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EXAMINATION FOR INTERNAL STUDENTS

For The Following Qualifications:–

B.Sc. *M.Sci.*

Mathematics M212: Analysis 4: Real Analysis

COURSE CODE : **MATHM212**

UNIT VALUE : **0.50**

DATE : **14–MAY–04**

TIME : **14.30**

TIME ALLOWED : **2 Hours**

All questions may be attempted but only marks obtained on the best **four** solutions will count.

The use of an electronic calculator is **not** permitted in this examination.

1. (a) Define what it means for a sequence of functions $(f_n(x))_{n=1}^{\infty}$ to converge *uniformly* on an interval $[a, b]$.
(b) Prove that if $f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$ uniformly on $[a, b]$, and each f_n is continuous on $[a, b]$, then f is continuous on $[a, b]$.
(c) Prove that if $f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$ uniformly on $[a, b]$, and each f_n is Riemann integrable, then f is Riemann integrable and $\int_a^b f_n(x)dx \rightarrow \int_a^b f(x)dx$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.
(d) Suppose that $(f_n(x))_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is a sequence of continuous functions on $[0, 1]$ such that $f_n(x) \rightarrow 0$ pointwise and $\int_0^1 f_n(x)dx = 0$ for every n . Must $f_n(x) \rightarrow 0$ uniformly?

2. (a) Define what it means for a function $f(x)$ to be *uniformly continuous* on $[0, 1]$.
(b) Prove that every continuous function on $[0, 1]$ is uniformly continuous.
(c) Prove that if $f(x)$ is continuous on $[0, 1]$ then there is a sequence of polynomials that converges uniformly to $f(x)$ on $[0, 1]$.
[You may assume standard facts about the polynomials $p_{nk}(x) = \binom{n}{k}x^k(1-x)^{n-k}$, provided that you state them clearly.]

3. (a) Define the *Fourier series* $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \phi_n$ of a Riemann integrable function f on an interval $[a, b]$ with respect to an orthonormal system $(\phi_n)_{n=1}^{\infty}$.
(b) Show that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n^2 \leq \int_a^b f(x)^2 dx$. Deduce that $a_n \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.
(c) By considering the Fourier series of $f(x) = x$ with respect to an appropriate *orthonormal* system on $[-\pi, \pi]$, prove that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \leq \frac{\pi^2}{6}.$$

4. (a) Define what it means for a function $d : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ to be a *metric*. Define the terms *open ball* and *open set*.
- (b) Let (X, d_X) and (Y, d_Y) be metric spaces. Define what it means for a function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ to be *continuous*. Prove that if $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous and G is an open subset of Y then $f^{-1}(G)$ is open in X .
- (c) Define what it means for a set K in a metric space to be *compact*. Prove that a continuous image of a compact set is compact.
- (d) Prove that if K is compact then every sequence of points of K has a convergent subsequence.
- (e) Consider the space $X = (C[0, 1], \|\cdot\|_1)$ of continuous functions on $[0, 1]$ with the norm

$$\|f\|_1 = \int_0^1 |f(x)| dx.$$

Prove that the closed unit ball of X is not compact.

5. (a) Define a *contraction mapping* $f : X \rightarrow X$ in a metric space (X, d) .
- (b) State and prove the Contraction Mapping Theorem.
- (c) Suppose that $0 \leq c < 1$, and $f_1 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $f_2 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are functions such that, for every x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2 ,

$$|f_1(x_1, y_1) - f_1(x_2, y_2)| \leq c|x_1 - x_2|$$

and

$$|f_2(x_1, y_1) - f_2(x_2, y_2)| \leq c|y_1 - y_2|.$$

Prove that the function $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by

$$f(x, y) = (f_1(x, y), f_2(x, y))$$

has a unique fixed point.

6. (a) Define the operator norm $\|T\|$ of a linear map $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$. Prove that if $S : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$ is linear then $\|ST\| \leq \|S\| \cdot \|T\|$.
- (b) Prove that if T is a linear map from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^n and $\|T\| < 1$ then $I - T$ is invertible. [You may assume that the space $\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$ of linear maps from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^n is complete with the operator norm.]
- (c) Define what it means for a function $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ to be *differentiable* at $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Define the derivative $Df(\mathbf{x})$ and the Jacobian matrix $Jf(\mathbf{x})$ at a point $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
- (d) Suppose that $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is differentiable at \mathbf{x} . Prove that the partial derivatives $\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}(\mathbf{x})$ exist and that $Df(\mathbf{x})$ can be represented by $Jf(\mathbf{x})$.
- (e) Let $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by

$$f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 y}{x^4 + y^2}$$

for $(x, y) \neq (0, 0)$, and

$$f(0, 0) = 0.$$

Show that the Jacobian matrix exists at the point $(0, 0)$, but that f is not differentiable at $(0, 0)$.