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Integrated Bachelor's-Master's Program

End-Semester (Sem-II) Examination-Spring 2020

Subject: Linear Algebra and Multivariable Calculus

Subject Code: MCS 1201 A

Full marks: 50

Time Alloted: 3 hours

1. Suppose $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is a continuous function. Then show that f has a fixed point. I.e. there is an $x \in [0, 1]$ such that $f(x) = x$. [10]
2. Show that the function $f : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ is uniformly continuous on $[0, \infty)$. [10]
3. Suppose $f : [0, 2] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a continuous function on $[0, 2]$ and differentiable on $(0, 2)$. Suppose $f(0) = 0$, $f(1) = 1$ and $f(2) = 1$. Show that there is a $c \in (0, 2)$ such that $f'(c) = \frac{1}{3}$. [10]
4. Suppose $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a continuous function with the property that $\int_0^x f = \int_x^1 f$ for all $x \in [0, 1]$. Show that $f(x) = 0$ for every $x \in [0, 1]$. [10]
5. Show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{n^{p+1}} \sum_{k=1}^n k^p \right] = \frac{1}{p+1}.$$

[10]