

Math 131A - Analysis  
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# 1 Questions

**Q1 Lecture notes** In this question, we denote by  $S$  a subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Define what it means for  $S$  to be bounded above, bounded below, and bounded.
- (b) If  $S$  is bounded, define the supremum and infimum of  $S$ .
- (c) State the Completeness Axiom for the reals.
- (d) Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$  be bounded above and non-empty. Prove that  $M = \sup S$  satisfies the following two statements
  - S1)**  $\forall s \in S, s \leq M$ .
  - S2)**  $\forall L < M, \exists s \in S$  such that  $L < s$ .
- (e) Let  $S \subset \mathbb{R}$  be bounded above and non-empty. Prove that if  $M \in \mathbb{R}$  is a number which satisfies **S1)** and **S2)**, then  $M = \sup S$ .

**Q2 Lecture notes**

- (a) **Example 2.1.3** Prove that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} = \frac{3}{7}$ .
- (b) **Example 2.1.4** Prove that the sequence  $a_n = (-1)^n$  does not converge to any real number  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Q3 Induction**

- (a) **Example from lecture** Using mathematical induction, prove that

$$\sum_{j=1}^n j = \frac{1}{2}n(n+1), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

- (b) **PS1 Q3** Using mathematical induction, prove that the number  $7^n - 6n - 1$  is divisible by 36 for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Q4 Lecture notes** In this question, let  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  denote a sequence of real numbers and  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Define what it means for  $a_n \rightarrow a$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (b) Define what it means for  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  to be a Cauchy sequence.
- (c) Define the limits superior and inferior of  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ .
- (d) Define what it means for  $\sum a_n$  to converge to  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- (e) Prove that the sequence  $a_n = \frac{1}{n}$  converges to 0 as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

**Q5 Lecture notes** In this question, we fix three numbers  $a < c < b$ ; two functions  $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $g : (a, b) \setminus \{c\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ; and  $L \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Define what it means for  $f$  to be continuous at  $c$  (in the  $\epsilon - \delta$  sense).
- (b) Define what it means for  $f$  to be sequentially continuous at  $c$ .

- (c) Define what it means for  $g$  to approach  $L$  as  $x$  converges to  $c$  (in the  $\epsilon - \delta$  sense).
- (d) Define what it means for  $f$  to be differentiable at  $c$  with  $f'(c) = L$  (in the  $\epsilon - \delta$  sense).

**Q6 Lecture notes** Let  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  be a sequence of real numbers and  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Define what it means for the sequence  $(a_n)$  to be bounded.
- (b) **Lemma 2.2.1** Suppose  $a_n \rightarrow a$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ . Prove that  $(a_n)$  is a bounded sequence.

**Q7 Lecture notes**

- (a) Let  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  denote a sequence of real numbers and  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ . Define what it means for  $\sum a_n$  to converge to  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .
- (b) **Theorem 2.6.2** State and prove the Comparison test for series.

**Q8 PS4 Q2** Let  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  be a sequence which converges to  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Show that if  $a_n \geq 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $a \geq 0$ .
- (b) Is the above result true with strict inequalities? In other words, if  $a_n > 0$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , can we say that  $a > 0$ ?
- (c) Let now  $(b_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$  be a sequence which converges to  $b \in \mathbb{R}$ . Assume that  $a_n \geq b_n$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Show that  $a \geq b$ .

**Q9 PS4 Q4** Let  $(a_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subset \mathbb{R}$  be a sequence with  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Prove that  $a_n \rightarrow a \implies |a_n| \rightarrow |a|$ . *Hint:* Use the reverse triangle inequality.
- (b) Is the converse true? In other words, does  $|a_n| \rightarrow |a|$  imply  $a_n \rightarrow a$ ? Why or why not?

**Q10 Theorem 2.4.3** State and prove the Bolzano-Weierstrass Theorem. Your proof may use any result from the course provided you clearly and explicitly state it.

**Q11 PS2 Q10** Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ . Show that the following statements are equivalent.

- (a)  $a \leq b$ .
- (b) For any  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $a \leq b + \epsilon$ .

**Q12 PS3 Q9 and PS4 Q11** Let  $a_0 = 1$  and define the recursive sequence  $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{a_n + 1}$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

- (a) Show that  $(a_n)$  is a bounded sequence. *Hint:* Induction.
- (b) Show that  $(a_n)$  is monotonically increasing. *Hint:* Induction.
- (c) Hence, show that  $(a_n)$  is convergent and find the limit.

**Q13 Example 2.6.4** Prove that the harmonic series  $\sum \frac{1}{n}$  diverges. *Hint:* Compare this series with a cleverly chosen divergent series. You do not need to explicitly write the formula for the terms of the series, but you should clearly describe the construction.

