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Paper Title : Metric Space

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Duration: 3 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions:*

*Answer all the question.*

**1. Choose and rewrite the correct answer for each of the following:**

**1 × 3 = 3**

- a) In the discrete metric space  $X_d$ , the closed sphere  $S_r[x] = \{x\}$  if
- i)  $0 < r \leq 1$
  - ii)  $0 < r < 1$
  - iii)  $1 < r$
  - iv)  $1 \leq r$
- b) The property of convergence of a sequence in a metric space  $(X, d)$
- i) Does not depend on the space  $X$ .
  - ii) depends only on the space  $X$ .
  - iii) depends only on the metric used.
  - iv) depends on the space  $X$  and the metric used.
- c) Consider the following Statements:
- $S_1$  : A finite set in any metric space is compact
- $S_2$  : The usual metric space  $R_u$  is compact.

Then

- i) Only  $S_1$  is true.
- ii) Only  $S_2$  is true.
- iii) both  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  are true.
- iv) neither  $S_1$  nor  $S_2$  is true.

**2. Write very short answer for each of the following questions :**

**$1 \times 6 = 6$**

- Define dense subset.
- Give an example of a Cauchy sequence that is not convergent.
- Show that the metric spaces  $[0,1]$  and  $[0,3]$  with the usual metric are homomorphic.
- Define cover of a metric space.
- Is the set  $\{0, 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\}$  in the usual metric space  $\mathbb{R}_u$  compact ? Justify your answer.
- Define Lebesgue number.

**3. Write short answer for each of the following questions:**

**$3 \times 5 = 15$**

- Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Prove that  $|d(x, z) - d(z, y)| \leq d(x, y)$ .
- Prove that every finite set in a metric space is closed.
- Show that a Cauchy sequence in a metric space is convergent if it has a convergent subsequence.
- Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and let  $A, B \subset X$  be compact. Prove that  $A \cap B$  is compact.
- Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, \rho)$  be metric space and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a continuous function. If  $A \subset X$  is compact in  $X$ , then prove that  $f(A)$  is compact in  $Y$ .

**4. Answer the following questions:**

**$4 \times 5 = 20$**

- For  $x = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$  and  $y = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n)$  in  $\mathbf{R}^n$ , define  $d(x, y) = \{\sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_i - \beta_i)^2\}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . Prove that  $(\mathbf{R}^n, d)$  is a metric space.
- Prove that every open sphere in a metric space is an open set.
- Let  $(X, d)$  and  $(Y, \rho)$  be metric spaces and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a function. Prove that  $f$  is continuous if and only if  $f(A) \subset \overline{f(A)}$ , for every subset  $A$  of  $X$ .
- Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and  $A \subset X$ . Then, show that the function  $f : X \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$  given by  $f(x) = d(x, A)$ ,  $x \in X$  is uniformly continuous.
- Prove that in a compact metric space every closed subset is compact.

**5. Answer any two of the following questions:** **$6 \times 2 = 12$** 

- a) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space and let  $A, B \subset C$ . Then prove that
- i)  $A \subset B \Rightarrow A^\circ \subset B^\circ$ .
  - ii)  $(A \cap B)^\circ = A^\circ \cap B^\circ$ .
  - iii)  $(A \cup B)^\circ = A^\circ \cup B^\circ$ .
- b) Let  $X, d$  be a metric space. Then prove that
- i) Arbitrary intersection of closed sets in  $X$  is closed.
  - ii) Finite union of closed sets in  $X$  is closed.
- c) Let  $(Y, d_Y)$  be a subspace of a metric space  $X, d$  and  $A \subset X$ . Then prove that
- i)  $A$  is open in  $Y$  if and only if  $\exists$  an open set  $G$  in  $X$  such that  $A = G \cap Y$ .
  - ii)  $A$  is closed in  $Y$  if and if  $\exists$  a closed set  $F$  in  $X$  such that  $A = F \cap Y$ .

**6. Answer any two of the following questions:** **$6 \times 2 = 12$** 

- a) Show that the sequence space  $l^\infty$  is a complete metric space.
- b) Show that metric space  $(C[0, 1], d_1)$ , where  $d_1(x, y) = \int_0^1 |x(t) - y(t)| dt$ , is not complete.
- c) Let  $(X, d)$  be a complete metric space and let  $\{F_n\}$  be a decreasing sequence of non-empty closed subsets of  $X$  such that  $d(F_n) \rightarrow 0$ . Then prove that the intersection  $\cap_{n=1}^\infty F_n$  contains exactly one point.

**7. Answer any two of the following questions:** **$6 \times 2 = 12$** 

- a) Prove that a metric space is sequentially compact if and only if it has the Bolzano-Weierstrass Property.
- b) Let  $(X, d)$  be a metric space. Prove that  $X$  is totally bounded if and only if every sequence in  $X$  contains a Cauchy sequence.
- c) Show that a metric space  $(X, d)$  is compact if and only if every collection of closed subsets of  $X$  having finite intersection property has non-empty intersection.

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