

St.Philomena's College (Autonomus), Mysore

PG Department of Mathematics

Question Bank (Revised Curriculum 2018 onwards)

First Year - Third Semester (2019 -21 Batch)

Course Title (Paper Title): Topology-I Q.P.Code-57202

Unit	Sl.No	Question	Marks
1	1	Show that the topologies of \mathbb{R}_l and \mathbb{R}_k are not comparable.	2m
1	2	Let A and B denote subsets of a space X . Prove that $\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cup \overline{B}$.	2m
1	3	Find the boundary and the interior of the subsets $A = \{x \times y/y = 0\}$.	2m
1	4	Show that if $X = \{a, b, c\}$ the collection of all one point subsets of X is a basis for the discrete topology on X .	2m
1	5	Prove that one point sets are closed in Hausdorff space.	2m
1	6	If \mathcal{B} is a basis for the topology of X and $Y \subset X$. Show that the collection $\mathcal{B}_Y = \{B \cap Y/B \in \mathcal{B}\}$ is a basis for the subspace topology on Y .	2m
1	7	If A is a subset of a topological space. Prove that $\overline{A} = \text{Int}A \cup \text{Bd}A$.	2m
1	8	If A is a subsets of a space X . Prove taht $\text{Int}A$ and $\text{Bd}A$ are disjoint.	2m
1	9	Find the set of all limit points of $A = \left\{ \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbf{Z}^+ \right\}$.	2m
1	10	Define a T_1 space. Is T_1 space is a Hausdorff? Justify.	2m
1	11	Define subbasis of topological space with an example.	2m
2	12	Prove that the composite map of two continuous maps is continuous.	2m

- Suppose that $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous. $A \subset X$, and $x \in X$. If x is
- 2 13 a limit point of A , is it necessarily true that $f(x)$ a limit point of $f(A)$? 2m
- Justify.
- If A is a connected subspace of a space X and $A \subset B \subset \bar{A}$. Prove that
- 2 14 B is also connected. 2m
- 2 15 Show that the unit ball B^n is path connected in \mathbf{R}^n . 2m
- Let $Y = [0, 1) \cup (1, 2]$ be a subspace of \mathbf{R} with standard topology. Check
- 2 16 whether Y is connected or not. 2m
- 2 17 Define a locally path connected space. 2m
- 2 18 Show that $X = \{0\} \cup \left\{ \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbf{Z}^+ \right\}$ of \mathbf{R} is compact. 2m
- 2 19 Show that every closed subsets of a compact space is compact. 2m
- 2 20 Define Homeomorphism with an example. 2m
- 2 21 Define a quotient map with an example. 2m
- 3 22 Define a linear Continuum. 2m
- 3 23 Define a path connected space. 2m
- 3 24 Define a locally path connected space. 2m
- 3 25 Is the space \mathbf{R}_l is connected? Why? 2m
- 3 26 Show that a component in a topological space is connected. 2m
- 4 27 Is the set $(0, 1)$ compact in \mathbf{R} ? Why? 2m
- 4 28 Show that every closed subset of a compact space is compact. 2m

Let \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{B}' be bases for topologies τ and τ' respectively. Prove that τ'
1 40 is finer than τ if and only if for each $x \in X$ and each element $B' \in \mathcal{B}'$ 6m
such that $x \in B' \subset B$.

Let X and Y be two topological spaces and

1 41 $\mathcal{S} = \{\pi_1^{-1}(U) : U \text{ is open in } X\} \cup \{\pi_2^{-1}(V) : V \text{ is open in } Y\}$. 6m

Then prove that \mathcal{S} is a subbasis for the product topology on $X \times Y$.

1 42 Prove that the product of two Hausdorff space is Hausdorff. 6m

1 43 Let X be a topological space. let A be a subset of X . Then prove that 6m
 $x \in \bar{A}$ if and only if every open set U containing x intersects A .

1 44 Let X be a topological space and Y be a subspace of X . Prove that a 8m
subset A of Y is closed in Y if and only if $A = C \cap Y$ where C is some
closed set in X .

1 45 Let X be a T_1 - space, A be a subset of X and $x \in X$. Then prove that 8m
 $x \in A'$ if and only if every neighbourhood of x contains infinitely many
points of A .

1 46 Show that X is a Hausdorff space if and only if the diagonal 8m
 $\Delta = \{x \times x/x \in X\}$ is closed in $X \times X$

- 3 57 Prove that if a collection of connected subsets have a point in common, 6m
then the union of elements of the collection is connected.
- 3 58 Prove that continuous image of a connected space is connected. 6m
- 3 59 Let L be a linear continuum in the order topology. Then prove that every 8m
interval or a ray in L is connected.
- 3 60 Prove that $I \times I = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ is a linear continuum in the dictionary 6m
order.
- 3 61 Let X be a topological space. Prove that the path components of X are 8m
disjoint, path connected subsets whose union equals X and each path
connected set intersects only one of them.
- 3 62 Prove that a space is locally connected if and only if has a basis consisting 8m
of connected sets
- 3 63 Let X be a topological space. Then prove that each path component of 6m
 X is contained in a component of X . Also, show that if X is locally path
connected, then they are equal.
- 3 64 Prove that the product of connected spaces in the product topology is 14m
connected.
- 4 65 Let Y be a subspace of a topological space X . Prove that Y is compact 8m
in subspace topology if and only if every covering of Y by sets open in
 X has a finite sub-collection that covers Y .

