JANUARY 2024 PRELIMINARY EXAM

Problem 1. Suppose $\{a_n\}$ and $\{b_n\}$ are two complex sequences such that

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}a_nb_n=0.$$

Show that at least one of $\{a_n\}$ and $\{b_n\}$ has a subsequences that converges to zero.

Problem 2. Suppose $f : [a,b] \to \mathbb{R}$ is bounded, and moreover f is Riemann integrable on [a,c] for all a < c < b. Show that f is Riemann integrable on [a,b].

Problem 3. Suppose $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ is differentiable and $\lim_{x\to\infty} f'(x) = 0$. Show that if the sequence $\{f(n)\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$ converges, then the limit $\lim_{x\to\infty} f(x)$ exists.

Problem 4. A function $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ is called Lipschitz if there exists M > 0 such that

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \le M|x - y|$$

for all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$. Show that every Lipschitz function on \mathbb{R} is uniformly continuous on \mathbb{R} , but not every uniformly continuous function on \mathbb{R} is necessarily Lipschitz on \mathbb{R} .