

Duration: 3 Hrs

Marks: 100

- N.B. : (1) All questions are compulsory.  
 (2) Figures to the right indicate marks.

1. Choose correct alternative in each of the following: (20)

- (i) Let  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : |\sin x| \leq 1/2\}$ , with usual metric on  $\mathbb{R}$ , which of the following statements is true?  
 (a)  $A$  is an open subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
 (b)  $A$  is a closed subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
 (c)  $A$  is an open as well as closed subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
 (d) None of these

(ii) Which of the following subset of usual metric space  $\mathbb{R}$  is not dense?

- (a)  $\mathbb{Q}$  (b)  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$  (c)  $\mathbb{N}$  (d)  $\mathbb{R}$

(iii) Let  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$  be a metric space where  $d$  is a discrete metric. Then, which of the following subset of  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$  is infinite?

- (a)  $B(0, 0.5)$  (b)  $B(0, 1)$  (c)  $B(0, 2)$  (d) None of these.

(iv) Which of the following sequences in  $(\mathbb{Q}, d)$ ,  $d$  is a usual metric from  $\mathbb{R}$ , is convergent in  $\mathbb{Q}$ ?

- (a)  $x_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$  (c)  $x_n = \frac{\lfloor \sqrt{2n} \rfloor}{n}, n \in \mathbb{N}$ .  
 (b)  $x_n = \frac{2n+1}{3n+2}, n \in \mathbb{N}$ . (d)  $x_n = \frac{n^2+1}{n+3}, n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(v) Every Cauchy sequence is eventually constant in

- (a)  $(\mathbb{N}, d)$  where  $d$  is usual. (c)  $(\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}, d)$  where  $d$  is usual.  
 (b)  $(\mathbb{Q}, d)$  where  $d$  is usual. (d) None of the above.

(vi) Let  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  be metrics on  $X$  such that  $k_1 d_2(x, y) \leq d_1(x, y) \leq k_2 d_2(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$  where  $k_1, k_2 > 0$  are constants. Then the statement which is not true is

- (a)  $(x_n)$  is Cauchy in  $(X, d_1)$  if and only if  $(x_n)$  is Cauchy in  $(X, d_2)$ .  
 (b)  $x_n \rightarrow p$  in  $(X, d_1)$  if and only if  $x_n \rightarrow p$  in  $(X, d_2)$ .  
 (c)  $(x_n)$  is bounded in  $(X, d_1)$  if and only if  $(x_n)$  is bounded in  $(X, d_2)$ .  
 (d) None of the above.

(vii) In  $\mathbb{R}$  with respect to usual distance  $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} F_n$  is a singleton set when

- (a)  $F_n = [-n, n]$  (b)  $F_n = [n, n+1]$  (c)  $F_n = [1 - \frac{1}{n}, 1]$  (d)  $F_n = [0, n]$

(viii) Which of the following subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{R}^2$  is compact with respect to the Euclidean metric?

- (a)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 - y^2 = 1\}$  (c)  $\{x \in \mathbb{Z} : x^2 < 2\}$   
 (b)  $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 < 2\}$  (d)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : y^2 = x\}$

- (ix) Let  $A$  be a compact subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ . Then  
 (a)  $\overline{A}$  may not be compact. (b)  $A^\circ$  may not be compact.  
 (c)  $\partial A$  may not be compact. (d) None of the above.
- (x) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $(x_n)$  be a sequence in  $X$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow x_0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Then  
 (a)  $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  is a compact subset of  $X$   
 (b)  $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\} \cup \{x_0\}$  is a compact subset of  $X$   
 (c)  $\{x_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\} \cup \{x_0\}$  is compact only if  $(x_n)$  is a sequence of distinct points.  
 (d) None of the above.

2. (a) Attempt any One of the following: (8)  
 (i) Every infinite bounded subset of  $\mathbb{R}$  has a limit point. (distance being usual)  
 (ii) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Prove the following:  
 (I) Arbitrary union of open sets is open.  
 (II) A subset  $G$  of  $X$  is open if and only if it is an union of open balls.

