

Solutions to these questions will not be provided.

## 1. SERIES

1. A series  $\sum x_n$  converges if \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Prove that if  $\sum x_n$  converges then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$ .
3. Does the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{2n+1}$  converge?
4. Let  $(x_n)$  be a sequence of non-negative numbers. Prove that the series  $\sum x_n$  converges if and only if the sequence  $(s_k)$  of partial sums is bounded. In this case, what is the value of  $\sum x_n$ ?
5. Prove that the Harmonic series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  is divergent.
6. Prove that if  $|r| < 1$  then the Geometric series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^n$  converges. What is the value of  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^n$ ?
7. Let  $(x_n)$  and  $(y_n)$  be non-negative sequences and suppose that  $x_n \leq y_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Prove that if  $\sum y_n$  converges then  $\sum x_n$  converges.
8. Is the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+n}$  convergent?
9. Suppose that  $0 < x_n \leq 1$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and suppose that  $\sum x_n$  converges. Is it necessarily true that  $\sum x_n^2$  converges? Either prove that it is true or give a counterexample.
10. Suppose that  $0 < x_n \leq 1$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and suppose that  $\sum x_n$  converges. Is it necessarily true that  $\sum \sqrt{x_n}$  converges? Either prove that it is true or give a counterexample.

## 2. LIMITS

1. Let  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ . The point  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  is a cluster point of  $A$  if \_\_\_\_\_.
2. State the definition of the limit of a function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  at  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .
3. Prove by definition that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 6} \frac{x^2-3x}{x+3} = 2$ .
4. Prove by definition that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{x+1}{x+3} = \frac{1}{2}$ .
5. State the sequential criterion for the limit of a function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  at  $c$ .
6. Give an example of a set  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ , a function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , and a point  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  where  $c$  is a cluster point of  $A$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  exists but  $f$  is not well-defined at  $c$ .
7. Give an example of a set  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ , a function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , and a point  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  where  $f$  is bounded locally at  $c$  but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  does not exist. For your example, prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)$  does not exist.
8. Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

Prove that  $f$  has no limit at  $c = 0$ .

9. Let  $c$  be a cluster point of  $A$ . The function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is bounded locally at  $c$  if \_\_\_\_\_.

10. Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function that is bounded locally at  $c$  and suppose that  $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  converges to  $L = 0$  at  $c$ . Prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x)g(x) = 0$ .
11. Let  $c$  be a cluster point of  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$ . Suppose that  $f, g : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  have a limit at  $c$  and let  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Prove that  $h(x) = \alpha f(x) + \beta g(x)$  has a limit at  $c$ .
12. Let  $c$  be a cluster point of  $A$ . Suppose that  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  satisfies  $M_1 \leq f(x) \leq M_2$  for all  $x \in A$ , for some constants  $M_1$  and  $M_2$ . Prove that if  $\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L$  then  $M_1 \leq L \leq M_2$ .
13. Let  $c$  be a cluster point of  $A \subset \mathbb{R}$  and suppose that  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  has limit  $L$  at  $c$ . Prove that if  $L < 0$  then there exists a neighborhood  $B_\delta(c) = (c - \delta, c + \delta)$  of  $c$  such that  $f(x) < 0$  for all  $x \in B_\delta(c) \cap A$ .
14. State the Squeeze Theorem for functions and then prove it.
15. Prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \cos(1/x)$  does not exist but  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \cos(1/x) = 0$ .

### 3. CONTINUITY

1. The function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous at  $c \in A$  if \_\_\_\_\_.
2. State the sequential criterion for a function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  to be continuous at  $c \in A$ .
3. Consider the continuous function  $f(x) = x^2$  on  $A = [0, 5]$ . Fix  $\varepsilon = 1$ . Find the largest  $\delta_1 > 0$  so that if  $x \in (2 - \delta_1, 2 + \delta_1)$  then  $|f(x) - f(2)| < \varepsilon$ .
4. Consider the function  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ -1, & x \notin \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

Prove that  $f$  is discontinuous at every point  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

5. Let  $f, g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be continuous functions. Prove that if  $f(q) = g(q)$  for  $q \notin \mathbb{Q}$  then  $f(x) = g(x)$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .
6. Let  $A = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$  and consider the function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $f(x) = x^2 \sin(1/x)$ .
  - (a) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x)$ .
  - (b) Is  $f$  continuous at  $x = 0$ ? Why?
  - (c) Extend the function  $f$  to a continuous function  $F : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  so that  $F(x) = f(x)$  for  $x \neq 0$ .
7. Given an example of a function  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  that does not achieve a minimum nor a maximum in  $[a, b]$ .
8. State the Intermediate Value Theorem.
9. Prove that  $f(x) = \cos(x)$  and  $g(x) = x^2$  intersect at some point inside the interval  $[0, \pi/2]$ .
10. True or False: If  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous then  $f$  is bounded on  $[a, b]$ .
11. True or False: If  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is uniformly continuous then  $f$  is bounded.
12. Let  $f : [a, b] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function and assume that  $f(a) < 0$  and  $f(b) > 0$ . Let  $W = \{x \in [a, b] : f(x) < 0\}$  and let  $w = \sup(W)$ . Prove that  $f(w) = 0$ .
13. Prove using the Intermediate Value Theorem that you can slice a cheese pizza in half so that both halves have an equal amount of cheese.
14. The function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is uniformly continuous on  $A$  if \_\_\_\_\_.

15. The function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a Lipschitz function on  $A$  if \_\_\_\_\_.
16. Let  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $g : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be Lipschitz functions. Prove that  $f + g$  is also Lipschitz on  $A$ .
17. Let  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a Lipschitz function and suppose that  $f(A) \subset B$ . Prove that if  $g : B \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz then the composite function  $(g \circ f) : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is Lipschitz.
18. Prove that if  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a Lipschitz function then  $f$  is uniformly continuous.
19. Give an example of a continuous function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  that is not uniformly continuous. Your example needs to explicitly state the domain  $A$ . For your example, prove that  $f$  is not uniformly continuous.
20. Give an example of a uniformly continuous function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  that is not Lipschitz. Your example needs to explicitly state the domain  $A$ . For your example, prove that  $f$  is not Lipschitz.