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1. Define the following.

(30 points)

a.  $N(x; \epsilon)$  where  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\epsilon > 0$

b.  $x$  is a boundary point of the set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

c.  $x$  is an interior point of the set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

d.  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is an open set

e.  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is a closed set

f. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be sets.  $A - B$

g.  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in I} A_\alpha$  where for each  $\alpha \in I$ ,  $A_\alpha$  is a set.

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and book.

2. Give the truth table for  $(p \Rightarrow q) \wedge \sim q$ .

(5 points)

$p$	$q$	$(p \Rightarrow q) \wedge \sim q$
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T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

3. Negate the following statements. For each part indicate if the original statement is true and if the negated statement is true.

(15 points)

a.  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, x^2 + 4x + 3 > 0$

$\exists x \in \mathbb{R} \ni x^2 + 4x + 3 \leq 0$

Statement true? *No*

Negation true? *Yes*

$(-2)^2 + 4(-2) + 3 = -1$

b.  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists y \in \mathbb{R} \ni (x > 0) \Rightarrow (y^2 \leq x)$

$\exists x \in \mathbb{R} \ni \forall y \in \mathbb{R}, x > 0 \wedge y^2 > x$

Statement true? *Yes*

Negation true? *No*

Let  $y = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ \sqrt{x} & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$

c.  $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists n \in \mathbb{N} \ni (x \leq 0) \vee (\frac{1}{n} < x)$

$\exists x \in \mathbb{R} \ni \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, (x > 0) \wedge (\frac{1}{n} \geq x)$

Statement true? *Yes*

Negation true? *No*

This is Archimedean Property.

4. Let  $S = \left\{ \frac{1}{n} \mid n \in \mathbb{N} \right\} \cup [3, 5]$

(10 points)

a. Find  $\text{bd}(S)$

$$\text{bd}(S) = \{0\} \cup \left\{ \frac{1}{n} \mid n \in \mathbb{N} \right\} \cup \{3, 5\}.$$

b. Find  $\text{int}(S) = (3, 5)$

5. Prove that for any  $A, B \subset \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R} - (A \cup B) = (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B)$ .

(10 points)

We first show  $\mathbb{R} - (A \cup B) \subseteq (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B)$ .

Let  $x \in \mathbb{R} - (A \cup B)$ .  $\therefore x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \notin A \cup B$ .

Since  $x \notin A \cup B$ , the statement  $x \in A$  or  $x \in B$  is false.

$\therefore x \notin A$  and  $x \notin B$ . Since  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \notin A$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R} - A$ .

Since  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \notin B$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R} - B$ .

$\therefore x \in (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B)$ , so  $\mathbb{R} - (A \cup B) \subseteq (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B)$ .

Next we show  $(\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B) \subseteq \mathbb{R} - (A \cup B)$ .

Let  $x \in (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B)$ .

$\therefore x \in \mathbb{R} - A$  and  $x \in \mathbb{R} - B$ .

$\therefore x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $x \notin A$  and  $x \notin B$ .

$\therefore x \notin A \cup B$

$\therefore x \in \mathbb{R} - (A \cup B)$

$\therefore (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B) \subseteq \mathbb{R} - (A \cup B)$ .

$\therefore (\mathbb{R} - A) \cap (\mathbb{R} - B) = \mathbb{R} - (A \cup B)$ .

6. Use the definition of boundary point to prove that 0 is a boundary point of  $(0, 1)$ . (10 points)

Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be arbitrary. Then  $-\epsilon/2 < 0$ , so  $-\epsilon/2 \in \mathbb{R} - (0, 1)$ .

Also  $-\epsilon/2 \in N(0; \epsilon)$  since  $|0 - (-\epsilon/2)| = \epsilon/2 < \epsilon$ .

$$\therefore N(0; \epsilon) \cap (\mathbb{R} - (0, 1)) \neq \emptyset.$$

Next, let  $x = \min\{\frac{\epsilon}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\}$ . Then  $|0 - x| = x \leq \frac{\epsilon}{2}$ , so  $x \in N(0; \epsilon)$ .

