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MATH 411

Final Part II

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Take Home

1. **(5points)** Let $f : I \subset \mathbb{R}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$ be continuous. Show that the set

$$G = \{(x, f(x)) : x \in I\}$$

is connected.

2. **(5points)** Let f be a continuous function on the interval $[0, 1]$. Define the set E by

$$E = \left\{ x \in [0, 1] : f(x) = \max_{t \in [0, 1]} f(t) \right\}.$$

Show that E is compact.

3. **(4points)** Show that if $\sum a_n$ is convergent and $a_n \geq 0$, then $\sum a_n^2$ converges. Give an example to show that the condition $a_n \geq 0$ cannot be dropped.
4. **(5points)** Find all extrema of the function

$$f(x, y) = \int_y^1 \frac{\sin xt}{t} dt$$

in the vertical strip

$$S = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : 0 < x < 10\pi.\}$$

5. **(5points)** Let F be a figure in \mathbb{R}^N and suppose that $f : F \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$ is uniformly continuous. Show that f is Darboux integrable on F .
6. (a) **(4points)** Show that if $\{a_n\}$ is a bounded sequence and $b_n \rightarrow b_0$ then

$$\overline{\lim} a_n b_n = b_0 \overline{\lim} a_n.$$

- (b) **(4points)** Suppose $\{a_n\}$ is a sequence of positive numbers. Show that

$$\underline{\lim} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \leq \underline{\lim} \sqrt[n]{a_n} \leq \overline{\lim} \sqrt[n]{a_n} \leq \overline{\lim} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n}.$$

- (c) **(4points)** Show that

$$\overline{\lim} a_n = \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{a_k\}_{k \geq n}.$$

- (d) Compute $\overline{\lim} a_n$, $\underline{\lim} a_n$ for

1. **(2points)** $a_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \left(1 + \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{8}\right)\right)^{1/n}$,

2. **(2points)** $a_n = \frac{n + (-1)^n(2n+1)}{n}$.