

Q-1

Show that the set X with cofinite topology is compact?

Ans:-

If the set X is finite, then

$$\tau_{\text{cof}} = \mathcal{P}(X)$$

therefore,

(X, τ_{cof}) is compact. M.m →

But if X is not finite, then, Let an open cover \mathcal{D} of X . Now ~~choose~~ Let $D \in \mathcal{D}$ since \mathcal{D} is an open cover, this implies that D is open and it is also implies that D^c is finite. ($D \neq \emptyset$)

Now for every $x \in D^c$ choose an element of \mathcal{D} , say D_x containing x .

$$\{D_x \mid x \in D^c\}$$

since D^c is finite, consider this subcover of \mathcal{D} . The cover C ,

$$C = \{D\} \cup \{D_x \mid x \in D^c\}$$

here $\{D\}$ and $\{D_x \mid x \in D^c\}$ is finite, so, C is finite subcover of \mathcal{D} .

This implies that (X, τ_{cof}) is compact.

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Q.2

Define separate sets?

Ans:-

If A and B be two subsets of a topological space (X, τ) . Then A and B are said to be separated sets if and only if

$$A \cap B = \emptyset \text{ and } A' \cap B = \emptyset \text{ and } A \cap B' = \emptyset$$

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Show that every second countable space is first countable?

Ans:-

Let X be a second countable space

i.e there exist a basis B and B

is countable. Now Let $p \in X$ and

Let $B_p \subset B$ where $B_p = \{B_p \mid p \in B_p\} \subset B$

Now B_p is countable, $\because B$ is countable

Now B_p is local base at p .

therefore,

X is first countable.

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Q.4

Show that a discrete space X is separable if and only if X is countable?

Ans:-

since $\tau_{dis} = P(X)$

We know that the only dense subset in X is X itself.

So, if the only choice for A is X such that $\bar{A} = X$

therefore X is separable iff X is countable.

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Q.5

Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, Write the basis for the discrete topology on X ?

Ans:-

If $X = \{a, b, c\}$, then basis for discrete topology on X will be

$$B = \left\{ \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\} \right\}$$

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Q.6

Prove that every subspace of a second countable space is second countable?

Ans:-

Let $A \subset X$ (X is 2nd countable space)

Since X is 2nd countable so there

exist $B = \{B_n | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ that is countable

Now basis for subspaces is

$B_A = \{A \cap B_n | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ is a basis for

τ_A and B_A is countable. This implies

that A is 2nd countable.

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Give one example of second countable space?

Ans:-

Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\},$

$\{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}, X\}$ be a Topology defined

on X . A basis for τ is

$$B = \left\{ \begin{matrix} \{a\} \\ \{b\} \\ \{c, d\} \end{matrix} \right\}$$

So,

(X, τ) is second countable.

Q.8

Define T_2 -space?

Ans:-

A topological space (X, T) is said to be " T_2 space" iff for each $x, y \in X$ such that $x \neq y$ there exist open subsets U_x, U_y of X containing x, y respectively such that $y \notin U_x$ and $x \notin U_y$.

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Define Normal space? M.m

A topological space (X, T) is said to be "Normal space" iff for every pair of disjoint closed subsets $F_1, F_2 \subset X$, there exist open subsets U_{F_1} and U_{F_2} containing F_1 and F_2 such that

$$U_{F_1} \cap U_{F_2} = \emptyset$$

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Define Metric Topology?

Ans:-

Let X be a nonempty set with metric d . The T on X generated by the set of all open balls in X with respect to d is called Metric Topology.

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Show that a set X with topology T containing finite number subsets of X is compact?

Ans:-

Since every open cover C of X is subclass of T and T itself finite so, C is finite too and any subcover S of C is also finite.

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Define connected set?

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Ans:-

A subset A of a topological space (X, T) is said to be connected iff there exists no pair of nonempty open subsets U and V of X such that

$A \cap U$ and $A \cap V$

are nonempty disjoint sets and

$$A = (A \cap U) \cup (A \cap V)$$

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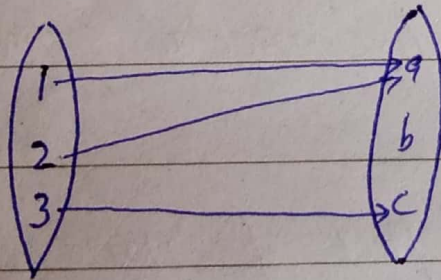
Consider the set $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $Y = \{a, b, c\}$ with Topologies $\mathcal{T}_X = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, X\}$ and $\mathcal{T}_Y = \{\emptyset, \{a, b\}, \{b\}, Y\}$ respectively. Define a map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ as $f(1) = f(2) = a, f(3) = c$ show that f is a closed map?

