## Math 365, Final Test 150

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1. (35 points). True or False. (No proof or counter example needed).

(a). A finite set in a metric space is compact.

(b). If  $E \subset X$  is a connected set and f is a continuous function on X, then f(E) is also a connected set.

(c). If a function f(x) is differentiable at a point x = a, then f(x) is also continuous at the point x = a.

(d). A nonempty perfect set in a metric space is uncountable.

(e). If a sequence converges, then any rearrangement of the series also converges.

(f). In a metric space X, let  $\{F_n\}$  be a sequence of nonempty compact sets such that  $F_n \supset F_{n+1}$ . Then the intersection  $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} F_n$  is nonempty. (g). In a metric space, a continuous function maps a compact set to a compact set.

- 2. (25 points).
- (a). State PRECISELY the Lagrange mean value theorem.

(b). State PRECISELY the Taylor's formula (Assumptions and conclusions).

(c). State PRECISELY Weierstrass theorem.

(d). State PRECISELY the root test for a series.

(e). State PRECISELY the least upper bound principle.

3. (10 points). Determine the radius of convergence for the following power series.

(a).  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n)!} z^n$ .

(b).  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3^n}{(1+4n^3+6n^5+100n^{99})} z^n$ .

4. (10 points). Determine the convergence for the following series, indicating the theorem that you used.

(a).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}n\right)$ .

(b).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n+1}-\sqrt{n}}{n}$ .

5. (10 points) Suppose that  $C_0 + \frac{C_1}{2} + \cdots + \frac{C_{n-1}}{n} + \frac{C_n}{n+1} = 0$ , where  $C_0, \cdots, C_n$  are real constants. Prove that the equation

$$C_0 + C_1 x + \dots + C_{n-1} x^{n-1} + C_n x^n = 0$$

has at least one real root between 0 and 1.

6. (10 points) f is a real valued function defined on  $\mathbb{R}^1$ . Suppose that there exists a constant A < 1 such that  $|f'(t)| \leq A$  for all real t.

Define  $x_0 = 1$  and

$$x_{n+1} = f(x_n)$$

for  $n = 1, 2, 3, \cdots$ . Prove that

- (a) the limit  $x = \lim_{n \to \infty} x_n$  exists,
- (b) the x obtained in (a) satisfies f(x) = x.

7. (10 points) Find the limits. Quote all theorems that you used.

(a).  $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\cos(x^{49})-1}{x^{98}}$ 

(b). 
$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \sqrt[n]{\frac{n!}{n^n}}$$

(Hint: is there a theorem about the relationship between root and ratio?)

8. (10 points). Suppose that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} a_n = a$  and let

$$\sigma_n = \frac{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}{n}.$$

Prove that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \sigma_n = a$ .

9. (10 points). Suppose that the function  $f: X \to R^1$  is continuous. The level set at level  $\beta$  ( $\beta$  is a real number ) is defined as  $L_{\beta} = \left\{ p \in X \middle| f(p) = \beta \right\}$ .

Prove that for any real  $\beta$ , the level set  $L_{\beta}$  is a closed set.

10. (10 points).

(a) Please explain: We know that the set  $[0, \infty)$  is not compact. However, here is a "proof".

**Proof:** Define the following metric  $d(x, y) = \frac{|x-y|}{1+|x-y|}$ . (This is a metric, and you don't have to verify this.) With this metric, the set  $[0, \infty)$  is a closed and bounded set in the Euclidean space  $R^1$ . Therefore, by Heine-Borel theorem,  $[0, \infty)$  is a compact set.

What's wrong with this proof?

(b) Suppose that  $f : [a, b] \to \mathbb{R}^2$  is a vector valued function which is differentiable everywhere on [a, b]. Is the mean value theorem valid for f? namely, there exists  $\xi \in (a, b)$  such that  $f(a) - f(b) = (b - a)f'(\xi)$ .

Prove if it is true. Give a counter example if it is false.

11. (10 points). Is the following statement true? Prove if it is true, give a counter example if it is false.

Suppose that  $\{x_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence on the metric space X and f is a continuous function from X to Y. Then the sequence  $\{f(x_n)\}$  is a Cauchy sequence on Y.