

**Please READ CAREFULLY the general instructions:**

- During the exam you CAN NOT use any textbook, class notes, or any other supporting material.
- Calculators are **not allowed** during the exam.
- In all your solutions show your reasoning, explaining carefully what you are doing. JUSTIFY your answers.
- Use natural language, not just mathematical symbols.
- Use clear and legible writing. Write preferably with a ball-pen or a pen (black or dark blue ink).

1. (a) [1pt] Define the notion of *complete* metric space.
- (b) [2pt] Show that if  $(X, d)$  is a complete metric space, and  $E \subset X$  is a closed set, then  $E$  is complete as a metric space with the metric induced by  $d$ .
- (c) [2pt] Suppose that  $(X, d_X)$  and  $(Y, d_Y)$  are two metric spaces such that  $(X, d_X)$  is complete. Prove that if  $E$  is a closed set in  $X$  and  $f : E \rightarrow Y$  is continuous such that

$$d_Y(f(x), f(y)) \geq d_X(x, y),$$

for all  $x, y \in E$ , then  $f(E)$  is closed in  $Y$ .

2. (a) [1pt] Define what it means to say that a function is Riemann-Stieltjes integrable over an interval  $[a, b]$  with respect to a monotonically increasing function  $\alpha$ .
- (b) [2pt] Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a monotonic function, and  $\alpha$  an increasing continuous function defined on the same interval. Prove that  $f \in \mathcal{R}(\alpha)$  over the interval  $[a, b]$ .
- (c) [2pt] Argue why the following limit exists, and calculate its value

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sum_{k=1}^n \sin\left(\frac{k\pi}{2n}\right)}{n}.$$

3. (a) [1pt] Define what it means that a sequence of complex-valued functions defined on a metric space  $X$  converges uniformly on  $X$  to a function.
- (b) [2pt] For all  $n \geq 1$  define  $f_n(x) = (n+1)x^n(1-x)$  for  $x \in [0, 1]$ . Show that the sequence converges pointwise to 0. Does it converge uniformly?
- (c) [2pt] Consider the series of functions given by

$$\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3} \sin(2\pi nx).$$

Show that it is continuous and differentiable on  $\mathbb{R}$ , and such that  $f'$  is also continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Argument fully your answer.

4. Determine which of the following statements are true, and which are false. Explain your reasoning, by giving a proof or a counterexample to each statement. Each answer is graded over one point.
  - i. If a set is not uncountable, then it is countable.
  - ii. Let  $(a_k)_k$  be a sequence of complex numbers. If the power series given by  $\sum_{k \geq 0} a_k z^k$ , converges for  $z = 2$ , it also converges for  $z = 1 - i$ .
  - iii. If  $\{V_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in I}$  is a finite family of open sets in a metric space, then  $\bigcap_\alpha V_\alpha$  is open.
  - iv. Given  $f(x) = 1/(1+x^2)$  defined for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , it is satisfied that for every compact set  $K \subset \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f^{-1}(K)$  is a compact set.
  - v. The function  $f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2+y^2}, & \text{if } (x, y) \neq (0, 0), \\ 0 & \text{if } (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$  is differentiable on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

1) a) see the course book

b) see the course book

c) we want to see that  $f(E) \stackrel{?}{=} \overline{f(E)}$

and we know that  $\overline{f(E)} = f(E) \cup f(E)'$ .

So it suffices to show that for all

$y \in f(E)'$  then  $\exists x \in E : f(x) = y$ .

If  $y \in f(E)'$ , there exists  $(x_n)_n ; x_n \in E \forall n \geq 1$   
such that  $\lim_n f(x_n) = y$ .

This is because, by definition,  $\forall n \geq 1$

$\exists y_n \in f(E)$  (for which  $\exists x_n \in E : f(x_n) = y_n$ )  
with  $y_n \neq y : d(y_n, y) < \frac{1}{n}$ .

In particular  $(f(x_n))_n$  is Cauchy in  $Y$ .

By the assumption:

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \geq 2d(x, y),$$

it follows that  $(x_n)_n$  is Cauchy in  $E$

Since  $E$  is complete,  $\exists x \in E : \lim_n x_n = x$ .

By continuity of  $f$ ,  $y = \lim_n f(x_n) = f(x)$ .

Hence  $y \in f(E)$ .

