

EXAM IN FOUNDATION OF ANALYSIS SF2713 MARCH 14 2016

The solutions shall be clearly written and every step carefully motivated.

Each problem gives at most 3 points. The grades are:

A: 22-24 p; B: 19-21p; C: 16-18p; D:14-15p; E:12-13p; Fx: 11p

- 1 Define the following concepts:
 - a) a real number
 - b) an equivalence relation
 - c) uniform continuity
- 2 Formulate the following theorems:
 - a) the chain rule
 - b) the contraction principle (Banach's fixed point theorem)
 - c) the Stone-Weierstrass theorem
- 3 Let f be the limit of a uniformly convergent sequence of uniformly continuous functions between metric spaces. Prove that f also must be uniformly continuous.
- 4 Suppose that (p_n) and (q_n) are Cauchy sequences in a metric space. Does the sequence $(d(p_n, q_n))$ converge?
- 5 Find an example of a bijective continuous function which is not a homeomorphism.
- 6 Let X be the real vector space of functions from the natural numbers to the real numbers, such that $f(n) \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. Define a norm on X by $\|f\| = \sup_n |f(n)|$. Prove that X is complete.
- 7 Let $f : X \times Y \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be continuous where X and Y are compact metric spaces. Let for each y in Y $g(y)$ denote the minimum of $f(x, y)$ as x varies over X . Prove that g is continuous.
- 8 Let L denote the set of linear operators from \mathbb{R}^n to itself endowed with the operator norm. Define $f : L \rightarrow L$ by $f(T) = \exp(T(I-T))$, where \exp is the exponential function defined by its usual power series expansion. Is f locally invertible near the identity map I ?

GOOD LUCK! Lasse