

# Math 312, Intro. to Real Analysis: Final Exam

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There are problems worth a total of 150 points.  
Please be sure to attempt all problems.

1. True or false (3 points each).
  - (a) For all sequences of real numbers  $(s_n)$  we have  $\liminf s_n \leq \limsup s_n$ .
  - (b) Every bounded sequence of real numbers has at least one subsequential limit.
  - (c) If the functions  $f_n$  are continuous on  $[0, 1]$  and converge uniformly to the function  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$ , then  $f$  is uniformly continuous on  $[0, 1]$ .
  - (d) If the radius of convergence of a power series  $\sum a_k x^k$  is  $R$ , and if  $0 < R < \infty$ , then the series  $\sum a_k x^k$  converges uniformly on  $(-R, R)$ .
  - (e) The integral of the limit is equal to the limit of the integrals.
2. (10 points) The real number system  $\mathbb{R}$  has been characterized in terms of Axioms A1–A4, M1–M4, DL, O1–O5, and the Completeness Axiom. Which of these axioms fail for the rational number system  $\mathbb{Q}$ ? Give one or more examples illustrating your answers.
3. (10 points)
  - (a) State the formal definition of what it means for a sequence of real numbers  $(s_n)$  to converge to a limit  $s$ .
  - (b) In terms of your definition from part (a), prove directly that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{n - 100\pi}} = 0.$$

4. (7 points) Calculate  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{8} - \frac{3}{16} + \cdots + (-1)^n \frac{3}{2^n} \right)$ .

5. (a) (2 points) Give an example of a bounded sequence of real numbers with exactly two subsequential limits.
- (b) (2 points) Give an example of a bounded sequence of real numbers with exactly five subsequential limits.
- (c) (4 points) Give an example of a bounded sequence of real numbers with infinitely many subsequential limits.
6. (10 points) Give an example of a sequence of continuous functions on  $[0, 1]$  such that  $f_n \rightarrow 0$  pointwise but not uniformly on  $[0, 1]$ .
7. (15 points) Prove that if  $\sum |a_k|$  is convergent then  $\sum a_k$  is convergent.

Hint: Use the Triangle Inequality.

8. (3 points each) For each of the following series, tell whether the series is convergent or divergent. State which convergence/divergence test you are using, and show any needed calculations.

- (a)  $\sum \frac{1}{2^n}$
- (b)  $\sum \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}}$
- (c)  $\sum (-1)^n \frac{n}{100n + 1000}$
- (d)  $\sum \left( \frac{7n}{8n + 1} \right)^n$
- (e)  $\sum \frac{1}{n \log n}$

9. (15 points) For each of the following functions, say whether the function is *continuous* and/or *uniformly continuous* on each of the three intervals

$$[0, 1], \quad (0, 1), \quad (2, \infty).$$

You are not required to justify or prove your answers.

- (a)  $\sin x$
- (b)  $e^x$
- (c)  $|x - \frac{1}{2}| + |x - 3|$
- (d)  $\frac{1}{1 - x}$
- (e)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n$

10. (10 points)

- (a) Prove directly that  $x^n \rightarrow 0$  uniformly on the interval  $[-0.99, 0.99]$ .
- (b) Does  $x^n \rightarrow 0$  uniformly on the interval  $(-1, 1)$ ? Justify your answer.

11. (10 points)

- (a) Calculate  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-1}^1 \sin^n x \, dx$ .
- (b) Justify your calculation for part (a) by stating an appropriate property of the functions  $\sin^n x$  and an applicable theorem.

12. (15 points) For each of the following series, determine the set of all  $x$  such that the series converges at  $x$ . Show any needed calculations.

- (a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \cos^n x$
- (b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{nx^n}$
- (c)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (2 + \sqrt{n})x^n$
- (d)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(10x)^n}{n^2 + 1}$
- (e)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(x - 2)^n$

13. (10 points)

- (a) Determine the coefficients  $a_k$  for  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$  such that

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x - 1}. \quad (1)$$

- (b) Over what interval is the above equation (1) valid?