**Q14 Lecture notes Theorem 4.2.1** State and prove Rolle's Theorem. Your proof may use any result from the course provided you clearly and explicitly state it.

**Q15** Consider the following functions defined on  $\mathbb{R}$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}, \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} x \sin \frac{1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}.$$

- (a) **PS7 Q4** Prove that  $f$  is discontinuous at  $x = 0$ . *Hint:* Use sequential continuity.
- (b) **PS7 Q4** Prove that  $g$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ . *Hint:* Use the fact that  $|\sin y| \leq 1$  for all  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Q16 PS8 Q3** Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Prove that  $\min(a, b) = \frac{1}{2}(a + b) - \frac{1}{2}|a - b|$ .
- (b) Prove a similar formula for  $\max(a, b)$ .
- (c) Fix two continuous functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Prove that  $h(x) = \min(f(x), g(x))$  is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ . Prove that  $i(x) = \max(f(x), g(x))$  is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$ .

**Q17 Lecture notes** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a bounded function. Let  $P = \{a = t_0 < t_1 < \cdots < t_n = b\}$  be a partition of  $[a, b]$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

- (a) Define the upper and lower Darboux sums  $U(f, P)$  and  $L(f, P)$  of  $f$  with respect to  $P$ .
- (b) Define the upper and lower Darboux integrals  $U(f)$  and  $L(f)$  over  $[a, b]$ .
- (c) Define what it means for  $f$  to be integrable on  $[a, b]$ .

**Q18 Theorem 5.1.1** State and prove the Cauchy criterion for integrability of a bounded function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

**Q19 PS8 Q6** Let  $a < b$  be real numbers and  $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  a function. We say that  $f$  is *Lipschitz on*  $(a, b)$  if and only if the following statement is true

$$\exists L \geq 0, \text{ such that } |f(x) - f(y)| \leq L|x - y|, \quad \forall x, y \in (a, b).$$

- (a) Prove that if  $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz on  $(a, b)$ , then  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $(a, b)$ .
- (b) Suppose  $f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is differentiable. Assume moreover that its derivative  $f'$  is bounded on  $(a, b)$ . i.e. there is some  $M \geq 0$  such that  $|f'(x)| \leq M$  for every  $x \in (a, b)$ . Prove that  $f$  is Lipschitz on  $(a, b)$ . *Hint: Mean Value Theorem.*
- (c) Find a Lipschitz function which is not differentiable. More specifically, you should explicitly write down a formula for a function, prove it is Lipschitz, and prove that there is (at least) one point at which the function is not differentiable.

**Q20 PS7 Q10** Consider the following functions

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0, & x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}, \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} x, & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 0, & x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}.$$

- (a) Prove that  $f$  is discontinuous on all of  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- (b) Prove that  $g$  is continuous at  $x = 0$  and at no other point in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

**Q21 Proposition 5.2.2** Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function. Prove that  $f$  is integrable. Your proof may use any result from the course provided you clearly and explicitly state it.

**Q22 Lecture notes**

- (a) **Theorem 3.2.2** State and prove the Intermediate Value Theorem. Your proof may use any result from the course provided you clearly and explicitly state it.
- (b) **Example 3.2.2** Let  $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  be a continuous function. In other words,  $f(x) \in [0, 1]$  for every  $x \in [0, 1]$ . Prove that there exists a point  $x_0 \in [0, 1]$  such that  $f(x_0) = x_0$ . *Hint: Consider the function  $g(x) = f(x) - x$ .*
- (c) **PS8 Q4** In this question, you may take for granted that sine is a continuous function. Show that there exists a point  $x_0 \in [0, \pi/2]$  such that

$$\sin x_0 = \frac{3}{10}.$$

**Q23** In this question, you may take for granted that

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

and

$$\frac{d}{dx} \log x = \frac{1}{x}, \quad \forall x > 0,$$

where  $\log = \ln$ .

- (a) **Lecture notes** State the Chain Rule (you do not need to prove it).
- (b) **Lecture notes** State the first version of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus (you do not need to prove it). This is a statement about the integral of a derivative.
- (c) **PS9 Q11, Q13** Using the Chain Rule and Product Rule, calculate

$$\frac{d}{dx} e^{-x^2}, \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{d}{dx} (x \log x).$$

- (d) **PS9 Q11, Q13** Calculate

$$\int_0^1 x e^{-x^2} dx, \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^1 \log x dx.$$

*Hint: You may use the fact that  $x \log x$  evaluated at  $x = 0$  is 0.*

**Q24 PS6 Q5** Suppose we have two convergent series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n = A$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n = B$  where  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- (a) Prove that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (a_n + b_n) = A + B$
- (b) Prove that whenever  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ , we have  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} k a_n = kA$ .
- (c) Is it the case that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n b_n = AB$ ? Why or why not?