

MA 426 Test 1

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1. (20%) Give definitions for each of the following making sure that you define each of the terms you use.

- (a) (M, d) is a metric space.
- (b) $A \subset M$ is open.
- (c) M is complete.
- (d) $A \subset M$ is connected.

2. (15%) Give a counter example for each statement.

- (a) $bd(cl(A)) = bd(A)$.
- (b) If N_k is a sequence of nonempty closed sets with $N_{k+1} \subset N_k$, then $\bigcap_{k=1}^{\infty} N_k \neq \emptyset$.
- (c) If A is connected then A is path connected.

3. (15%)

- (a) State the Heine-Borel property.
- (b) In \mathbb{R}^n what 2 conditions are equivalent to the Heine-Borel property.
- (c) Let $A = \{2, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{4}, \dots\}$. Find an open cover of A which has no finite subcover.

4. (15%) Use ε - δ methods to show that

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

5. (15%) Let M be a compact metric space and $A \subset M$ be closed. Show that A is compact.

6. (20%) Let A' denote the set of accumulation points of the set A , where A is a subset of a metric space (M, d) .

- (a) Prove that A' is a closed subset of M .
- (b) Is $(A')' = A'$ for all A ? (Prove or give a counter example.)

1. a. Let M be a nonempty set and $d: M \times M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ \exists

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1. $d(x, y) \geq 0$

2. $d(x, y) = 0$ iff $x = y$

3. $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$

4. $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y) \quad \forall x, y, z \in M$

b. $A \subset M$ is open iff $\forall x \in A \exists \epsilon > 0 \exists D(x, \epsilon) \subseteq A$.

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$$D(x, \epsilon) = \{y \in M : d(x, y) < \epsilon\}$$

c. M is complete iff every Cauchy sequence in M converges to a point in M .

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d. $A \subset M$ is connected iff there does not exist two open sets U, V such that $A \cap U \neq \emptyset, A \cap V \neq \emptyset, A \subseteq U \cup V, A \cap U \cap V = \emptyset$.

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2. a) $A = (-1, 0) \cup (0, 1) \quad \text{bd } A = \{-1, 0, 1\}$

S $\text{cl } A = [-1, 1] \quad \text{bd } (\text{cl } A) = \{-1, 1\}$

b. $N_k = [k, \infty)$

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c. $\{ (x, \sin \frac{1}{x}) : x \in (-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty) \} \cup \{ (0, y) : y \in [-1, 1] \}$

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3. a.) Every open cover has a finite subcover

5 b.) closed and bounded

5 c.) ~~($\frac{2}{n}, 3$)~~, ($\frac{4}{3}, 3$), ..., ($\frac{n+2}{n+1}, 3$)...

4.
$$\left| \frac{x^2 y (x-y)}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \leq \frac{x^2 \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} (2\sqrt{x^2 + y^2})}{x^2 + y^2} = 2x^2 < \boxed{2(x^2 + y^2)}^2$$

Let $\epsilon > 0$ let $\delta = \frac{\sqrt{\epsilon}}{2}$. Then $0 < \|(x, y)\| < \delta \Rightarrow 0 < \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} < \delta$

$$\left| \frac{x^2 y (x-y)}{x^2 + y^2} \right| \leq 2(x^2 + y^2) < 2 \cdot \delta^2 = 2 \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{4} = \frac{\epsilon}{2} < \epsilon$$

5. Since A is closed $M \setminus A$ is open, call it W . Let $\mathcal{U} = \{U_i\}$

be an open cover of A . Then $\mathcal{W} = \{W\} \cup \{U_i\}$

is an open cover of M . Since M is compact, a finite

number of these cover M . for $\{W, U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n\}$.

Now since $A \cap W = \emptyset$, $A \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i$.

Thus \mathcal{U} has a finite subcover of A .

Thus A is compact.

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9. Let x be an accumulation point of A' .

Let U be a neighborhood of x , Then U contains a point

$y \neq x$ and $y \in A'$. U is a neighborhood of y , $\exists z \in A$

such that $z \in U$. Thus every neighborhood of x contains

a point of A not equal to x . Thus $x \in A'$.

Thus A' contains all of its accumulation points.
Thus A' is closed.

6. no. ~~\mathbb{R}~~ $A = \{1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\}$.

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$$A' = \{0\}$$

$$(A')' = \emptyset.$$