Also  $0 < x \leq \frac{1}{2}$ , so  $x \in (0, 1)$ .

$$\therefore N(0; \epsilon) \cap (0, 1) \neq \emptyset.$$

$$\therefore 0 \in \text{bd}(0, 1).$$

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- a. Any union of open sets is open.

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- b. Any union of closed sets is closed.

$$F \quad [0, 1] = \bigcup_{x \in [0, 1]} \{x\}$$

- c. If  $A, B \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , then  $\text{bd}(A \cup B) = \text{bd}(A) \cup \text{bd}(B)$ .

$$T \quad A = (-\infty, 0], \quad B = [0, \infty)$$

$$\text{bd}(A) = \{0\} \quad \text{bd}(B) = \{0\}$$

$$A \cup B = \mathbb{R} \quad \text{and} \quad \text{bd}(\mathbb{R}) = \emptyset.$$

- d. A set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is open if and only if  $\text{int}(S) = S$ .

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- e. A set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is closed if and only if  $\text{bd}(S) = S$ .

$$F \quad [0, 1] \text{ closed, but } \text{bd}[0, 1] = \{0, 1\}.$$

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1. Define the following.

(25 points)

a. An accumulation point of a set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .

b. The closure of a set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .

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notes.*

c.  $\sup(S)$  where  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .

d. For  $f : A \rightarrow B$ , define what it means for  $f$  to be surjective.

e. For  $f : A \rightarrow B$  and  $C \subseteq A$ , define  $f(C)$ .

2. State the completion axiom.

(5 points)

3. Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by  $f(x) = x^2$ . Find the following sets.

(6 points)

a.  $f([-1, 2))$

$$= [0, 4)$$

c.  $f^{-1}([16, 25)) = [4, 5) \cup (-5, -4]$

4. Find the following sets.

(10 points)

a.  $\text{cl}(\mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{R}$

c.  $((0, 1] \cap \mathbb{Q})'$  (The set of accumulation points of the rational numbers in the interval  $(0, 1]$ .)

$$[0, 1]$$

5. Give the maximum, minimum, supremum and infimum of each set, if they exist. State for which they do not exist.

a.  $\mathbb{N}$ , the natural numbers.

(8 points)

Maximum =  $DNE$

Minimum =  $1$

Supremum =  $DNE$

Infimum =  $1$

b.  $\{x \in \mathbb{Q} \mid x^2 < 2\}$

Maximum =  $DNE$

Minimum =  $DNE$

Supremum =  $\sqrt{2}$

Infimum =  $-\sqrt{2}$

6. Prove that if  $f : A \rightarrow B$  and  $g : B \rightarrow C$  are both injective, then  $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$  is also injective. (10 points)

Suppose  $g \circ f(x_1) = g \circ f(x_2)$  for  $x_1, x_2 \in A$ .

Then  $g(f(x_1)) = g(f(x_2))$

$\therefore f(x_1) = f(x_2)$  since  $g$  is injective

$\therefore x_1 = x_2$  since  $f$  is injective

$\therefore g \circ f$  is injective.

7. Prove that if  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , then  $\text{bd}(S) \subseteq S \cup S'$ . (10 points)

Let  $x \in \text{bd}(S)$ .

If  $x \in S$ , then  $x \in S \cup S'$ .

So we assume  $x \notin S$  and show  $x \in S'$ .

Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be arbitrary.

Since  $x \in \text{bd}(S)$ ,  $\exists y \in N(x; \epsilon) \cap S$ .

$y \neq x$  since  $y \in S$  and  $x \notin S$ .

$\therefore y \in N^*(x; \epsilon) \cap S$ .

$\therefore N^*(x; \epsilon) \cap S \neq \emptyset$ .

Since  $\epsilon > 0$  is arbitrary,  $x \in S'$ .

