- 12. (a) Prove that a family  $\beta$  of sets is a base for a topology for the set  $X = U\{B : B \in \beta\}$  iff for every  $B_1$ ,  $B_2 \in \beta$  and every  $x \in B_1 \cap B_2$ ,  $\exists$  a set  $B \in \beta$  s.t.  $x \in B$   $\subseteq B_1 \cap B_2$ .
  - (b) Show that a top space is compact iff any family of closed sets having FIP has a non-empty intersection.6

Or

- (a) Prove that every sequentially compact top space is countably compact.6
- (b) Show that every sequentially compact metric space is compact. 6
- **13.** (a) Define first and second axiom space. Also show that every second axioms space is first axiom but converse need not be true.

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(b) Prove that every compact Hausdorff spaceis regular.5

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Topology

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

## **Section A**

**Note**: Attempt any *Seven* questions.  $7 \times 5 = 35$ 

- **1.** State and prove cofinite topology on a non-empty set.
- 2. Define interior of a set. Also show that :

$$\mathring{A} = \{ y : y \in A \text{ and } y \notin d(X - A) \}$$

3. If f is a mapping of a top space X into another topological space, then prove that f is continuous on X iff

$$f(C(E)) \subseteq C * f(E) \forall E \subseteq X$$
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- **4.** If C is a connected subset of a top space (X, T) which has a separation X = A/B, then show that either  $C \subseteq A$  or  $C \subseteq B$ .
- 5. If E is a subset of a subspace (X\*, T\*) of a top space (X, T), then show that E is T\*-compact iff it is T-compact.
- **6.** Define locally compact space. Show that every compact top-space is locally compact but converse need not be true.
- 7. Show that a compact subset of a metric space is closed and bounded. Give an example to show that a compact subset of a top space need not be closed.
- **8.** Define a separable space. Also show that every second countable space is separable.

- **9.** Prove that a top space X is  $T_0$ -space iff the closures of distinct points are distinct.
- **10.** Define product topology and projections  $\Pi_x$  and  $\Pi_y$  of X × Y on X and Y respectively.

## **Section B**

**Note**: Attempt all the questions.

- 11. (a) Prove that  $\overline{A} = A \cup d(A) \forall A \subseteq X$ . 6
  - (b) Define topology in terms of Kurtowski closure operator. 6

Or

- (a) Let T be the collection of subset of N consisting of φ and all subsets of N of the form A<sub>n</sub> = {n, n+1, n+2,.....}, n ∈ N. Show that T is a topology for N. Also find the derived set of {4, 13, 28, 35}. 6
- (b) Show that a top space is connected iff it has no non-empty proper subset which is both open and closed.6

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Or

(a) Prove that a top-space X is completely normal iff every subspace of X is normal.

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(b) Show that the property of a space being normal is not a hereditary property. 5

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