

University of Ruhuna
Bachelor of Science Special Degree Level I
(Semester I) Examination - July 2016

Subject: Mathematics

Course Unit: MSP312 β . (Real Analysis III)

Time :Two (02) Hours

Answer 04 Questions only.

1. (a) Let $a \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $r > 0$, and A be a subset of \mathbb{R}^n . Define the following terms:

(i) An open n -ball in \mathbb{R}^n with the center a and the radius $r > 0$.

(ii) An interior point of A .

(iii) An exterior point of A .

(b) Prove that the Cauchy-Schwartz inequality

$$|\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y}| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{y}\|, \text{ for all } \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

(c) Using the Cauchy-Schwartz inequality prove that the triangle inequality

$$\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\|, \text{ for all } \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

(d) Show that

$$(a + b + c)^2 \leq 3(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)$$

where a, b, c are real numbers.

(e) Determine whether each of the following set is open or not.

(i) $A = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x^2 + y^2 < 2\}$

(ii) $B = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \|\mathbf{x}\| \geq 2\}$.

2. (a) Let $f : \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function defined on an open set $\mathbf{A} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$. Define the followings:

(i) $\lim_{\mathbf{x} \rightarrow \mathbf{a}} f(\mathbf{x}) = L$, and

(ii) f is continuous at a point \mathbf{a} ,

where $\mathbf{a} \in \mathbf{A}$.

(b) Find the following limits:

(i) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy(x^2 - y^2)}{x^2 + y^2}$,

(ii) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{\sqrt{x^2 y^2 + 1} - 1}{x^2 + y^2}$.

(c) Prove that the following limits do not exist.

(i) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,0)} \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$,

(ii) $\lim_{(x,y) \rightarrow (0,1)} \frac{x}{x + y - 1}$.

(d) Use part (a)(ii), to show that

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} x \sin(\frac{1}{y}) + y \sin(\frac{1}{x}) & xy \neq 0 \\ 0 & xy = 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous at $(0, 0)$.

3. Let $f(x, y)$ be a two variable function defined on a subset \mathbf{A} of \mathbb{R}^2 .

(a) Define the first partial derivatives $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ of f .

(b) If

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{x^2+y^2} & (x, y) \neq (0, 0) \\ 0 & (x, y) = (0, 0) \end{cases}$$

show that both partial derivatives exist at $(0, 0)$, but the function is not continuous at $(0, 0)$.

(c) Let $(a, b) \in A$. If

(i) $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ is continuous at (a, b) ,

(ii) $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ exists at (a, b)

then show that f is differentiable at (a, b) .

(d) Show that the function

$$f(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{xy}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} & x^2 + y^2 \neq 0 \\ 0 & x^2 + y^2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

is continuous, possesses partial derivatives but is not differentiable at the origin.

4. (a) Let $z = x^3 - xy + y^3$, $x = r \cos(\theta)$, $y = r \sin(\theta)$. Find $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}$ and $\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$.

(b) Show that $z = f(x, y)$ satisfies

$$x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 2y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y},$$

where f is differentiable function.

(c) If u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n be n differentiable functions of n variables x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n , then write down the Jacobian matrix.

(d) The roots of the equation in λ

$$(\lambda - x)^3 + (\lambda - y)^3 + (\lambda - z)^3 = 0,$$

are u, v, w . Prove that the Jacobian is given by,

$$\frac{\partial(u, v, w)}{\partial(x, y, z)} = -2 \frac{(y-z)(z-x)(x-y)}{(v-w)(w-u)(u-v)}$$

5. (a) Explain briefly, how you find the extreme values of a two-variable function $f(x, y)$ defined on a subset in \mathbb{R}^2 .

(b) Write down a necessary condition for $f(x, y)$ to have an extreme value at (a, b) .

(c) Give an example for a function $f(x, y)$ that has an extreme value at $(0, 0)$ but the partial derivatives f_x and f_y do not exist at $(0, 0)$.

(d) Find the maxima and minima of the function

$$f(x, y) = x^3 + y^3 - 3x - 12y + 20.$$

6. (a) Let $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differential function at (a, b, c) . Show that

(i) the tangent plane to the surface $f(x, y, z) = 0$ at the point (a, b, c) is given by

$$f_x(a, b, c)(x - a) + f_y(a, b, c)(y - b) + f_z(a, b, c)(z - c) = 0, \text{ and}$$

(ii) the normal line to the surface at (a, b, c) is given by

$$\frac{(x - a)}{f_x(a, b, c)} = \frac{(y - b)}{f_y(a, b, c)} = \frac{(z - c)}{f_z(a, b, c)}$$

(b) For the surface given by the equation $z = x^2 - 3y^2 + xy$, find the equations of the

(i) tangent plane

(ii) normal line

at the point $(1, 1, -1)$ on the surface.

(c) Prove that the volume of the greatest rectangular parallelepiped that can be inscribed in the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{b^2} = 1$$

is $\frac{8}{3} \frac{abc}{\sqrt{3}}$.