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2. All Questions are Compulsory.
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1. (a) State the completeness property of \mathbb{R} , hence show that every non-empty set of real numbers which is bounded below, has an infimum in \mathbb{R} .

(b) Show that if A and B are bounded subsets then $A \cup B$ is a bounded set and $\sup(A \cup B) = \max\{\sup A, \sup B\}$.

(c) State and prove nested interval property. 3.

(d) Define an open set and closed set in \mathbb{R} .

Show that if $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$, then the open interval (a, b) is an open set.

Is a closed interval a closed set?

2. (a) Let S be a bounded set in \mathbb{R} and let S_0 be a non-empty subset of S . Show that

$$\inf S \leq \inf S_0 \leq \sup S_0 \leq \sup S$$

(b) State Archimedean property. Hence, prove that

$$S = \left\{ \frac{1}{n}, n \in \mathbb{N} \right\} \text{ then } \inf S = 0.$$

(c) If $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ is non-empty. Show that S is bounded if and only if there exists a closed bounded interval I such that $S \subseteq I$.

(d) If $x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x \leq z$. Show that $x \leq y \leq z$ if and only if $|x - y| + |y - z| = |x - z|$. Interpret this geometrically.

3. (a) Prove that a convergent sequence of real numbers is bounded.

Is the converse true? Justify.

(b) Let (x_n) be a sequence of positive real numbers

such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x_{n+1}}{x_n} \right) = L$ exists. If $L < 1$, then

(x_n) converges and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (x_n) = 0$.

(c) Prove that if $C > 0$, then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (C^{1/n}) = 1$.

(d) Let $x_1 > 1$ and $x_{n+1} = 2 - \frac{1}{x_n}$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Show

that (x_n) is bounded and monotone. Also find the limit.

4. (a) Let $X = (x_n)$ and $Y = (y_n)$ be sequences of real numbers that converge to x and y respectively. Then the product sequence $X.Y$ converges to $x.y$.
- (b) Let $X = (x_n)$ be a bounded sequence of real numbers and let $x \in \mathbb{R}$ have the property that every convergent subsequence of X converges to x . Then the sequence X is convergent to x .
- (c) Discuss the convergence of the sequence (x_n) ,

where $x_n = \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n}$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

- (d) Use the definition of the limit of the sequence to find the following limits

(i) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right)$

(ii) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3n+1}{2n+5} \right)$

5. (a) Prove that a necessary condition for the convergence of an infinite series $\sum a_n$ is $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$.

Is the condition sufficient? Justify with the help of an example.

(b) Prove that the geometric series $1 + r + r^2 + \dots$ converges for $0 \leq r < 1$ and diverges for $r \geq 1$.

(c) Test for convergence, the following series :

$$(i) \frac{1}{5} + \frac{2!}{5^2} + \frac{3!}{5^3} + \dots$$

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

(d) Prove that the series $x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} - \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots$ converges if and only if $-1 \leq x \leq 1$.

6. (a) State and prove Cauchy's n^{th} root test for positive term series.

(b) Prove that the series $1 + \frac{1}{2^p} + \frac{1}{3^p} + \frac{1}{4^p} + \dots$ converges for $p > 1$ and diverges for $p \leq 1$.

(c) Test for convergence, the following series :

$$(i) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\sqrt[3]{n^3 + 1} - n \right]$$

$$(ii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{-n} (-1)^n$$

(d) Prove that every absolutely convergent series is

convergent. Show that the series $\sum (-1)^n \frac{n+2}{2^n+5} x^n$

converges for all the real values of x .

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