MATH 312: MIDTERM

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Instructions

- (1) Pick 5 out of 6 questions to do. Specify your choices. If you don't I'll take the minimum of all possible points.
- (2) Show your work, be as thorough as possible.
- (3) You have 80 minutes

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Question 1 (Quick questions, 5 points each). Complete the following:

- (1) Give the definition of a topological space.
- (2) Give the definition of a measure space (include definitions of sigma algebra and measure).
- (3) Give an example of a topological space where every set is a clopen set.
- (4) What does it mean for a set to be compact in a topology?
- (5) What is a continuous function from (X, τ_X) to (Y, τ_Y) ?

Question 2 (True or False? Justify. 20 points.). A set K in a topological space (X, τ) is closed if it is compact.

Question 3 (True or False? Justify. 20 points.). A closed subset of a compact set is compact.

Question 4 (True or False? Justify. 20 points.). Let $f:(X, \tau_X) \to (Y, \tau_Y)$ be continuous. If K is compact, then f(K) is compact.

Question 5 (20 points). Let (X, τ_X) and (Y, τ_Y) be topological spaces where Y is compact. If N is an open set of $X \times Y$ containing the slice $\{x_0\} \times Y$ of $X \times Y$. Prove that there exists a neighborhood W of x_0 such that $W \times Y \subseteq N$.

Question 6 (20 points). Complete the following:

(1) Let c_{nj} be non-negative real numbers that increase in n to c_j for each j. Suppose $\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} c_j < \infty$, show

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} c_{nj} = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} c_j.$$

(2) (True or False? Justify) Let μ_1, μ_2, \ldots be probability measures on a measurable space (X, \mathcal{A}) , that is $\mu_n(X) = 1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Suppose that $\mu_n(A)$ is increasing for each $A \in \mathcal{A}$. Define

$$\mu(A) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \mu_n(A) .$$

Then, μ is a measure on (X, A).