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Subject: Functional Analysis (MA2212)

Date: 03/06/2024

Time Duration: 3 Hours

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions:

- 1) Each question carries 20 marks.
- 2) All questions are compulsory.

Q 1:

20 marks

- (a) Define a convergent and a Cauchy sequence in a metric space (X, d) . Let $X = C[0, 1]$ be the space of all continuous functions defined on $[0, 1]$ with the metric d_1 given by

$$d_1(f, g) = \int_0^1 |f(x) - g(x)| dx \quad \text{for all } f, g \in C[0, 1].$$

Show that the sequence $(f_n)_{n \geq 2}$ defined as

$$f_n(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } 0 \leq t \leq \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n}, \\ nt - \frac{n}{2} + 1 & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n} < t \leq \frac{1}{2}, \\ 1 & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < t \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

is Cauchy in $C[0, 1]$.

[10 marks]

- (b) Define a norm on a real vector space. For any $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n$, define a function $\|\cdot\|_p$ by

$$\|x\|_p = \left(\sum_{k=1}^n |x_k|^p \right)^{1/p}.$$

Show that $\|\cdot\|_p$ is a norm on \mathbb{R}^n . Also, write the metric induced by $\|\cdot\|_p$.

[10 marks]

Q 2:

20 marks

- (a) Define equivalent norms. Prove that the following norms are equivalent on the space \mathbb{R}^2 :

$$\|x\|_1 = |x_1| + |x_2|, \quad \|x\|_2 = (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2)^{1/2}, \quad \|x\|_\infty = \max\{|x_1|, |x_2|\}$$

where $x = (x_1, x_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

[10 marks]

- (b) Show that a closed unit ball in an infinite-dimensional space is not necessarily compact. [10 marks]

(OR)

- (b) Let $(X, \|\cdot\|)$ be any normed linear space. Show that the convergence of $\|y_1\| + \|y_2\| + \|y_3\| + \dots$ may not imply the convergence of $y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + \dots$ in general.

[10 marks]

20 marks

Q 3:

- (a) Define a linear and bounded operator. Show that the left shift operator, $L : l^2 \rightarrow l^2$, defined as

$$L(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots) = (a_2, a_3, \dots), \quad (a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in l^2$$

is linear and bounded with respect to the norm $\|x\|_2 = (\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |x_k|^2)^{1/2}$. What is the operator norm of L ? [10 marks]

- (b) Show that the functional defined on $C[a, b]$ by

$$f(x) = \int_a^b x(t)y_0(t) dt, \quad (y_0 \in C[a, b] \text{ is fixed})$$

is linear and bounded with respect to the norm $\|x\|_{\infty} = \max_{t \in [a, b]} |x(t)|$. What is the norm of f ? [10 marks]

20 marks

Q 4:

- (a) Let X be a normed space. Write the difference between the algebraic dual (X^*) and the dual (X'). [10 marks]
Find the dual basis $\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$ of the basis $\{(2, 5, 3), (1, 1, 1), (4, -2, 0)\}$ for \mathbb{R}^3 .
- (b) What do you mean by a Hilbert space? Show that the space l^p with $p \neq 2$ is not an inner product space, however, l^2 is an inner product space. [10 marks]

20 marks

Q 5:

- (a) Let $(X, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ be an inner product space. Prove the Schwarz inequality

$$|\langle x, y \rangle| \leq \|x\| \|y\| \quad \text{for all } x, y \in X$$

where the equality sign holds if and only if $\{x, y\}$ is a linearly dependent set. [10 marks]

- (b) Define an orthogonal and orthonormal set in an inner product space X . Let $X = C[0, 2\pi]$ be the inner product space of all real-valued continuous functions defined on $[0, 2\pi]$ with the inner product defined by

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^{2\pi} f(t)g(t) dt \quad \text{for all } f, g \in C[0, 2\pi].$$

Prove that the sequences $\left\{ \frac{\cos nt}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ and $\left\{ \frac{\sin nt}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ are orthonormal in $C[0, 2\pi]$. [10 marks]