



**WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY**

B.Sc. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2020

**MTMACOR08T-MATHEMATICS (CC8)**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.  
All symbols are of usual significance.*

**Answer Question No. 1 and any five from the rest**

1. Answer any **five** questions from the following: 2×5 = 10

(a) Let  $f(x) = c$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq c$   
 $= 2c$ ,  $c < x \leq 1$ .

If  $\int_0^1 f(x) dx = \frac{7}{16}$ , find the value of  $c$ .

(b) Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{n}, \quad \frac{1}{n+1} < x \leq \frac{1}{n}, \quad n \in \mathbb{N},$$

$$= 0, \quad x = 0.$$

Show that  $f$  is Riemann integrable.

(c) Show that the integral  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{\sqrt{x+x^3}} dx$  is absolutely convergent.

(d) Assuming convergence of the integral, evaluate  $\int_0^{\infty} \sqrt{x} e^{-x^3} dx$ .

(e) For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f_n(x) = x^n$ ,  $x \in [0, 1)$ . Find the limit function of  $\{f_n\}$  and check the validity of  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f_n(x)$ .

(f) For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{1+x^n}$ ,  $x \in [0, \frac{3}{2}]$ . Find the limit function of  $\{f_n\}$  and check the continuity of the limit function. Is the convergence uniform?

(g) Show that the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin nx}{n^2}$  converges uniformly on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(h) Find the radius of convergence of the power series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1.3.5 \dots (2n-1)}{2.5.8 \dots (3n-1)} x^n$ .

2. (a) If  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a bounded function. Prove that  $f$  is Riemann integrable over  $[a, b]$  if and only if for any  $\varepsilon > 0$  there is a partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$  such that 4

$$U(P, f) - L(P, f) < \varepsilon.$$

- (b) Give an example with proper justification of a Riemann integrable function which has no primitive. 4

3. (a) Examine the convergence of  $\int_0^1 x^{p-1} \log x dx$  for  $p > 0$ . 4

- (b) Apply Dirichlet's test to show that  $\int_0^\infty \cos(x^2) dx$  is convergent. 4

4. (a) If  $D \subset \mathbb{R}$  and each function  $f_n : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  of the sequence of functions  $\{f_n\}$  be continuous on  $D$  and  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly to  $f$  on  $D$  then prove that  $f$  is continuous on  $D$ . 3

- (b) Show that the sequence of functions  $f_n$  defined on  $[0, 1]$  by 2+2+1

$$f_n(x) = x(1-nx), \quad 0 \leq x < \frac{1}{n}$$

$$= 0, \quad \frac{1}{n} \leq x \leq 1$$

converges to the function  $f$  given by  $f(x) = 0, x \in [0, 1]$ . Show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx \neq \int_0^1 f(x) dx. \text{ Is the convergence of the sequence uniform?}$$

5. (a) Let the power series  $\sum_{n=0}^\infty a_n x^n$  converge at a point  $c \neq 0$ . Show that the series converges absolutely for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $|x| < |c|$ . 4

- (b) Assuming  $\frac{1}{1+x^2} = 1 - x^2 + x^4 - x^6 + \dots$  for  $-1 < x < 1$ , obtain the power series expansion for  $\tan^{-1} x$ . Also deduce that  $1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots = \frac{\pi}{4}$ . 3+1

6. Show that the function defined by 4+2+2

$$f(x) = (\pi - |x|)^2, \quad x \in [-\pi, \pi]$$

satisfies the Dirichlet's condition in  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Obtain the Fourier series of  $f(x)$  in

$$[-\pi, \pi]. \text{ Hence deduce that } \sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6} \text{ and } \sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{1}{n^4} = \frac{\pi^4}{90}.$$

7. (a) Show that  $\int_0^1 x^{m-1} (1-x)^{n-1} dx$  is convergent if and only if  $m > 0, n > 0$ . 5

- (b) Show that  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^m \theta \cos^n \theta d\theta = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{m+1}{2}\right) \Gamma\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)}{2\Gamma\left(\frac{m+n+2}{2}\right)}$ . 3

8. (a) A function  $f$  is defined on  $[0, 1]$  by 2+2

$$f(x) = (-1)^{n-1} \quad \text{when } \frac{1}{n+1} < x \leq \frac{1}{n}, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{when } x = 0.$$

Prove that  $f$  is integrable on  $[0, 1]$  and  $\int_0^1 f = \log \frac{4}{e}$ .

- (b) Show that  $\frac{\pi^3}{96} < \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{x^2}{5+3\sin x} dx < \frac{\pi^3}{24}$ . 4

9. (a) The sequence of continuous functions  $\{h_n\}$  is uniformly convergent on  $[a, b]$  and 4

$g_n(x) = \int_a^x h_n(x) dx$ ,  $a \leq x \leq b$ . Prove that the sequence  $\{g_n\}$  is uniformly convergent on  $[a, b]$ .

- (b) Examine the uniform convergence of the sequence of functions  $\{g_n\}$  where for 4  
each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $g_n$  is defined by  $g_n(x) = \frac{nx}{1+n^3x^2}$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$ .

**N.B. :** Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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