

Practice Final Exam for Analysis I, Math 4317, December 3 , 2010, Allowed time is 2 hours and 50 minutes. This is a closed book test. Always state your reasoning otherwise credit will not be given. Try to be as concise and to the point as possible.

Name:

1: The series

$$1 - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{6^2} + - \dots$$

is alternating. Does it converge?

2: Let $a_1 \geq a_2 \geq \dots$ be a decreasing series of positive real numbers. Prove that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges if and only if the series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^n a_{2^n}$$

converges.

3: Let E be a metric space and $A \subset E$ open. If $B \subset E$ is any other set then

$$A \cap \overline{B} \subset \overline{A \cap B} .$$

4: Consider the Dirichlet function $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{q} & \text{if } x = \frac{p}{q} \text{ where } p, q \text{ have no common divisor} \\ 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational .} \end{cases}$$

For any $x_0 \in [0, 1]$ compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$.

5: A real valued function on a metric space E is **lower semicontinuous** if for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$, the set $\{p \in E : f(p) > t\}$ is open. Prove that a function f is lower semicontinuous if and only if for every sequence p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots with $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p_n = p$

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(p_n) \geq f(p) .$$

6: Let $p_n(x)$ be a polynomial of degree n which only simple real roots $r_1 < r_2 < \dots < r_n$. Show that $p'_n(x)$ is a polynomial of degree $n - 1$ that has only simple real roots $s_1 < s_2 < \dots < s_{n-1}$ as well and

$$r_1 < s_1 < r_2 < s_2 < \dots < s_{n-1} < r_n .$$

7: Is the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

differentiable everywhere?

8: Prove that a real-valued function on \mathbb{R} with bounded derivative is uniformly continuous.

9: Does the integral $\int_0^1 f(x)dx$ exist for the function given in problem **5**?

10: Compute

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2n} \right) .$$

11: Show, by directly using the definition that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log(x)}{x^\varepsilon} = 0$$

for every $\varepsilon > 0$.

12: Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function such that for every $r > 0$ and $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\frac{1}{2r} \int_{x-r}^{x+r} f(t)dt = f(x) .$$

Show that there exist constants a, b such that $f(x) = a + bx$.