Part A

State whether True or False and give brief reasons in the sheets provided. Marks will be given only when reasons are provided.

- 1. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function such that $f(x+1) = f(x), \forall x$. Then f is uniformly continuous.
- 2. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function such that $|f(x) f(y)| \ge |x y|, \forall x, y$. Then f is surjective.
- 3. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function. Then f'(x) is continuous.
- 4. The group $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$ is a direct product of two nontrivial subgroups.
- 5. A group of order 10 which has a normal subgroup of order 2 is abelian.
- 6. Let G be a cyclic group and $a, b \in G$ be elements which are not squares. Then $a \cdot b \in G$ is a square.
- 7. There are infinite groups with subgroups of index 5.
- 8. Two abelian groups of the same order are isomorphic.
- 9. Let $K \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ such that every real valued continuous function on K is bounded. Then K is compact (i.e closed and bounded).
- 10. There exist nonempty connected subset of $X \subset \mathbb{R}$ such that X has more than two elements and has only rational numbers in it.
- 11. A linear transformation A on \mathbb{R}^2 has $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{7}{4}$ as its eigen values. Then for a real vector v, one has ||Av|| > 2||v||?
- 12. Let f(x) and g(x) be two monic polynomials of the same degree such that adding 1 to the roots of f(x) we get the roots of g(x). Then the constant term of g(x) can be found from the constant term of f(x).
- 13. G is a non-abelian group with nontrivial centre C. The the centre of G/C trivial.
- 14. *H* is a normal cyclic subgroup of a finite group *G* such that G/H is cyclic. Then *G* is cyclic? .

15. Let $f\colon \mathbb{C}\to \mathbb{C}$ be the function given by

$$f(z) = (7 - 11i)^2 z^3 + 6z^2 - (4 + i)z - \frac{8}{3}$$

Then the complex number $\cos \pi/7 + i \sin \pi/7$ belongs to the image of f.

16. Let X, Y be two disjoint connected subsets of the plane \mathbb{R}^2 . The $X \cup Y$ can be the whole of \mathbb{R}^2 .

Part B

Answer all questions.

1. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a continuous function. Show that

$$\int_0^1 f(x)x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}f(c)$$

for some $c \in [0, 1]$.

2. Let $f:[0,1] \to \mathbb{R}$ be continuous. Evaluate

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \int_0^1 x^n f(x) dx$$

- 3. Let a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n be distinct real numbers. Show that $e^{a_1x}, \ldots, e^{a_nx}$ are linearly independent over \mathbb{R} .
- 4. Let V, W be finite dimensional vector spaces over a field k and let $Z \subset W$ be a subspace. Let $T: V \to W$ be a linear map. Prove that

$$\dim(T^{-1}(Z)) \le \dim(V) - \dim(W) + \dim(Z)$$

- 5. Let $f : \mathbb{C} \to \mathbb{C}$ be an analytic function such that h(0) = 3 + 4i and $|h(z)| \le 5$ if |z| < 1. What is h'(0)?
- 6. Let M(n) be the space of real $n \times n$ -matrices. Regard this as a metric space with distance function

$$d(A, B) = \sum_{i,j=1}^{n} |a_{ij} - b_{ij}|$$

where $A = (a_i j)$ and $B = (b_i j)$. Prove that the subset $N \subset M(n)$ consisting of matrices A such that $A^k = 0$ for some k is a closed subset of M(n).

- 7. Show that there exist infinitely many quadratic extensions of \mathbb{Q} which are pairwise nonisomorphic.
- 8. Let A, B be two linear maps $\mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$, corresponding to rotations by 30° around x-axis, and rotation by $22\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ around z-axis respectively. For the composed map $B \circ A$ what is the norm of the image of the vector v = (-3, 5, 1)?
- 9. Let A be an $n \times n$ -matrix with complex entries such that Trace(A) = 0. Then show that A is similar to a matrix with 0's in the diagonal entries.