

You must not use the class notes, your own notes or any other resource (book, internet, person, etc.) during the test. The final has 8 problems (for a total of 80 points) and 1 extra-credit problem on 9 pages. Good luck!

Problem 1 (10 points) 1. Let (a_n) be a sequence in \mathbb{R} , and let $a \in \mathbb{R}$. State the definition of “the sequence (a_n) converges to a ”.

2. Show that the sequence (a_n) , where $a_n = \frac{2n + 5}{3n - 1}$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, converges. What is the limit?

Problem 2 (10 points) 1. Define what it means for a sequence to be a Cauchy sequence.

2. Show from first principles that the product of two Cauchy sequences is a Cauchy sequence. You may use the fact that Cauchy sequences are bounded.

Problem 3 (10 points) Let (a_n) be a sequence converging to two real numbers a and b . Show that $a = b$ (uniqueness of limits).

Problem 4 (10 points) 1. Explain what it means that the real number x is an accumulation point of the set X .

2. Find all accumulation points of the set $\left\{ \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{n} \mid m, n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$. (No proof necessary.)

Problem 5 (10 points) 1. Give the precise definition for “limit of a function at a point.”

2. Consider the function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(x) = x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ for $x \neq 0$ and $f(0) = 0$. Show that f has a limit at $x_0 = 0$ (What is the limit?), or show that f does not have a limit at $x_0 = 0$.

Problem 6 (10 points) 1. State the Completeness Axiom.

2. Show that the Completeness Axiom implies that every decreasing bounded sequence converges.

Problem 7 (10 points) 1. Let $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, $x_0 \in D$, and $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Give the definition for “ f is continuous at x_0 ”.

2. Show: If f is continuous at x_0 , then for every sequence (x_n) of elements in D that converges to x_0 , the sequence $f(x_n)$ converges to $f(x_0)$.

Problem 8 (10 points) 1. Let $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ and let $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function. Define what it means that f is uniformly continuous on D .

2. Let $a < b$ be two real numbers. Show: If a function $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous on $[a, b]$, then f is uniformly continuous on $[a, b]$.

Extra Credit Problem 9 (10 points) We say that a function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is “vanishing at ∞ ”, if for all $\varepsilon > 0$ there is an $N \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $|f(x)| \leq \varepsilon$ for all $|x| \geq N$. Suppose $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous on \mathbb{R} and vanishes at ∞ . Show that f is uniformly continuous on \mathbb{R} .