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Sub. Code

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M.Phil. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019

First Semester

Mathematics

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer any **five** questions.

1. Distinguish between exploratory research and conclusive research.
2. Give a sample table of contents of an algorithmic research report.
3. Define the following terms. Give an example for each :
 - (a) Submodule
 - (b) Annihilator of an R-module M
 - (c) Exact sequence.
4. Let $M = \bigoplus_{i=1}^n M_i$ and $N = \bigoplus_{j=1}^m N_j$. Prove that

$$M \otimes N \simeq \bigoplus_{i,j} (M_i \otimes N_j).$$

5. Define comaximal with an example. Let I_1, I_2, \dots, I_n be mutually comaximal ideals of R . Prove that $\bigcap_1^n I_i = \prod_1^n I_i$.
6. With the usual notations, prove that R_S is a flat R -module.
7. Write down the coercivity condition on $I[\cdot]$.
8. Narrate the Harmonic maps.

Part B

(5 × 10 = 50)

Answer **all** questions choosing either (a) or (b).

9. (a) Enumerate the following terms :
- (i) Mathematical model ;
 - (ii) Algorithmic research ;
 - (iii) Data collection ;
 - (iv) Interpretation of results.

Or

- (b) (i) What are the types of report? Explain them in brief.
- (ii) Discuss the guidelines for preparing bibliography.
10. (a) Show that an R -module $M = M_1 \oplus M_2 \oplus \dots \oplus M_n$ if and only if
- (i) $M = M_1 + M_2 + \dots + M_n$ and
 - (ii) $M_i \cap (M_1 + M_2 + \dots + M_{i-1} + M_{i+1} + \dots + M_n) = 0$ for all $i, 1 \leq i \leq n$.

Or

- (b) (i) If $0 \rightarrow M' \xrightarrow{f} M \xrightarrow{g} M'' \rightarrow 0$ is a split exact sequence, then prove that $M \simeq M' \oplus M''$.
- (ii) Define the following terms. Give an example for each : Flat and faithfully flat.
11. (a) (i) Define a local ring with an example. Prove that R is a local ring if and only if it has a unique maximal ideal.
- (ii) State and prove Nakayama lemma.

Or

- (b) Prove that the canonical map $f: R_s \otimes_R M \rightarrow M_s$ defined by $f[(a/s) \otimes x] \rightarrow (ax/s)$ is well defined and is an isomorphism of R_s -modules.
12. (a) (i) State and prove Divergence-free rows lemma.
- (ii) What is meant by weakly lower semicontinuous function?

Or

- (b) State and prove weak lower semicontinuity theory.
13. (a) State and prove the second derivatives for minimizers theorem.

Or

- (b) State and prove the Deformation theorem.

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First Semester

Mathematics

FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS

(CBCS – 2017 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer any **five** questions.

- Define a normed space with an example.
 - What is meant by topological vector space?
- If X is a complex topological vector space and $f : \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow X$ is linear, then prove that f is continuous.
- Define the following terms :
 - Cauchy sequence
 - Seminorm
 - Quotient norm.
- Define the quotient space. Also prove that L^p is a locally bounded F – space.
- State and prove the Banach-Steinhaus theorem.

6. If f is a continuous linear functional on a subspace M of locally convex space X , then prove that there exists $\lambda \in X^*$ such that $\lambda = f$ on M .
7. Suppose X and Y are Banach spaces, and $T \in \mathcal{B}(X, Y)$. Prove the following :
- (a) $\mathcal{N}(T^*) = \mathcal{R}(T)^\perp$
- (b) $\mathcal{N}(T) = {}^\perp\mathcal{R}(T^*)$
8. Let M be a closed subspace of a topological vector space X . If X is locally convex and $\dim M < \infty$, then prove that M is complemented in X .

Part B

(5 × 10 = 50)

Answer **all** questions choosing either (a) or (b).

9. (a) Let λ be a linear functional on a topological vector space X . Assume $\lambda x \neq 0$ for some $x \in X$. Prove that each of the following four properties implies the other three :
- (i) λ is continuous
- (ii) the null space $\mathcal{N}(\lambda)$ is closed
- (iii) $\mathcal{N}(\lambda)$ is not dense in X
- (iv) λ is bounded in some neighbourhood V of 0.

Or

- (b) If X is a topological vector space with a countable local base, then prove that there is a metric d on X such that

- (i) d is compatible with the topology of X
- (ii) the open balls centered at 0 are balanced, and
- (iii) d is invariant : $d(x+z, y+z) = d(x, y)$ for $x, y, z \in X$

If in addition, X is locally convex, then d can be chosen so as to satisfy (i), (ii), (iii) and also

- (iv) all open balls are convex
10. (a) Suppose Y is a subspace of a topological vector space X and Y is an F - space (in the topology inherited from X). Prove that Y is a closed subspace of X .

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that a topological vector space X is normable if and only if its origin has a convex bounded neighbourhood.
 - (ii) State the Heine-Borel property.
11. (a) State and prove the open mapping theorem.

Or

- (b) State and prove the closed graph theorem.
12. (a) Suppose :
- (i) M is a subspace of a real vector space X ,
 - (ii) $p : X \rightarrow R$ satisfies

$$p(x+y) \leq p(x) + p(y) \text{ and } p(tx) = p(x) \text{ if } x \in X, \\ y \in X, t \geq 0.$$

- (iii) $f: M \rightarrow R$ is linear and $f(x) \leq p(x)$ on M
 prove that there exists a linear $\wedge: X \rightarrow R$
 such that $\wedge x = f(x)$ ($x \in M$) and
 $-p(-x) \leq \wedge x \leq p(x)$ ($x \in X$).

