

**B.Sc. MATHEMATICS EXAMINATION, 2019**

( 2nd Year, 2nd Semester )

**MATHEMATICS ( HONOURS )****CORE - 8****RIEMANN INTEGRATION & SERIES OF FUNCTIONS**

Time : Two hours

Full Marks : 50

**PART - I**

Symbols / Notations have their usual meanings.

(Answer *any four* questions)

1. Why do you assume that a function  $f: [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is bounded for its Riemann integrability on  $[a, b]$ ? If  $P_1, P_2$  are any two partitions of  $[a, b]$ , then show that

$$S_*(f, P_1) \leq S^*(f, P_2). \quad 5$$

2. Suppose a function  $f$  be bounded and integrable on  $[a, b]$ , then prove that the function  $F$  defined as

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt, \quad a \leq x \leq b, \text{ is continuous on } [a, b]. \text{ Further if}$$

$f$  is continuous at any point  $c$  in  $[a, b]$ , then prove that  $F$  is derivable at  $C$  and  $F'(c) = f(c)$ . 5

11. Find the radius of convergence of following power series :

i)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^3 x^3$       ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{n^2} x^n$ .

12. Let  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n, -1 < x < 1$ . If  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n$  is convergent then show that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n$ . Give an example to show that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x)$  may not exist if  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_n$  is not convergent.

13. i) Find the Fourier series of the function  $f(x) = \cos x + \sin 2x$  in  $[-\pi, \pi]$ .  
ii) Give an example of a function  $f$  for which the Fourier series at a point may fail to coincide with the functional value at that point.

14. Use the Fourier series for  $f(x) = |x|$  in  $[-\pi, \pi]$  to find the sum of

$$\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots$$

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3. What is an improper integral ? Test the convergence of

i)  $\int_0^1 x^{n-1} \log x dx$

ii)  $\int_0^1 x^{-3/2} \sin \frac{1}{x} dx$  5

4. If  $f$  be bounded and Riemann Integrable in  $[a, b]$ , then prove that  $|f|$  is also bounded and Riemann integrable in  $[a, b]$  and

$$\left| \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \int_a^b |f(x)| dx$$

Is the converse of the above statement true ? Justify your answer. 5

5. Prove that  $B(m,n) = \frac{\overline{(m)} \cdot \overline{(n)}}{\Gamma(m+n)}$ ,  $m > 0$ ,  $n > 0$  and hence

evaluate  $\overline{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}$ . 5

6. If the function  $f : [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be defined by  $f(x) = a^n$ ,  $a^{n+1} < x \leq a^n$ , for  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  and  $f(0) = 0$ ,

where  $0 < a < 1$

Is  $f$  Riemann integrable on  $[0, 1]$ ? 5

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### PART - II

(Answer *any six* questions)

(Each question carry five marks) 5×6=30

7. Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of functions, continuous on a compact set  $E$  such that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise on  $E$ . If  $f_n(x) \geq f_{n+1}(x)$  for  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  and for every  $x \in E$  then show that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly.

8. State Weierstrass's M-test for the uniform convergence of series of functions and use it to show that the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 + x^2}$$

is uniformly convergent.

9. Let  $f : [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function such that

$$\int_a^b x^n f(x) dx = 0, \quad \forall n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Then show that  $f = 0$ .

10. Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of functions on  $[0, \infty)$  defined as follows :

$$f_n(x) = \frac{1}{n} \exp^{-nx}.$$

Then show that  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly on  $[0, \infty)$ .