4	66	State and prove Tube lemma.	6m
4	67	Prove that the product of finitely many compact space is compact.	8m
4	68	Let X be a simply ordered set with the least upper bound property. Then prove that every closed interval in X is compact.	8m
4	69	Prove taht a subset of \mathbf{R}^n is compact if and only if it is closed and bounded.	8m
4	70	Let X be a Hausdorff space. then prove that X is locally compact if and only if for each $x \in X$, each open set U of x , there is an open set V containing x such that \bar{V} is compact and $\bar{V} \subset U$.	8m
4	71	Let X be a compact space and Y be an order set in the order topology. If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous, then prove that there exist $c, d \in X$ such that $f(c) \leq f(x) \leq f(d) \quad \forall x \in X$.	6m
4	72	Let X be a metrizable space. Prove that the following are equivalent: 1. X is compact. 2. X is limit point compact. 3. X is sequentially compact.	14m

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Instruction to the Candidates: Answer All the questions. All questions carry equal marks.

PART - A

Answer the following:

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1. a. Define an order topology and give an example.
- b. Prove that the collection $S = \{\pi_1^{-1}(U) / U \text{ is open in } X\} \cup \{\pi_2^{-1}(V) / V \text{ is open in } Y\}$ is a sub basis for the product topology on $X \times Y$.
- c. Is every open set containing $x \in X$, intersects $E \subseteq X$ at infinitely many points, where x is a limit point of E ? Justify.
- d. Determine the closure of the following subsets of R^2
 - i) $\{1/n \times 0 / n \in N\}$
 - ii) $\{x \times 0 / 0 < x < 1\}$
- e. Define one-point compactification and give an example.
- f. Prove that a path connected space is connected.
- g. Define homeomorphism and give an example.

PART - B

2. a. If β and β^1 is basis for the topologies T and T^1 respectively on X . Prove that the following are equivalent: 06
 - i) T^1 is finer than T
 - ii) for each $x \in X$ and each basis element $B \in \beta$ containing x , there is a basis element $B^1 \in \beta^1$ such that $x \in B^1 \subseteq B$
- b. If X is a topological space and C is a collection of open sets of X such that for each $x \in X$ and each open set U of X containing x , there is an element c of C such that $x \in c \subseteq U$ then prove that C is a basis for the topology of X . 08

OR

3. a. Prove that the lower limit topology on R is strictly finer than the standard topology. 04

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- b. If Y is a subspace of X , prove that a set A is closed in Y if and only if it equals the intersection of a closed set of X with Y . 06
- c. If B is a basis for a topology T on X , prove that T equals the collection of all unions of elements of B . 04
4. a. Prove that $x \in \bar{A}$ if and only if every open set U containing x intersects A . 04
- b. If X and Y are topological spaces and $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a function, prove that the following are equivalent: 06
- f is continuous
 - for every subset A of X $f(\bar{A}) \subseteq \overline{f(A)}$
 - for every closed subset B in Y , the set $f^{-1}(B)$ is closed in X .
- c. State and prove Pasting lemma. 04

OR

5. a. State and prove sequence lemma, further prove that R^ω with box topology is not metrizable. 07
- b. If $f : A \rightarrow \prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ is given by the equation $f(a) = (f_\alpha(a))_{\alpha \in J}$ where $f_\alpha : A \rightarrow X_\alpha$ for each α and $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ have the product topology, prove that the function f is continuous if and only if each function f_α is continuous. Further prove that the above statement is not true if $\prod_{\alpha \in J} X_\alpha$ has the box topology. 07
6. a. If A is a connected subset of X , and $A \subseteq B \subseteq \bar{A}$ prove that B is also connected. 04
- b. Define Linear continuum. If L is a linear continuum in the order topology, prove that L is connected. 10

OR

7. a. Prove that the union of collections of connected sets that have a point common is connected. 04
- b. State and prove Intermediate value theorem. 05
- c. Prove that finite Cartesian product of connected set is connected. 05
8. a. If Y is a compact subset of the Hausdorff space X and $x_0 \notin Y$, prove that there exist disjoint open sets U and V of X containing x_0 and Y respectively. 05
- b. Prove that product of finitely many compact sets is compact. 09

OR

9. a. If X is a metrizable space, prove that the following are equivalent: 07
- X is compact
 - X is limit point compact
 - X is sequentially compact
- b. Prove that the continuous image of a compact set is compact. Further if $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is objective continuous function, where X is compact and Y is Hausdorff, prove that f is a homeomorphism. 07