

FACULTY OF SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
2023_2 EXAMINATIONS...

Course Code: MTH 301

Course Title: Functional Analysis

Credit Unit: 3

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Instruction: Answer Number One (1) and Any Other Four (4) Questions

1. (a) (i) Define a metric on a non-empty set X . (4 marks)
(ii) Let (X, d) be a metric space. Define a ball B of radius r around a point $x \in X$. (2 marks)
(b) State two examples of a metric space with metric defined. (4 marks)
(c) Let (X, d) be a metric space. Show that a subset A of X is closed in (X, d) if and only if every convergent sequence of points in A converges to a point in A . (In other words, A is closed in (X, d) if and only if $a_n \rightarrow x$ where $x \in X$ and a_n is a sequence of points in $A \forall n$ implies that $x \in A$). (12 marks)
2. (a) Define a separated set $T \subset S$, where T is a subspace of a topological space S . (2 marks)
(b) State the axioms of multiplication and order axiom of a real number system $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$. (10 marks)
3. (a) Define an open ball in a metric. (2 marks)
(b) Let (k, d) be a compact metric space. Show that every sequence in k has a convergent subsequence. (10 marks)
4. (a) Define a boundary point in a metric space (2 marks)
(b) State true or false for each of the following statements:
 - (i) Set $A \subset X$ is open if $B(x, \varepsilon) \subseteq A$.
 - (ii) Finite intersection of open sets is open.
 - (iii) Arbitrary union of open sets is not open.
 - (iv) A set S is closed if its complement is not open.
 - (v) Arbitrary intersection of closed set is closed.
 - (vi) Finite union of closed sets is closed.
 - (vii) Interior of A is the union of all open subsets of A .
 - (viii) A set S is closed if $\bar{S} = S$, where \bar{S} is the closure of S
 - (ix) $\text{Int } A$ is the largest open subset of A .
 - (x) A set, which contains an open set, has an empty interior (10 marks)