## Department of Mathematics IIT Guwahati

## Mockquiz MA101 December 5, 2020 Total marks: NA Time 10:30–10:40

- The first question is writing your roll number. It is compulsory.
- Each other question carries 2 marks. You get 2, -1 or 0, for answering a question correctly, wrongly and for not attempting, respectively.
- As it is the mockquiz, it will not be evaluated.
- REMEMBER to press the SUBMIT button by 10:40:59. The form will not accept responses after that.
- ONLY ONE submission per person is allowed. NO REVISION is possible.
- 1. Write your roll number.
- 2. Consider the following two statements.

Statement 1: If 
$$a_n \to 5$$
 and  $b_n = \frac{a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3 + \cdots + na_n}{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}}$ , then  $b_n \to 5$ .

Statement 2: If 
$$a_n = \frac{n}{2^{\ln n}}$$
, then  $(a_n)$  is convergent.

Then which of the following options is correct?

- A) Statement 1 is correct but Statement 2 is wrong.
- B) Statement 2 is correct but Statement 1 is wrong.
- C) Both Statement 1 and Statement 2 are wrong.
- D) Both Statement 1 and statement 2 are correct.

Sol. A)

Imagine the sequence  $(c_n)=(a_1,a_2,a_2,a_3,a_3,a_3,a_4,\cdots)$ . As  $a_n\to 5$ , we see that  $c_n\to 5$ . Recall the result that (was an exercise), if  $x_n\to l$ , then  $\frac{x_1+x_2+\cdots+x_n}{n}\to l$ . Using this result to our  $(c_n)$ , we see that  $\frac{c_1+\cdots+c_n}{n}\to 5$ . In particular, being a subsequence,  $\frac{c_1+\cdots+c_{n(n+1)/2}}{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}}\to 5$ , that is,  $b_n\to 5$ .

The other one follows as  $a_n = (e/2)^{\ln n}$ .

3. Consider the following two statements.

Statement 1: If  $\sum a_n$  converges then  $\sum \frac{a_n}{n}$  is convergent.

Statement 2: 
$$\sum_{n\geq 1} n \sin(\frac{1}{n})$$
 is convergent.

Which of the following options is correct?

- A) Statement 1 is correct but Statement 2 is wrong.
- B) Statement 2 is correct but Statement 1 is wrong.

- C) Both Statement 1 and Statement 2 are wrong.
- D) Both Statement 1 and statement 2 are correct.

Sol. A)

Recall Dirichlet's test: if  $\{A_n=\sum_{i=1}^n a_i\}$  is bounded and  $b_n\downarrow 0$ , then  $\sum a_nb_n$  converges. Apply with  $b_n=\frac{1}{n}$ . So statement 1 is correct.

Statement 2 is false as the  $n{\rm th}$  term goes to 1.