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**IV Semester B.Sc. Honours in Mathematics Degree
(C.B.C.S.S. – Supplementary) Examination, April 2025
(2019 and 2020 Admissions)
BHM401 : ADVANCED REAL ANALYSIS AND METRIC SPACES**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

SECTION – A

Answer **any 4** questions out of 5 questions. **Each** question carries 1 mark. (4×1=4)

1. Define Riemann sum of a function.
2. Define the distance between two nonempty subsets.
3. Find the norm of the partition $P = \{0, 1, 2, 4\}$ of $I = [0, 4]$.
4. Find $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx}{1+x^2n^2} \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$.
5. State substitution theorem.

SECTION – B

Answer **any 6** questions out of 9 questions. **Each** question carries 2 marks. (6×2=12)

6. Evaluate $\int_{-10}^{10} \text{sgn}(x)dx$ where $\text{sgn}(x)$ denotes the signum function.
7. Differentiate between Pointwise convergence and uniform convergence of sequence of functions.
8. If $f \in R[a, b]$ and if $[c, d] \subseteq [a, b]$ then prove that the restriction of f to $[c, d]$ is in $R[c, d]$.
9. Is an arbitrary union of closed sets closed? Justify.
10. State Weierstrass M-test.

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11. Let (X, d) be a metric space. Then prove that empty set and the whole space X are closed sets.
12. State Holder's Inequality.
13. State and prove arithmetic mean-geometric mean inequality.
14. Define cantor set.

SECTION – C

Answer **any 8** questions out of 12 questions. **Each** question carries 4 marks. (8×4=32)

15. If $f \in R[a, b]$ then prove that the value of the integral is uniquely determined.
16. If g is integrable on $[a, b]$ and if $f(x) = g(x)$ except for a finite number of points in $[a, b]$ then prove that f is Riemann integrable and $\int_a^b f = \int_a^b g$.
17. If $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous on $[a, b]$, then prove that $f \in R[a, b]$.
18. Let (f_n) be a sequence of continuous functions on a set $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ and suppose that (f_n) converges uniformly on A to a function $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Then prove that f is continuous on A .
19. Show that $G_n(x) = x^n(1-x)$ for $x \in A = [0, 1]$ converges uniformly on A .
20. Define Cauchy sequence. Does every Cauchy sequence converges? Justify.
21. Let $X = C[0, 1]$, for $x, y \in X$ define $d(x, y) = \sup\{x(t) - y(t) : 0 \leq t \leq 1\}$. Calculate the distance between $x(t) = t$ & $y(t) = t^2$.
22. Let (X, d) be a metric space and A, B be subsets of X . Then prove the following :
 - a) If $A \subseteq B$ then $A^0 \subseteq B^0$.
 - b) $(A \cap B)^0 = A^0 \cap B^0$.



23. If Y is a nonempty subset of a metric space (X, d) , and (Y, d_Y) is complete, then prove that Y is closed in X .
24. Let (X, d) be a metric space. Define $d' : X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $d'(x, y) = \frac{d(x, y)}{1 + d(x, y)}$. Prove that d' is a metric on X .
25. Prove that a mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous on X if and only if $f^{-1}(G)$ is open in X for all open subsets G of Y .
26. Show that Thomae's function is Riemann integrable on $[0, 1]$.

SECTION – D

Answer **any 2** questions out of 4 questions. **Each** question carries 6 marks. (2×6=12)

27. Let (f_n) be a sequence of functions in $R[a, b]$ and suppose that (f_n) converges uniformly on $[a, b]$ to f . Then prove that $f \in R[a, b]$ and $\int_a^b f = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^b f_n$.
28. The space $B(S)$ of all real-or complex-valued functions f on S , each of which is bounded, with the uniform metric $d(f, g) = \sup_{x \in S} |f(x) - g(x)|$, $f, g \in B(S)$. Prove that $B(S)$ with this metric is complete.
29. Let (X, d_X) and (Y, d_Y) be metric spaces and $A \subseteq X$. Prove that a function $f : A \rightarrow Y$ is continuous at $a \in A$ if and only if whenever a sequence $\{x_n\}$ in A converges to a , the sequence $\{f(x_n)\}$ converges to $f(a)$.
30. Let $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and let $c \in (a, b)$. Then prove that $f \in R[a, b]$ if and only if the restrictions to $[a, c]$ and $[c, b]$ are both Riemann integrable.