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Maximum Marks: 70

Q.1 Choose the correct option for each of the following.

(1) Let  $f_1 = \chi_{[0,1]}$ ,  $f_2 = \chi_{[0,\frac{1}{2}]}$ ,  $f_3 = \chi_{[\frac{1}{2},1]}$ ,  $f_4 = \chi_{[0,\frac{1}{3}]}$ , ... Then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}} f_n$  equals

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c)  $\infty$  (d)  $\frac{1}{2}$

(2) Let  $f$  be the Cantor function on  $[0, 1]$ . Then the total variation of  $f$  is

- (a) 0 (b)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (c) 1 (d) 2

(3) Let  $f : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$  be bijective and analytic. If  $f(0) = 0$ , then

- (a)  $f'(0) = 1$  (b)  $|f'(0)| = 1$  (c)  $|f'(0)| < 1$  (d)  $|f'(0)| > 1$

(4) 0 is \_\_\_\_\_ of  $\frac{e^{-z^2}}{z^2}$

- (a) a pole (c) an essential singularity  
(b) a removable singularity (d) a nonisolated singularity

(5) Unit circle  $S^1$  is homeomorphic to \_\_\_\_\_

- (a)  $[0, 1)$  (b)  $(0, 1)$  (c)  $[0, 1]$  (d) none of these

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ is not a topological property.

- (a) Being Hausdorff (c) Completeness  
(b) Compactness (d) Path-connectedness

(7) If  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{F}_{2^5} \mid x^{31} = 1 \text{ and } x^k \neq 1 \text{ for all } 0 < k \leq 30\}$ , then the number of elements in  $A$  is \_\_\_\_\_

- (a) 1 (b) 30 (c) 31 (d) 32

(8) Which of the following quotient ring is a field?

- (a)  $\mathbb{Z}_3[x]/\langle x^2 - x + 1 \rangle$  (c)  $\mathbb{Q}[x]/\langle x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \rangle$   
(b)  $\mathbb{Z}_2[x]/\langle x^4 + x^2 + 1 \rangle$  (d)  $\mathbb{Q}[x]/\langle x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \rangle$

Q.2 Attempt any *Seven*.

(a) Show that every Lipschitz function on  $[a, b]$  is absolutely continuous. Is the converse true? Why?

(b) Let  $f_n$  and  $f$  be measurable function on a measurable set  $E$ . If  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on  $E$ , then show that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  in measure on  $E$ .

(c) Let  $f \in BV[a, b]$ , and let  $f(x) \neq 0$  for any  $x \in [a, b]$ . Will  $\frac{1}{f}$  be in  $BV[a, b]$ ? Why?

(d) If  $f$  is an entire function and  $|f(z)| \leq |e^z|$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ , then find a formula for  $f$ .

- (e) Let  $p$  be a nonconstant polynomial. Show that  $p(z_n) \rightarrow \infty$  whenever  $z_n \rightarrow \infty$
- (f) Define order topology.
- (g) Give an example of non-compact sets  $A$  and  $B$  such that  $A \cup B$  and  $A \cap B$  is compact.
- (h) Construct fields of order 16 and 125.
- (i) Determine the number of monic quadratic reducible polynomials in  $\mathbb{Z}_p[x]$ .

Q.3

- (a) Let  $f, g : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be  $f(x) = x^2 \sin(\frac{1}{x})$  and  $g(x) = x \sin(\frac{1}{x^2})$  if  $x \neq 0$  and  $f(0) = g(0) = 0$ . Show that  $f$  is of bounded variation but  $g$  is not. [6]
- (b) Maximize the product  $x_1 x_2 \cdots x_n$  subject to  $x_i > 0$  for all  $i$  and  $x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n = n$ . [6]  
Hence prove that the geometric mean of  $n$  positive real numbers is less than or equal to their arithmetic mean.

OR

- (b) If  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous and vanishing at infinity, then show that  $f$  is uniformly continuous. Also, prove that there is  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $|f(x_0)| = \sup\{|f(x)| : x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ . [6]

Q.4

- (c) Suppose that  $f$  and  $g$  are analytic on an open set containing  $\overline{B(0; R)}$  and both  $f$  and  $g$  does not vanish at any point of  $\overline{B(0; R)}$ . If  $|f(z)| = |g(z)|$  for all  $z$  with  $|z| = R$ , then show that there is  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\lambda| = 1$  such that  $f = \lambda g$ . [6]
- (d) Let  $f$  be analytic on  $B(0; R)$  and have the representation  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n z^n$  for all  $z \in B(0; R)$ . For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $S_n(z) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k z^k$ . Show that  $S_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on every compact subset of  $B(0; R)$ . State the results you use. [6]

OR

- (d) Let  $f$  be analytic on an open set containing  $\overline{\mathbb{D}}$ . Suppose that  $|f(z)| \leq M$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{D}$  and  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  are all zeros of  $f$  in  $\mathbb{D}$ . Show that  $|f(z)| \leq M \prod_{k=1}^n \left| \frac{z - z_k}{1 - \overline{z_k} z} \right|$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{D}$ . Also, find the formula for  $f$  if  $f(0) \neq 0$  and  $f(0) = M e^{i\theta} z_1 z_2 \cdots z_n$  for some  $\theta \in \mathbb{R}$ . [6]

Q.5

- (e) Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $x, y \in X$ . Define a path in  $X$  from  $x$  to  $y$ . Show that a path is always connected but a connected space need not be path-connected. [6]
- (f) Let  $\tau_f$  and  $\tau_c$  denote the co-finite topology and the co-countable topology on  $\mathbb{R}$  respectively. Is  $[0, 1]$  compact in  $\tau_f$ ? Is it compact in  $\tau_c$ ? Justify. [6]

OR

- (f) Let  $A = (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}) \setminus (\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q})$  and  $B \subset \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$  be the set with at least one rational coordinate. Determine whether  $A$  and  $B$  are connected or not. [6]

Q.6

- (g) Show that the polynomial  $x^p - px + 1$  is irreducible over  $\mathbb{Q}$  for all primes  $p$ . Also determine whether  $x^5 + x^2 + 1$  is irreducible over  $\mathbb{Q}$  or not. [6]
- (h) For distinct primes  $p$  and  $q$ , show that  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{p}, \sqrt{q}) = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q})$ . Does there exist a field isomorphism from  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{p})$  to  $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{q})$ ? Justify. [6]

OR

- (h) Compute the Galois group of the polynomial  $x^3 - 2$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . [6]

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