

2019

(January)

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 80

Answer from **both** the Sections as per direction

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

*Candidates are required to answer in their own words
as far as practicable*

(TOPOLOGY)

SECTION – A

1. Answer any *four* from the following : 4 × 4
- (a) Prove that if F is a closed set, then CF is an open set.
 - (b) Show that the union of two topologies for a set need not be a topology for the set.
 - (c) If every two points of a set are contained in some connected subset of E , then prove that E is a connected set.

(2)

- (d) What are the properties of a T_0 -space and a T_2 -space ?
- (e) What is a hereditary property of a first axiom space ?
- (f) What is the difference between box topology and product topology ?

Or

2. Answer all the questions : 2 × 8

- (a) State Urysohn's metrization theorem.
- (b) State axioms of constability.
- (c) What is a base for a topology ?
- (d) Define lower-limit topology.
- (e) Define first and second axiom spaces.
- (f) Define regular and normal spaces.
- (g) What is regularity ?
- (h) When a space is completely regular ?

(3)

SECTION – B

Answer all questions : 16 × 4

3. (a) (i) For any set E in a topological space, prove that $C(E) = E \cup d(E)$.
- (ii) If E is a subset of a topological space (X, \mathcal{F}) and if $d(F) \subseteq E \subseteq F$ for some subset $F \subseteq X$, show that E is a closed set.

Or

- (b) (i) Let X be any uncountable set, and let \mathcal{F} be the family consisting of ϕ and all complements of countable sets. Show that \mathcal{F} is a topology for X .
- (ii) Prove that Kuratowski closure axioms.
4. (a) (i) Show that any separation of a topological space must be into two non-empty, disjoint sets which are both open and closed.
- (ii) Prove that every closed subset of a compact space is compact.

(4)

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that a compact subset of a topological space is countably compact.
- (ii) Show that the space of all ordinals less than the first uncountable ordinal, given the order topology, is countably compact but not compact.
5. (a) (i) Show that in a T_1 -space, no finite set has a limit point.
- (ii) Prove that a T_1 -space is countably compact iff every infinite open covering has a proper subcover.

Or

- (b) (i) If Y is compact, then prove that π_X is a closed mapping of $X \times Y$ onto X .
- (ii) Show that \mathcal{D} is compact and K is nowhere dense.
6. (a) Prove Urysohn's Metrization theorem.

(5)

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that $X \times Y$ is compact iff X and Y are compact.
- (ii) Show that $X \times Y$ has local compactness property iff both X and Y have the same property.
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