

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

M. Sc. I – Semester Examination, December 2015

Subject : Mathematics

Paper – III : Topology

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Note : Answer all questions from Part–A and Part–B. Each question carries 4 marks in Part–A and 12 marks in Part – B.

PART – A (8 x 4 = 32 Marks)
(Short Answer Type)

- 1 If A and B are subsets of a topological space X then prove the following:
(i) $\overline{\phi} = \phi$ (ii) $A \subseteq \overline{A}$ (iii) $\overline{\overline{A}} = \overline{A}$ (iv) $\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cup \overline{B}$
- 2 Define separable space with an example.
- 3 Show that a topological space is compact if and only if every class of closed sets with the finite intersection property has non-empty intersection.
- 4 Show that a closed subspace of a complete metric space is compact if and only if it is totally bounded.
- 5 Show that every compact Hausdorff space is normal.
- 6 Show that a topological space is a T_1 -Space if and only if each point is a closed set.
- 7 Show that product of any non-empty class of Hausdorff spaces is a Hausdorff space.
- 8 Show that a topological space is disconnected if and only if there exists a continuous mapping of X onto the discrete two point space $\{0, 1\}$.

PART – B (4 x 12 = 48 Marks)
(Essay Answer Type)

- 9 (a) (i) Define open subbase.
(ii) Let X be any non-empty set and let S be an arbitrary class of subsets of X. Then show that S can serve as an open subbase for a topology on X, in the sense that the class of all unions of finite inter sections of sets in S is a topology.

OR

- (b) (i) Let X and Y be topological spaces and $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a mapping and let there be given an open base in X and an open subbase with its generated open base in Y. The prove that f is continuous \Leftrightarrow the inverse image of each basic open set is open.
 \Leftrightarrow the inverse image of each subbasic open set is open

- 10 (a) (i) Show that in a sequentially compact metric space, every open cover has a Lebesgue number.
(ii) Show that a metric space is compact if and only if it is complete and totally bounded.

OR

- (b) (i) State and prove Ascoli's theorem.
(ii) Show that every sequentially compact metric space is totally bounded

- 11 (a) State and prove Tietze extension theorem.

OR

- (b) State and prove Urysohn imbedding theorem.

- 12 (a) (i) Show that a subspace of the real line R is connected if and only if it is an interval.
(ii) Show that range of a continuous real function defined on a connected space is an interval.

OR

- (b) If X is an arbitrary topological space then prove that following:
(i) Each point in X is contained in exactly one component of X .
(ii) Each connected subspace of X is contained in a component of X .
(iii) A connected subspace of X which is both open and closed is a component of X .
(iv) Each component of X is closed.