Or

- (b) State and prove the Banach-Alaoglu theorem.
13. (a) Suppose X and Y are Banach spaces, and
 $T \in \mathcal{B}(X, Y)$. Prove that
- (i) $\mathcal{R}(T) = Y$ if and only if
- (ii) T^* is one-to-one and $\mathcal{R}(T^*)$ is norm-closed.

Or

- (b) Suppose X and Y are Banach spaces and
 $T \in \mathcal{B}(X, Y)$. Prove that T is compact if and only
 if T^* is compact.

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Second Semester

Mathematics

ANALYSIS

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Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer any **five** questions.

1. Let u and v be real measurable functions on a measurable space X , let ϕ be a continuous mapping of the plane into a topological space Y , and define $h(x) = \phi(u(x), v(x))$ for $x \in X$. Prove that $h: X \rightarrow Y$ is measurable.
2. Suppose $\mu(X) < \infty$, $f \in L^1(\mu)$, S is a closed set in the complex plane, and the averages $A_E(f) = \frac{1}{\mu(E)} \int_E f d\mu$ lie in S for every $E \in \mathcal{G}$ with $\mu(E) > 0$. Prove that $f(x) \in S$ for almost all $x \in X$.
3. Define the following terms:
 - (a) Hausdorff space;
 - (b) Locally compact;
 - (c) Borel measure.
4. State and prove the Lusin's theorem.

5. For $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, prove that $C_c(X)$ dense in $L^p(\mu)$.
6. Derive the Schwarz inequality.
7. Show that every orthonormal set B in a Hilbert space H is contained in a maximal orthonormal set in H .
8. For every $x \in A$, prove that $\sigma(x)$ is compact and not empty.

Part B

(5 × 10 = 50)

Answer **all** questions choosing either (a) or (b).

9. (a) Let μ be a positive measure on a σ -algebra \mathfrak{M} . Prove the following:
 - (i) $\mu(\emptyset) = 0$.
 - (ii) $\mu(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n) = \mu(A_1) + \mu(A_2) + \dots + \mu(A_n)$ if A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n are pairwise disjoint members of \mathfrak{M} .
 - (iii) $A \subset B$ implies $\mu(A) \leq \mu(B)$ if $A \in \mathfrak{M}$, $B \in \mathfrak{M}$.
 - (iv) $\mu(A_n) \rightarrow \mu(A)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ if $A = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$, $A_n \in \mathfrak{M}$ and $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset A_3 \subset \dots$
 - (v) $\mu(A_n) \rightarrow \mu(A)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ if $A = \bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$, $A_n \in \mathfrak{M}$, $A_1 \supset A_2 \supset A_3 \supset \dots$ and $\mu(A_1)$ is finite.

Or
- (b) (i) State and prove Fatou's lemma.
- (ii) State and prove the Lebesgue's dominated convergence theorem.

10. (a) (i) State and prove the Urysohn's lemma.
- (ii) Let X be a locally compact Hausdorff space in which every open set is σ -compact. Let λ be any positive Borel measure on X such that $\lambda(K) < \infty$ for every compact set K . Prove that λ is regular.

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that every set of positive measure has non measurable subsets.
- (ii) State and prove the Vitali-Caratheodory theorem.
11. (a) (i) Derive Jensen's inequality.
- (ii) Suppose $1 \leq p \leq \infty$, and $f \in L^p(\mu)$, $g \in L^p(\mu)$. Prove that $f + g \in L^p(\mu)$ and $\|f + g\|_p \leq \|f\|_p + \|g\|_p$.

Or

- (b) (i) Let S be the class of all complex, measurable, simple functions on X such that $\mu(\{x : s(x) \neq 0\}) < \infty$. If $1 \leq p < \infty$, then prove S is dense in $L^p(\mu)$.
- (ii) If X is a locally compact Hausdorff space, then prove that $C_c(X)$ is the completion of $C_c(X)$, relative to the metric defined by the supremum norm $\|f\| = \sup_{x \in X} |f(x)|$.

12. (a) Let M be a closed subspace of a Hilbert space H . Prove the following.
- (i) Every $x \in H$ has then a unique decomposition $x = P_x + Q_x$ into a sum of $P_x \in M$ and $Q_x \in M^\perp$.
 - (ii) P_x and Q_x are the nearest points to x in M and in M^\perp , respectively.
 - (iii) The mappings $p: H \rightarrow M$ and $Q: H \rightarrow M^\perp$ are linear.
 - (iv) $\|x\|^2 = \|P_x\|^2 + \|Q_x\|^2$.

Or

- (b) State and prove the parseval theorem.

13. (a) (i) Define the following terms:
- (1) Banach algebra;
 - (2) Invertible element;
 - (3) Spectrum of an element.
- (ii) Derive the spectral radius formula.

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that x is invertible in A if and only if $h(x) \neq 0$ for every $h \in \Delta$.

- (ii) Suppose $f(e^{i\theta}) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} c_n e^{in\theta}$, $\sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |c_n| < \infty$ and $f(e^{i\theta}) \neq 0$ for every real θ . Prove that $\frac{1}{f(e^{i\theta})} = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_n e^{in\theta}$ with $\sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |\gamma_n| < \infty$.