Ans:-

f is called closed map iff the image of each closed subset of X is closed in Y . such that

$$U \subset X \Rightarrow f(U) \subset Y \quad \underline{M.m}$$

and map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is



therefore,

$$f(1) = f(2) = a$$

and

$$f(3) = c$$

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Define connected component in a topological space X ?

Ans:-

Consider a topological space (X, \mathcal{T}) . Let $a \in X$ and C be a connected subset of X containing a . Then

$$C_a = \bigcup_{a \in C} C$$

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is called the connected component of X .

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Consider $X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ with topology $\mathcal{T} = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, d, e\}, \{a, b, d, e\}, X\}$. Show that the set $A = \{c, e\}$ is disconnected subset of X ?

Ans:-

Since there exists a pair of nonempty open subsets $U = \{a, b, d, e\}$ and $V = \{a, b, c\}$ of X such that $A \cap U = \{e\}$ and $A \cap V = \{c\}$ and $\{e\} \cap \{c\} = \emptyset$ are nonempty disjoint sets and

$$A = (A \cap U) \cup (A \cap V) = \{e\} \cup \{c\} = \{e, c\}$$

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Define Regular space?

Ans:-

A topological space (X, τ) is said to be regular if for any closed set A and a point not in A , there exist two open sets U and V such that $x \in U$, $A \subseteq V$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$.

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M.mConsider $X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ with topology
$$\tau = \{ \emptyset, \{a, b\}, \{d, e\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d, e\}, X \}$$

is X a disconnected space?

Ans:-

since there exist nonempty open disjoint subsets

$$U = \{a, b, c\} \text{ and } V = \{d, e\}$$

of X such that

$$X = U \cup V$$

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Q.18

Show that every finite subset of T_1 -space is closed?

Ans:-

Let (X, τ) be a T_1 space and $A \subset X$

Let $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ then

$$A = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{a_i\}, \text{ where } a_i \in A$$

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Since X is T_1 space, so every singleton subset of X is closed in X .

$\{a_i\}$ is closed for all $i=1, 2, 3, \dots, n$

It implies that A is closed in X .

Q.19

Give any two examples of Lindelof space?

Ans:-

- i) $X = \mathbb{R}$ with usual topology is Lindelof
- ii) A set X with indiscrete topology then it is Lindelof.

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Prove $f: (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, T')$ is a closed map?

Proof: -

Let A be a closed subset of X , since X is compact and we know that a closed subspace of a compact space is compact. So A is compact.

Now f is continuous and we know image of a compact space under a continuous map is compact so $f(A)$ is compact subspace of Y .

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Now Y is Hausdorff, we know every compact subspace of Hausdorff is closed so $f(A)$ is closed.

Thus,

f is a closed map.

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Q.21

Consider $X = \{a, b, c\}$ with $\mathcal{T} = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$
then show that (X, \mathcal{T}) is regular space?

Ans:-

$$C_x = \{\emptyset, \{b, c\}, \{a\}, X\}$$

then $U_a = \{a\}$ and $U_b = \{b, c\} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

$U_c = \{b, c\}$ and $U_c = \{a\} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

by $\textcircled{1}$

$$U_a \cup U_b = \emptyset$$

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by $\textcircled{2}$

$$U_c \cup U_c = \emptyset$$

Thus,

(X, \mathcal{T}) is regular space.

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Consider $(\mathbb{R}, \mathcal{T}_u)$, then prove $A = (0, 1)$ and $B = [4, 9]$
are separated sets?

Ans:-

by definition,

$$A \cap B = (0, 1) \cap [4, 9] = \emptyset$$

$$A' \cap B = (0, 1)' \cap [4, 9] = \emptyset$$

and

$$A \cap B' = (0, 1) \cap [4, 9]' = \emptyset$$

Thus A and B are separated sets.

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Q.23

Prove every subspace of a T_1 space is also a T_1 space?

Proof:-

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Let (X, T) be a T_1 space $Y \subset X$ and (Y, T_Y) be a subspace of (X, T) .

We know that in a space every singleton subset is closed then that space is T_1 .

Let $p \in Y \subset X \quad \because X \text{ is } T_1$

so, $\{p\} \subset X$ closed, then

$\{p\}^c$ is open in X
therefore,

$Y \cap \{p\}^c$ is open in Y

but $Y \cap \{p\}^c = Y \setminus \{p\}$

This implies that $\{p\}$ is closed in Y and it implies that (Y, T_Y) is T_1 .

Q.24

Give one example of regular space?

Ans:-

i) Discrete space is a regular space

ii) Indiscrete space is a regular space.