

**THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR) EXAMINATION  
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(CUCSS)

Mathematics

MT 3C 14—FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS

(2016 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

**Part A**

*Answer all questions.*

*Each question carries 1 weightage.*

1. Define the metric space  $l^p$ , for  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$  and the metric  $d_p$  on it. Is  $l^p$  separable for  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ .
2. Give an element of  $L^1(\mathbb{R})$  which does not belong to  $L^2(\mathbb{R})$ . Justify your answer.
3. Define the quotient norm on the quotient space  $X/Y$ , where  $Y$  is a closed subspace of a normed space  $X$ .
4. Let  $E$  be a convex subset of a normed space  $X$ . Show that the interior  $E^0$  of  $E$  is convex.
5. Define a strictly convex normed space and give one example.
6. Show that  $B(X, Y)$  is a normed space if  $X$  and  $Y$  are normed spaces.
7. State Hahn-Banach separation theorem.
8. Define the second dual of a normed space  $X$  and describe the canonical embedding of  $X$  into its double dual.
9. State the Taylor-Foguel Theorem.
10. Define a projection on a linear space. Show that for a projection  $P$ ,  $R(P) = Z(I - P)$ .
11. State open mapping theorem for Banach spaces.
12. Define a Hilbert space. Give an example of a Banach space which is not a Hilbert space.
13. State the Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization theorem.
14. State the Parseval formula in a Hilbert space.

(14 × 1 = 14 weightage)

**Part B**

*Answer any seven questions.*

*Each question carries 2 weightage.*

15. Show that  $l^\infty$  is complete.
16. Show that the metric space  $L^\infty([a, b])$ ,  $a < b$ , is not separable.

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17. Show that the three norms  $\| \cdot \|_1, \| \cdot \|_2$  and  $\| \cdot \|_\infty$  on  $\mathbb{C}^n$  are equivalent.
18. Verify whether  $\mathbb{C}^n$  with norms  $\| \cdot \|_1, \| \cdot \|_2$  and  $\| \cdot \|_\infty$  is strictly convex or not for  $n \geq 2$ .
19. Prove that a Banach space cannot have a denumerable Hamel basis.
20. State and prove Resonance Theorem for a normed space.
21. Let  $X$  be a normed space in which every absolutely summable series of elements of  $X$  is summable. Prove that  $X$  is a Banach space.
22. Show that the inverse of a bijective continuous map may not be continuous.
23. State and prove the Schwarz inequality in an inner product space.
24. Let  $\mathbb{H}$  be a Hilbert space, let  $\{u_n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  be a countable orthonormal set in  $\mathbb{H}$  and let  $k_n \in \mathbb{K}$  such that  $\sum_n |k_n|^2 < \infty$ . Show that  $\sum_n k_n u_n$  converges in  $\mathbb{H}$ .

(7 × 2 = 14 weightage)

### Part C

*Answer any two questions.*

*Each question carries 4 weightage.*

25. State and prove Uniform Boundedness Principle for Banach spaces.
26. Let  $T$  be a set and let  $X$  be a subspace of  $B(T)$  with sup norm,  $1 \in X$  and  $f$  be a linear functional on  $X$ . Prove the following :
  - (a) If  $f$  is continuous and  $\|f\| = 1$ , then  $f$  is positive.
  - (b) If  $\operatorname{Re} x \in X$  whenever  $x \in X$  and if  $f$  is positive, then  $f$  is continuous and  $\|f\| = f(1)$ .
27. Prove that the following three conditions are equivalent for a non-zero Hilbert space  $\mathbb{H}$  over  $\mathbb{K}$ :
  - (a)  $\mathbb{H}$  has a countable orthonormal basis.
  - (b)  $\mathbb{H}$  is linear isometric to  $\mathbb{K}^n$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  or to  $l^2$ .
  - (c)  $\mathbb{H}$  is separable.
28. Let  $\{u_n\}$  be an orthonormal set in a linear product space  $X$  and  $x \in X$ . Let  $E_x := \{u_n : \langle x, u_n \rangle \neq 0\}$ . Prove the following :
  - (a)  $E_x$  is countable.
  - (b) If  $E_x$  is not finite, then  $\langle x, u_n \rangle \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)