- (b) Attempt any Two of the following: (12)  
 (i) Let  $A$  be a subset of a metric space  $(X, d)$ . Prove that  
 (I)  $\overline{(X \setminus A)} = X \setminus A^\circ$   
 (II)  $(X \setminus A)^\circ = X \setminus \overline{A}$   
 (ii) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space.  $d_1 : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a metric defined as  $d_1(x, y) = \frac{d(x, y)}{1 + d(x, y)}$ ,  $\forall x, y \in X$ . Show that  $d$  and  $d_1$  are equivalent metrics on  $X$   
 (iii) Let  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  be a normed linear space and  $A \neq \emptyset, A \subseteq X$ . Show that if  $U \neq \emptyset, U \subseteq X$  is an open set then  $U + A$  is open.  
 (iv) Show that  $B_1(0, 1)$  in  $(C[0, 1], \|\cdot\|_1)$  is open in  $(C[0, 1], \|\cdot\|_\infty)$  where  $\|f\|_1 = \int_0^1 |f(t)| dt, \|f\|_\infty = \sup\{|f(t)| : t \in [0, 1]\}$  and  $B_1(0, 1) = \{f \in C[0, 1] : \|f\|_1 < 1\}$ .

3. (a) Attempt any One of the following: (8)  
 (i) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $A$  be a subset of  $X$ . Show that  $p \in X$  is a limit point of  $A$  if and only if there is a sequence of distinct points in  $A$  converging to  $p$ .  
 (ii) State and prove the Nested interval theorem in  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- (b) Attempt any Two of the following: (12)  
 (i) If  $(x_n)$  and  $(y_n)$  are sequences in a metric space  $(X, d)$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow p$  and  $y_n \rightarrow q$  then show that the sequence of real numbers  $d(x_n, y_n) \rightarrow d(p, q)$  in  $(\mathbb{R}, \text{usual})$ .  
 (ii) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $Y$  be a non-empty subset of  $X$ . Prove 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  $(X, d)$ .

- (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  $X \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .
- (i)  $X = [-1, 1]$  and distance  $d$  is the usual distance,  $F_n = [-\frac{1}{n}, \frac{1}{n}]$
  - (ii)  $X = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $d$  discrete metric,  $F_n = (0, \frac{1}{n})$
- (iv) Show that  $(\mathbb{N}, d)$  is a complete metric space where for  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

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

4. (a) Attempt any One of the following: (8)

- (i) Let  $A$  be a non-empty subset of the metric space  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$  where  $d$  is the usual metric. Prove that  $A$  is sequentially compact if and only if  $A$  satisfies the Bolzano-Weierstrass property.
- (ii) Show that a compact subset of a metric space is closed and bounded. Give an example to show that a closed and bounded subset need not be compact.

- (b) Attempt any Two of the following: (12)

- (i) Suppose  $(X, d)$  is a metric space and  $\mathcal{C}$  is a non-empty collection of compact subsets of  $X$  then show that if  $\mathcal{C}$  is finite then  $\bigcup_{K \in \mathcal{C}} K$  is a compact subset of  $X$ .
- (ii) Show that  $S^1 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 = 1\}$  is a compact subset of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , distance being Euclidean.
- (iii) If  $X = [0, 1] \subset (\mathbb{R}, d)$ , where  $d$  is the discrete metric, show that the open cover  $\left\{ B(x, \frac{1}{2}) : x \in [0, 1] \right\}$  of  $X$  has no finite subcover.
- (iv) Show that  $\{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + \dots + nx_n^2 \leq (n+1)^2\}$  is a compact subset of  $(\mathbb{R}^n, d)$ ,  $d$  being Euclidean.

5. Attempt any Four of the following: (20)

- (a) State and prove Hausdorff property in a metric space  $(X, d)$ .
- (b) Show that  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{Q} : 3 < x^2 < 5\}$  is both open and closed in the subspace  $\mathbb{Q}$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual metric.
- (c)  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a continuous such that  $f$  takes only rational values then show that  $f$  is a constant function.
- (d) Prove or disprove : If  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are equivalent metrics on  $X$  and  $(X, d_1)$  is a complete metric space then  $(X, d_2)$  is also a complete metric space.
- (e) If  $A, B$  are compact subsets of  $\mathbb{R}$  with respect to usual distance, show that  $A \times B$  is a compact subset of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  with Euclidean metric.
- (f) Consider the set  $A = [0, 1]$  in the metric space  $(\mathbb{R}, d)$ ,  $d$  being the discrete metric. Show that the open cover  $\{B(x, \frac{1}{2})\}_{x \in [0, 1]}$  of  $A$  has no finite subcover.