $\{(n-1, n+1): n \in Z\}$
 - (b) $\left\{\left(0, \frac{1}{n}\right): n \in Z_+\right\}$
 - (c) $\left\{\left(\frac{1}{n+1}, \frac{1}{n}\right): n \in Z_+\right\}$
 - (d) $\{(x, x+1): x \in R\}$
9. Which of the following is not true?
- (a) Every non empty subset of the set of irrational numbers is of second category
 - (b) Open subspace of a Baire space is a Baire space
 - (c) The set of rationals is a Baire space
 - (d) If $X = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n$ and X is a Baire space with $B_1 \neq \phi$, then atleast one of $\overline{B_n}$ has nonempty interior.
10. Which one of the following is not true?
- (a) Any set X with discrete topology is a Baire space
 - (b) Every locally compact space is a Baire space
 - (c) $[0, 1]$ is a Baire space
 - (d) Rationals as a subspace of real numbers is not a Baire space

PART B — ($5 \times 5 = 25$ marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Let X be a topological space. Let one point sets in X be closed. Then prove that X is regular if and only if given a point x of X and a neighborhood U of x , there is a neighborhood V of x such that $\bar{V} \subset U$.

Or

- (b) Show that if X is regular, every pair of points of X have neighborhoods whose closures are disjoint.
12. (a) Examine the proof of Urysohn lemma and show that for a given r ,

$$f^{-1}(r) = \left(\bigcap_{p>r} U_p - \bigcup_{q<r} U_q \right), \text{ where } p \text{ and } q \text{ are}$$

rational.

Or

- (b) Prove that every normal space is completely regular and completely regular space is regular.

13. (a) Prove that Tietze extension theorem implies the Urysohn lemma.

Or

- (b) State and prove imbedding theorem.

14. (a) Give an example of a collection of sets A that is not locally finite, such that the collection $B = \{\bar{A} : A \in A\}$ is locally finite.

Or

- (b) Define finite intersection property. Let X be a set and D be the set of all subsets of X that is maximal with respect to finite intersection property. Show that

(i) $x \in \bar{A} \forall A \in D$ if and only if every neighborhood of x belongs to D .

(ii) Let $A \in D$. Then prove that $B \supset A \Rightarrow B \in D$.

15. (a) Define a first category space. Prove that X is a Baire space if and only if 'given any countable collection $\{U_n\}$ of open sets in X , U_n is dense in $X \forall n$, then $\cap U_n$ is also dense'.

Or

- (b) Define a Baire space. Whether Q the set of rationals as a space is Baire space? What about if we consider Q as a subspace of real numbers space. Justify your answer.

PART C — ($5 \times 8 = 40$ marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

16. (a) Prove that the space \mathbf{R}_L satisfies all the countability axioms but the second.

Or

- (b) Prove that product of Lindelof spaces need not be Lindelof.

17. (a) Define a regular space and a normal space. Prove that every regular second countable space is normal.

Or

- (b) State and prove Urysohn's lemma.

18. (a) State and prove Tietze extension theorem.

Or

- (b) State and prove Urysohn's metrization theorem.

19. (a) State and prove Tychonoff theorem.

Or

- (b) Let X be a metrizable space. If \mathcal{A} is an open covering of X , then prove that there is an open covering \mathcal{B} of X refining \mathcal{A} that is countably locally finite.
20. (a) Let X be a space ; let (Y, d) be a metric space. Let $f_n : X \rightarrow Y$ be a sequence of continuous functions such that $f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$ for all $x \in X$, where $f : X \rightarrow Y$. If X is a Baire space, prove that the set of points at which f is continuous is dense in X .

Or

- (b) State and prove Baire Category Theorem.
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