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M.Sc. Mathematics 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester

## TOPOLOGY—I

Paper—MATH-572

Time Allowed—3 Hours] [Maximum Marks—100

**Note** :— Attempt *five* questions selecting at least *one* question from each section. The **fifth** question may be attempted from any section. All questions carry equal marks.

## SECTION—A

- (a) Show that a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $X$  is open if and only if  $\text{Int}(A) = A$ . 5
- (b) Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  and subsets of  $X$  are  $\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}$ . Let  $T$  be defined as  $\{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$ . Is  $T$  a topology on  $X$ ? Justify your answer. 5
- Define Kuratowski closure operator and explain how it induces topology. 10

## SECTION—B

- (a) Let  $(X, T_1)$  and  $(Y, T_2)$  be two topological spaces, then a function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous if and only if  $f(\overline{A}) \subset \overline{f(A)}$ . 7
- (b) Show that a continuous map need not be an open map. 3

4. (a) Define locally connected space. Prove that a space is locally connected if and only if components of each open subset of  $X$  is open. 5
- (b) Let  $(X, T)$  be a topological space and  $(Y, T_Y)$  be a subspace  $(X, T)$ . State and prove necessary and sufficient condition for every  $T_Y$ -open set to be  $T$ -open. 5

## SECTION—C

5. (a) Let  $\prod_{i=1}^n Y_i$  is a product space. Prove that  

$$\forall A_i \subset Y_i, \prod_{i=1}^n A_i^\circ = \left( \prod_{i=1}^n A_i \right)^\circ. \quad 5$$
- (b) Prove that  $\prod_{\alpha \in \Lambda} Y_\alpha$  is connected if and only if each  $Y_\alpha$  is connected. 5
6. (a) Show that :  

$$\text{Fr}(A_1 \times A_2) = (\text{Fr}(A_1) \times \bar{A}_2) \cup (\bar{A}_1 \times \text{Fr}(A_2)). \quad 5$$
- (b) Show that infinite product of discrete space is never discrete. 5

## SECTION—D

7. State and prove Urysohn's lemma. 10
8. (a) Let  $(X, T)$  be a topological space. Prove that the following statements are equivalent :
- (i)  $X$  is normal.
- (ii) If  $A \subset U$  and  $A$  is closed and  $U$  is open then there exist open set  $V$  such that  

$$A \subset V \subset \bar{V} \subset U.$$
- (iii) If  $A$  and  $B$  are disjoint closed sets then there exist an open set  $U$  containing  $A$  such that  

$$\bar{U} \cap B = \emptyset. \quad 6$$
- (b) Prove that regularity is a hereditary property. 4