

**Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Semester-V Examination**  
**METRIC SPACE, COMPLEX INTEGRATION AND ALGEBRA**

**Optional Paper—2**

**Mathematics**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 60

**N.B. :—** (1) Solve all the **FIVE** questions.

(2) All questions carry equal marks.

(3) Question Nos. **1** to **4** have an alternative. Solve each question in full or its alternative in full.

**UNIT—I**

1. (A) Define a countable set and prove that the set of all sequences whose elements are the digits 0 and 1 is uncountable. 6

- (B) In the metric space of real numbers  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual metric, show that the function

$$d(x, y) = \frac{|x - y|}{1 + |x - y|}, \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R} \text{ is a metric.} \quad 6$$

**OR**

- (C) Prove that the finite intersection of open sets is open. 6

- (D) Define interior of a set  $E$ . Prove that the interior of  $E$  is an open subset of  $E$ . 6

**UNIT—II**

2. (A) Prove that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of real numbers is a Cauchy sequence if and only if it is convergent in  $\mathbb{R}$  (a set of real numbers). Hence prove  $\mathbb{R}$  is a complete metric space. 6

- (B) If  $E$  is an infinite subset of a compact set  $K$ , then prove that  $E$  has a limit point in  $K$ . 6

**OR**

- (C) Prove that a closed subset of a complete metric space is complete. 6

- (D) If  $\{I_n\}$  is a sequence of intervals in  $\mathbb{R}^1$ , such that  $I_n \supset I_{n+1}$  ( $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ), then prove that

$$\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} I_n \text{ is not empty.} \quad 6$$

### UNIT—III

3. (A) Prove that a commutative ring  $R$  is an integral domain if and only if for  $a, b, c \in R$  with  $a \neq 0$ ,  $ab = ac \Rightarrow b = c$ . 6
- (B) If  $U, V$  are ideals of  $R$ , let  $U + V = \{u + v \mid u \in U, v \in V\}$ , then prove that  $U + V$  is also an ideal. 6

### OR

- (C) If  $R$  is a ring with unit element 1 and  $\phi$  is a homomorphism of  $R$  onto  $R'$  then prove that :
- (i)  $\phi(0) = 0'$ , where 0 and  $0'$  are the zero elements of  $R$  and  $R'$  respectively
- (ii)  $\phi(-a) = -\phi(a) \forall a \in R$  and
- (iii)  $\phi(1)$  is the unit element of  $R'$ . 6
- (D) If  $U$  and  $V$  are ideals of a ring  $R$ , then prove that  $U \cap V$  is also an ideal of  $R$ . 6

### UNIT—IV

4. (A) If  $f(z)$  is analytic function of  $z$  and if  $f(z)$  is continuous at each point within and on a closed contour  $C$ , then prove that :

$$\int_C f(z) dz = 0. \quad 6$$

- (B) Evaluate  $\int_C \frac{z+4}{z^2+2z+5} dz$ , where  $C$  is the circle  $|z+1|=1$ . 6

### OR

- (C) Evaluate  $\int_C \frac{e^z}{z^2(z^2+9)} dz$  by the method of calculus of residues, where  $C$  is the circle  $|z|=4$ . 6

- (D) Prove that :

$$\int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2}. \quad 6$$

### QUESTION—5

5. (A) Give a counter example to show that an arbitrary intersection of open sets need not be open. 1½

- (B) Prove that  $\left( \bigcap_{\alpha} E_{\alpha} \right)^C = \bigcup_{\alpha} (E_{\alpha}^C)$  for the collection of sets  $E_{\alpha}$ . 1½

- (C) Show that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$ , where  $x_n = \frac{1}{n}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Here  $\mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbb{R}$  are respectively the sets of natural numbers and real numbers. 1½
- (D) Prove by giving an example that the separated sets are disjoint but disjoint sets need not be separated. 1½
- (E) Define :
- (i) Integral domain
  - (ii) Division ring. 1½
- (F) Prove that if an ideal  $U$  of a ring  $R$  contains a unit element of  $R$  then  $U = R$ . 1½
- (G) Determine whether the Cauchy's integral theorem is applicable for  $\int_C \frac{z^2 + 5z + 6}{z - 2} dz$  if  $C$  is the circle  $|z| = 1$ . 1½
- (H) Evaluate the residues of  $\frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)(z-3)}$  at 1, 2, 3. 1½