8. Prove that if  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\sup(S)$  exists and  $S$  is open, then  $\sup(S) \notin S$ .

(10 points)

Use proof by contradiction. Suppose  $\sup S \in S$ .

Since  $S$  is open,  $\sup S$  is an interior point of  $S$ .

$\therefore \exists \varepsilon > 0 \Rightarrow N(\sup S; \varepsilon) \subseteq S$ . But  $\sup(S) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \in N(\sup S; \varepsilon)$ .

So  $\sup(S) + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \in S$ . This contradicts the fact that  $\sup(S)$  is an upper bound for  $S$ . #

$\therefore \sup S \notin S$ .

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(20 points)

a. Every nonempty open subset of the real numbers contains an irrational number.

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b. If  $f: A \rightarrow B$  and  $C \subseteq A$ , then  $C = f^{-1}(f(C))$ .

F  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  given by  $f(x) = x^2$

$C = [0, 1]$ ,  $f^{-1}(f(C)) = f^{-1}([0, 1]) = [-1, 1]$ .

c. For any  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , if  $x$  is a boundary point of  $S$ , then  $x$  is an accumulation point of  $S$ .

F  $S = \{0\}$   $0 \in \text{bd}(S)$ ,  $0 \notin S!$

d. If  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\sup(S) \in S$  and  $\inf(S) \in S$ , then  $S$  is closed.

F  $[0, 1) \cup (2, 3]$

e. A set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is closed if and only if  $S' \subseteq S$ .

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1. Define the following.

(15 points)

a. Suppose that  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $a \in A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ . Give the definition of  $f$  is continuous at  $a$ .

b. An open cover for a set  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ . (Be sure to include in your definition both open and cover.)

c.  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is a compact set.

2. State the following theorems.

(20 points)

a. Heine-Borel Theorem

b. Bolzano-Weierstrass Theorem

c. Intermediate Value Theorem

d. Extreme Value Theorem

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3. Which of the following sets are compact? Give the reason that you know the set is or is not compact.

(20 points)

a.  $[0, 100]$  compact - closed + bounded

b.  $[0, \infty)$  Not compact - not bounded

c.  $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left[ \frac{1}{n}, 2 \right] = (0, 2]$  not compact - not closed.

d.  $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \left( -\frac{1}{n}, 2 + \frac{1}{n} \right) = [0, 2]$  compact - closed and bounded.

4. Let  $S = \{\frac{1}{n} \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . Use the definition of compact to show that  $S$  is not compact. (If you use a theorem instead of the definition, then will get little or no credit.)

(10 points)

Let  $\mathcal{A} = \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{2}, \infty \right) \right\} \cup \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{n+1}, \frac{1}{n-1} \right) \mid n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$ .

Note that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n$  is in exactly one set from the collection  $\mathcal{A}$ . Namely,  $1 \in \left( \frac{1}{2}, \infty \right)$  and for  $n \geq 2$ ,  $n \in \left( \frac{1}{n+1}, \frac{1}{n-1} \right)$ . Also, each set in  $\mathcal{A}$  contains a natural number.

$\therefore$  No proper subset of  $\mathcal{A}$  is a cover, but  $\mathcal{A}$  is an open cover for  $S$ .

$\therefore$   $\mathcal{A}$  contains no finite subcover for  $S$ .

$\therefore$   $S$  is not compact.

5. Use the definition of continuous to prove that if  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is given by  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 2x - 1$ , then  $f$  is continuous at 2. (10 points)

Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be arbitrary. Let  $\delta = \min \{1, \epsilon/17\}$ .

