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a)(1) If f is a monotonically increasing function and α is a continuous function on $[a,b]$ then prove that $f \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$.

OR

(2) Prove: $f \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$ if and only if given $\epsilon > 0$, there exists a partition P of $[a,b]$ such that $U(P, f, \alpha) - L(P, f, \alpha) < \epsilon$. (5)

b) (1) Let $f: [a,b] \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ be a bounded function and α be a monotonically increasing

function on $[a,b]$ then prove that $\int_a^b f d\alpha \leq \int_a^b f d\alpha$. (8)

(2) Suppose $f \in \mathbf{R}$ on $[a,b]$. If there is a differentiable function F on $[a,b]$ such that

$F'(x) = f(x)$, $x \in [a,b]$ then prove that $\int_a^b f(x) dx = F(b) - F(a)$. (7)

OR

(3) Let $f \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ and $g \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$ then prove that fg and $|f| \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$. (7)

(4) Let $f \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$ and $m \leq f \leq M$. Suppose that ϕ is continuous on $[m,M]$. Define

$h(x) = \phi(f(x))$, $\forall x \in [a,b]$ then prove that $h \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a,b]$. (8)

II.

a) Prove the following results:

(i) If $A, B \in L(\mathbf{R}^n, \mathbf{R}^m)$ then $\|A+B\| \leq \|A\| + \|B\|$ and

(ii) If $A \in L(\mathbf{R}^n, \mathbf{R}^m)$ and $B \in L(\mathbf{R}^m, \mathbf{R}^n)$ then $\|BA\| \leq \|B\| \|A\|$.

OR

(2) Suppose that \bar{f} maps a convex open set $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ into \mathbb{R}^m , \bar{f} is differentiable on E and there exists a constant M such that $\|f'\| \leq M, \forall x \in E$, then prove that

$$|\bar{f}(b) - \bar{f}(a)| \leq M |b - a|, \forall a, b \in E. \quad (5)$$

b) (1) Suppose \bar{f} maps an open set $E \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ into \mathbb{R}^m . Then prove that $\bar{f} \in C'(E)$ if and only if the partial derivatives $D_j f_i$ exist and are continuous on E for $1 \leq i \leq m$ and $1 \leq j \leq n$.

OR

(2) If X is a complete metric space and if ϕ is a contraction of X into X , then prove that there exists one and only one $x \in X$ such that $\phi(x) = x$. (15)

III.

a)(1) Prove that (X) , the set of all continuous, complex valued, bounded functions, defined on X , is a complete metric space with respect to the metric supremum norm.

OR

(2) If $\{f_n\}$ is a sequence of continuous functions defined on E and if $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on E , then prove that f is continuous on E . (5)

b)(1) Let α be monotonically increasing function on $[a, b]$. Let $f_n \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ on $[a, b]$, $n = 1, 2, \dots$ and let $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on $[a, b]$ then prove that $f \in \mathfrak{R}(\alpha)$ and

$$\int_a^b f d\alpha = \int_a^b f_n d\alpha \quad (7)$$

(2) Suppose that $\{f_n\}$ is a sequence of differentiable functions on $[a, b]$. Suppose that $\{f_n(x_0)\}$ converges uniformly on $[a, b]$ to some function f and then prove that

$$f'(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f'_n(x), a \leq x \leq b. \quad (8)$$

OR

(3) State and prove Stone-Weierstrass theorem. (15)

IV.

a) (1) Suppose that the series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$ converges for $|x| < R$, and define $f(x) =$

$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$, ($|x| < R$). Then prove that $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$ converges uniformly on $[-R+\epsilon, R-\epsilon]$,

no matter which $\epsilon > 0$ is chosen. And prove that the function f is continuous and

differentiable in $(-R, R)$ and $f'(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n c_n x^{n-1}$, ($|x| < R$).

OR

(2) Expand $f(x) = x$, $-\pi < x < \pi$, as a Fourier series with period 2π . (5)

b) (1) Suppose $\sum C_n$ converges. Put $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$ ($-1 < x < 1$). Then prove that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n. \quad (7)$$

(2) State and prove Parseval's theorem. (8)

OR

(3) Explain with usual notations: Fourier series, orthogonal and orthonormal system. And

prove the following theorem: Let $\{\phi_n\}$ be orthonormal on $[a, b]$. Let $S_n(x) =$

$\sum_{m=1}^n c_m \phi_m(x)$ be the n^{th} partial sum of the Fourier series of f and suppose that

$$t_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n \gamma_m \phi_m(x). \text{ Then prove that } \int_a^b |f - S_n|^2 dx \leq \int_a^b |f - t_n|^2 dx \text{ and equality holds if}$$

and only if $\gamma_m = c_m$, $m = 1, 2, \dots, n$. (15)

V.

a) (1) Define Chebyshev polynomial and list down its properties.

OR

(2) If f has a derivative of order n at a point x_0 , then prove that the Taylor Polynomial

$$P(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \left(\frac{f^{(k)}(x_0)}{k!} \right) (x-x_0)^k \text{ is the unique polynomial such that } \|f - P\| \leq \|f - Q\|$$

whatever Q may be in $P^{(n)}$. (5)

b)(1) Given $n+1$ distinct points x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n and $n+1$ real numbers $f(x_0), f(x_1), \dots, f(x_n)$ not necessarily distinct, then prove that there exists one and only one polynomial P of degree $\leq n$ such that $P(x_j) = f(x_j)$ for each $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n$. and the polynomial is

given by the formula
$$P(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{f(x_k) A_k(x)}{A_k(x_k)} \text{ where } A_k(x) = \prod_{\substack{j=0 \\ j \neq k}}^n (x - x_j). \quad (7)$$

(2) Let $P_{n+1}(x) = x^{n+1} Q(x)$ where Q is a polynomial of degree $\leq n$ and let

$\|P_{n+1}\| = \text{maximum of } |P_{n+1}(x)|, a \leq x \leq b$. Then prove that we get the inequality

$$\|P_{n+1}\| \geq \frac{\left(\frac{b-a}{2}\right)^{n+1}}{2^n} \text{ with equality holding if and only if}$$

$$P_{n+1} = \frac{(b-a)^{n+1}}{2^{2n+1}} T_{n+1}\left(\frac{2x-a-b}{b-a}\right). \quad (8)$$

OR

(3) Assume that the derivative $f^{(n+1)}$ exists on $[a,b]$ and let T be the polynomial of degree $\leq n$ that best approximates f on $[a,b]$ relative to the maximum norm. Then prove that there are $(n+1)$ distinct points x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n in the open interval (a,b) such that for

each x in $[a,b]$ we get
$$f(x) - T(x) = \frac{A(x)}{(n+1)!} f^{(n+1)}(c) \text{ where } A(x) = (x-x_0)(x-x_1)\dots(x-x_n) \text{ and } \min\{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n, x\} < C < \max\{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n, x\}. \quad (15)$$

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