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**TDC (CBCS) Even Semester Exam., 2023**

**MATHEMATICS**

**( Honours )**

**( 4th Semester )**

Course No. : MTMHCC-402T

**( Riemann Integration and Series of Functions )**

*Full Marks : 70*

*Pass Marks : 28*

*Time : 3 hours*

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

**SECTION—A**

Answer any *ten* of the following questions :

$2 \times 10 = 20$ .

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

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{when } x \in \mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1] \\ 1, & \text{when } x \in (\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}) \cap [0, 1] \end{cases}$$

For any partition  $P$  of  $[0, 1]$ , find  $L(P, f)$ .



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2. Give example of a Riemann integrable function  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  which is not monotone.
3. Show that  $\int_0^1 5 dx$  exists and find its value.
4. Construct a function  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that  $|f|$  is Riemann integrable but  $f$  is not Riemann integrable.
5. Is the equation  $\int_a^b f'(x) dx = f(b) - f(a)$  always valid for any differentiable function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ? Justify.
6. State fundamental theorem of integral calculus.
7. Test the convergence of the integral 
$$\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{x^2}$$
8. Write down Legendre's duplication formula about gamma function.
9. Define beta function and gamma function. 1+1=2
10. Find the pointwise limit of the sequence of functions  $\{\tan^{-1} nx\}$ ,  $n \geq 1$ ,  $x \geq 0$ .

11. State Weierstrass  $M$ -test for convergence of a series of functions.
12. Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of functions defined on  $[a, b]$  and  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Explain the meaning of  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise and  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . 1+1=2
13. Define limit superior of a sequence  $\{a_n\}$ .
14. Find the radius of convergence of the power series  $1 + x + 2!x^2 + 3!x^3 + \dots$ .
15. Does there exist a power series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  which converges for  $x=3$  but diverges for  $x=-2$ ? Justify your answer.

SECTION—B

Answer any five of the following questions :  $10 \times 5 = 50$

16. (a) Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be bounded and  $P_1, P_2$  are any two partitions of  $[a, b]$ . Show that  $L(P_1, f) \leq U(P_2, f)$ . 5
- (b) Show that every continuous function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable. Give an example to show that the converse is not true. 3+2=5



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17. (a) Show that a bounded function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Riemann integrable over  $[a, b]$  iff  $\forall \epsilon > 0$  there exists a partition  $P$  of  $[a, b]$  such that  $U(P, f) - L(P, f) < \epsilon$ . 5

(b) Show that

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2^n}, & \text{when } \frac{1}{2^{n+1}} < x \leq \frac{1}{2^n} \\ 0, & \text{when } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

is Riemann integrable on  $[0, 1]$  and

$$\text{hence find } \int_0^1 f(x) dx. \quad 2+3=5$$

18. (a) If  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is bounded and Riemann integrable on  $[a, b]$ , then show that  $|f|$  is also Riemann integrable on  $[a, b]$  and that

$$\left| \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| \leq \int_a^b |f(x)| dx \quad 3+2=5$$

(b) Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous. Show that there exists  $c \in [a, b]$  such that

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = f(c)(b-a) \quad 5$$

19. (a) If  $f, g : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are integrable, then show that  $f - g$  is also integrable and

$$\int_a^b (f - g)(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx - \int_a^b g(x) dx \quad 5$$

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(b) Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous on  $[a, b]$ . Show that the function  $F : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$F(x) = \int_a^x f(t) dt$$

is differentiable in  $(a, b)$  and that  $F'(c) = f(c)$  for every  $c \in (a, b)$ . 5

20. (a) Find all values of  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  for which the improper integral  $\int_a^b \frac{dx}{(b-x)^n}$  converges. 5

(b) Show that

$$\Gamma(n+1) = n! \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad 5$$

21. (a) Show that  $\int_0^{\pi/2} \log \sin x dx$  is convergent and find its value. 3+2=5

(b) Show that the gamma integral

$$\int_0^{\infty} x^{n-1} e^{-x} dx.$$

converges for  $n > 0$ . 5

22. (a) Show that if a sequence of functions converges uniformly to some function, then it converges pointwise to the same function. Give an example to justify that the converse is not true. 2+3=5

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(b) Test the sequence

$$\left\{ \frac{nx}{1+n^2x^2} \right\}, -1 \leq x \leq 1, n \in \mathbb{N}$$

for uniform convergence.

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23. (a) Let  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise on  $[a, b]$  and

$$M_n = \sup\{|f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in [a, b]\}$$

Show that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly iff  $M_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

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(b) Let  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly in  $[a, b]$  and each  $f_n$  is continuous in  $[a, b]$ . Is  $f$  necessarily continuous in  $[a, b]$ ? Justify.

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24. (a) Let  $\{a_n\}$  be a bounded sequence of real numbers and  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Show that there exists  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $a_n > a - \varepsilon \forall n \geq k$ , where  $a := \liminf_n a_n$ .

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(b) Find the radius of convergence for the following power series : 3+2=5

(i)  $x + \frac{x^2}{2^2} + \frac{2!x^3}{3^3} + \frac{3!x^4}{4^4} + \dots$

(ii)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^n}$

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25. (a) Find the limit inferior and limit superior for the sequence  $\{a_n\}$ , where

$$a_n = \sin \frac{n\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{N}$$

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(b) State and prove Cauchy-Hadamard formula for radius of convergence of power series.

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