2) a) See the coursebook

b) See the coursebook

c) Let  $f: [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
 $x \mapsto f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$

Note that for  $x \in [0,1]$ , the function  $f$  is strictly increasing. By (b), it's then Riemann integrable on  $[0,1]$ . This yields in particular that if  $\mathcal{P} = \left\{ \frac{k}{n} \right\}_{k=0, \dots, n}$  is a partition of  $[0,1]$ , we have that

$$L(\mathcal{P}_n, f) = \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k-1}{n}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \sum_{k=1}^n \sin\left(\frac{k-1}{2n}\pi\right) \cdot \frac{1}{n}$$

$$U(\mathcal{P}_n, f) = \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \sum_{k=1}^n \sin\left(\frac{k}{2n}\pi\right) \cdot \frac{1}{n}$$

and

$$U(\mathcal{P}_n, f) - L(\mathcal{P}_n, f) = \frac{1}{n}$$

Hence

$$U(\mathcal{P}_n, f) - \frac{1}{n} \leq \int_a^b f(x) dx \leq U(\mathcal{P}_n, f)$$

which yields

$$\left| \int_0^1 f(x) dx - U(\mathcal{P}_n, f) \right| \leq \frac{1}{n}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U(\mathcal{P}_n, f) &= \int_0^1 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 \sin\left(\frac{x\pi}{2}\right) dx \\ &= \frac{-2}{\pi} \left[ \cos\left(\frac{x\pi}{2}\right) \right]_0^1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \end{aligned}$$

3) a) See the coursebook

b). Note that for all  $n \geq 1$   $f_n(0) = f_n(1) = 0$ .

For all  $0 < x < 1$

$$|f_n(x)| = |x|^{n+1} (1-x)$$

which yields that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = 0$  for  $x \in [0, 1]$ .

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} f_n'(x) &= n(n+1)x^{n-1}(1-x) - (n+1)x^n \\ &= (n+1)x^{n-1}(n - nx - x). \end{aligned}$$

So  $f_n$  has a maximum at  $x_n = \frac{n}{n+1}$ .

In that case

$$\begin{aligned} f_n\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right) &= (n+1) \frac{n^n}{(n+1)^n} \left(1 - \frac{n}{n+1}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n} \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\|f_n\|_{\infty} = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e}.$$

Then,  $f_n$  does not converge uniformly to 0.

b) Define the formal series

$$f(x) = \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3} \sin(2\pi n x) \quad \text{let } a < b, \\ a, b \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\text{Let } S_N(x) = \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3} \sin(2\pi n x), \text{ for } N \geq 1.$$

Note that  $S_N$  is continuous and differentiable in  $\mathbb{R}$ , for being a finite sum of such functions.

Moreover

$$S'_N(x) = 2\pi \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos(2\pi n x) \in \mathcal{C}^0(a, b).$$

Note that for all  $n \geq 1$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\left| \frac{(-1)^n \cos(2\pi n x)}{n^2} \right| + \left| \frac{(-1)^n \sin(2\pi n x)}{n^3} \right| \leq \frac{1}{n^2}$$

and the series  $\sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{n^2}$  converges.

By the  $\eta$ -test of Weierstrass

$$S'_N \Rightarrow \int \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos(2\pi n x) = g$$

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$$S_N \Rightarrow f \quad \text{as } N \rightarrow +\infty.$$

Hence, we have that  $f$  is differentiable

$$\text{in } (a, b) \text{ and } f'(x) = \int \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos(2\pi n x)$$

for all  $x \in (a, b)$ , and  $g \in \mathcal{C}^0(a, b)$ .

Since  $a, b$  are arbitrary, we conclude that

$$f \in \mathcal{C}^1(\mathbb{R}) \text{ and } f' \in \mathcal{C}^0(\mathbb{R})$$

4) i) False

The set  $E = \{1\} \subset \mathbb{R}$  is finite, and neither countable nor uncountable

ii) True (Seen similar in the course, so we omit the details here.

Proof: Use of the root criteria.

iii) True

Given  $y \in \bigcap_{\alpha} V_{\alpha}$ , for all  $\alpha$   $y \in V_{\alpha}$ .

Since  $V_{\alpha}$  is open,  $\exists r_{\alpha} > 0$  :  $B(y, r_{\alpha}) \subset V_{\alpha}$ .

Define  $r = \min_{\alpha} r_{\alpha} > 0$  (there is a finite number of them). Then

$$B(y, r) \subset \bigcap_{\alpha} V_{\alpha}.$$

iv) False :  $f'([0, 1]) = \mathbb{R}$ .

v) False

Note that

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} f(h, h) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h^2}{2h^2} = \frac{1}{2} \neq f(0, 0)$$

So  $f$  is not continuous at  $(0, 0)$

This implies that  $f$  can't be differentiable at  $(0, 0)$ , and then it's not on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .