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**Semester - IV**

**Subject : MATHEMATICS**

**Paper : C 8 - T**

**Riemann Integration and Series of Functions**

**Full Marks : 60**

**Time : 3 Hours**

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

1. Answer any **five** questions :

2×5=10

(a) Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow R$  be a bounded function and  $P$  be any partition over  $[a, b]$ . Define lower sum  $L(P, f)$  and upper sum  $U(P, f)$ .

(b) Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow R$  be integrable on  $[a, b]$ . If  $M$  and  $m$  be respectively the supremum and infimum of  $f$  on  $[a, b]$ , prove that  $m(b-a) \leq \int_a^b f dx \leq M(b-a)$ .

(c) Prove or disprove : if  $f$  is differentiable on  $[0, 1]$ , the relation  $\int_0^1 f' dx = f(1) - f(0)$  is not always true.

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- (d) A function  $f$  is continuous in the interval  $[a, \infty)$  and  $f(x) \rightarrow A (\neq 0)$  as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ .

Can the integral  $\int_a^\infty f(x) dx$  converge?

- (e) Discuss the convergence of  $\int_0^1 e^{-x} \cdot x^{n-1} dx$ .
- (f) Give examples of (i) everywhere convergent power series (ii) nowhere convergent power series.
- (g) Let  $D$  be a finite subset of  $R$ . If a sequence of real valued functions  $\{f_n(x)\}_n$  on  $D$  converges pointwise to  $f(x)$ , then show that it also converges uniformly to  $f(x)$ .
- (h) Let  $\sum_n f_n(x)$  be a series of functions defined on  $D (\subset R)$ . Explain when this series is said to be uniformly convergent on  $D$ .

2. Answer any **four** questions :

5×4=20

- (a) Find the Fourier series of the periodic function  $f$  with period  $2\pi$ , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & -\pi < x < a \\ 1, & a \leq x \leq b \\ 0, & b < x < \pi \end{cases}. \text{ Find the sum of the series at } x = 4\pi + a \text{ and deduce that}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin n(b-a)}{n} = \frac{\pi - (b-a)}{2}.$$

- (b) Evaluate  $\int_2^5 (x^2 - x) dx$  by using the geometric partition of  $[2, 5]$  into  $n$  subintervals.

- (c) Find the radius of convergence of the power series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \cdot \frac{x^n}{n}$  and discuss its convergence at each end of the interval.

- (d) Show that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$  uniformly on  $[-a, a]$  where  $0 < a < 1$ , but

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{nx}{1+n^2x^2} - \frac{(n-1)x}{1+(n-1)^2x^2} \right] \text{ is not uniformly convergent on } R.$$

(e) Show that  $\int_1^{\infty} x^{m-1} (\log x)^n dx$  is convergent if and only if  $m < 0, n > -1$ .

(f) Let  $f$  be a continuous function on  $R$  and define  $F(x) = \int_{x-1}^{x+1} f(t) dt, x \in R$ . Show that  $F$  is differentiable on  $R$  and compute  $F'$ .

3. Answer any **three** questions :

10×3=30

(a) (i) State and prove the fundamental theorem of integral calculus.

(ii) If  $0 \leq x \leq 1$  then show that  $\frac{x^2}{\sqrt{2}} \leq \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x}} \leq x^2$  and hence show that

$$\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} \leq \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{1+x}} dx \leq \frac{1}{3}. \quad 5+5$$

(b) (i) If  $f$  is a piecewise continuous function or a bounded piecewise monotonic function on  $[a, b]$ , then  $f$  is  $R$ —integrable over  $[a, b]$ . 3+3

(ii) Show that  $\int_{\pi}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$  converges but not absolutely. 4

(c) (i) Let  $\sum_n u_n(x)$  be a series of real valued function defined on  $[a, b]$  and each  $u_n(x)$  is  $R$ —integrable on  $[a, b]$ . If the series converges uniformly to  $f$  on  $[a, b]$ , then prove that  $f$  is  $R$ —integrable on  $[a, b]$  and

$$\int_a^b \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n(x) \right] dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_a^b u_n(x) dx.$$

Give an example to show that the condition of uniform convergence of  $\sum_n u_n(x)$

is only a sufficient condition but not necessary. 5+2

(ii) Find the region of convergence of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n}}{2^n}$ . 3

- (d) (i) Verify that the function  $y = x^3 \sin \frac{1}{x}$  for  $x \neq 0$  and  $y = 0$  for  $x = 0$  in the interval  $[-\pi, \pi]$  is continuous together with its first derivative but does not satisfy the conditions of Dirichlet's theorem. Can it be expanded into a Fourier series in the interval  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . 5
- (ii) Prove that the integral  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin x \log \sin x dx$  exists and find its value. 5
- (e) (i) Let  $f_n(x) = |x|^{1+\frac{1}{n}}, x \in [-1, 1]$ . Show that  $\{f_n\}_n$  is uniformly convergent on  $[-1, 1]$ . Also show that each  $f_n$  is differentiable on  $[-1, 1]$  but the limit function is not differentiable for all  $x$  in  $[-1, 1]$ . 2+2+2
- (ii) Prove or disprove :  $\{\tan^{-1} nx\}_n$  is not uniformly convergent on any interval which includes zero. 4
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