$\delta > 0$  since  $1 > 0$  and  $\epsilon/17 > 0$ . Suppose that  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $|x-2| < \delta$ .

$$\therefore |x-2| < 1$$

$$\therefore -1 < x-2 < 1$$

$$\therefore 1 < x < 3$$

$$\therefore 3 < 3x < 9$$

$$\therefore 9 < 3x+8 < 17$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{also, } |f(x) - f(2)| &= |3x^2 + 2x - 1 - (3 \cdot 2^2 + 2 \cdot 2 - 1)| \\ &= |3x^2 + 2x - 16| \\ &= |x-2| |3x+8| \\ &\leq |x-2| \cdot 17 \\ &< \delta \cdot 17 \\ &\leq \frac{\epsilon}{17} \cdot 17 \\ &= \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

6. Prove that if  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and  $f, g: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  are both continuous, then the function  $s: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  given by  $s(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  is continuous. (10 points)

Let  $a \in A$ .

Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be arbitrary. Then  $\epsilon/2 > 0$ .

Since  $f$  is continuous at  $a$ ,  $\exists \delta_1 > 0 \Rightarrow$  if  $|x-a| < \delta_1$ , then  $|f(x) - f(a)| < \epsilon/2$

Since  $g$  is continuous at  $a$ ,  $\exists \delta_2 > 0 \Rightarrow$  if  $|x-a| < \delta_2$ , then  $|g(x) - g(a)| < \epsilon/2$ .

Let  $\delta = \min \{\delta_1, \delta_2\}$ .  $\delta > 0$  since  $\delta_1 > 0 + \delta_2 > 0$ .

Let  $x \in A$  with  $|x-a| < \delta$ .

$\therefore |x-a| < \delta_1$ , which implies  $|f(x) - f(a)| < \epsilon/2$

also  $|x-a| < \delta_2$  which implies  $|g(x) - g(a)| < \epsilon/2$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |s(x) - s(a)| &= |(f(x) + g(x)) - (f(a) + g(a))| \\ &= |f(x) - f(a) + (g(x) - g(a))| \\ &\leq |f(x) - f(a)| + |g(x) - g(a)| \\ &< \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore s$  is cont at  $a \in A$ . Since  $a$  was arbitrary...

7. Assume that  $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is a closed set,  $0 \in C$  and  $S = \{x \in [0, 1] \mid [0, x] \subseteq C\}$ .

(10 points)

a. Prove  $\sup(S)$  exists.

$$[0, 0] \subseteq C \quad \therefore 0 \in S$$

$S \subseteq [0, 1]$ , so  $S$  is bounded.

$\therefore \sup S$  exists by completeness axiom.

b. Prove  $\sup(S) \in S$ . Let  $\epsilon > 0$ . Then  $\exists x \in (\sup S - \epsilon, \sup S] \cap S$ .

$$\therefore [0, x] \subseteq C. \quad \therefore x \in C \cap N(\sup S; \epsilon). \quad \text{Also,}$$

$$N(\sup S; \epsilon) \cap (\mathbb{R} - C) \neq \emptyset \text{ or else } [0, \sup S + \frac{\epsilon}{2}] \subseteq C \Rightarrow \sup S + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \in S \neq$$

$\therefore \sup S \in \text{bd}(C)$ .  $\therefore \sup S \in C$  since  $C$  is closed.

We must show that  $[0, \sup S) \subseteq C$ . Let  $t \in [0, \sup S)$ . Then  $\exists$

an  $x \in S \ni x > t$  since  $t < \sup S$ .  $\therefore [0, x] \subseteq C \therefore t \in C$ .

$$\therefore [0, \sup S) \subseteq C. \quad \text{Since } \sup S \in C, [0, \sup S] \subseteq C.$$

$$\therefore \sup S \in S.$$

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(15 points)

a. The union of two compact subsets of  $\mathbb{R}$  is compact.

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b. If  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous and  $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is closed, then  $f(C)$  is closed.

$$F \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2} \quad f([0, \infty)) = (0, 1]$$

c. If  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous and  $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is both closed and bounded, then  $f(C)$  is closed and bounded.

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d. If  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous and  $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  is open, then  $f^{-1}(U)$  is open.

$$F \quad A = [0, 1], \quad f(x) = x, \quad U = (\frac{1}{2}, 1), \quad \text{then } f^{-1}(U) = (\frac{1}{2}, 1].$$