# **FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS**

## **PAPER- 402**

#### 1 mark questions

- 1. Define a metric space.
- 2. Give an example of a metric space.
- 3. Define an open set.
- 4. Give an example of an open set in a metric space.
- 5. Define a closed set.
- 6. Give an example of a closed set in a metric space.
- 7. Define a neighborhood in a metric space.
- 8. Give an example of a neighborhood in a metric space.
- 9. Define convergence in the context of sequences in a metric space.
- 10. Give an example of a convergent sequence in a metric space.
- 11.Define a Cauchy sequence.
- 12. Give an example of a Cauchy sequence in a metric space.
- 13. What is completeness in the context of metric spaces?
- 14.Define a continuous mapping between metric spaces.
- 15.Provide an example of a continuous function between two metric spaces.
- 16.Define a Banach space.
- 17. Give an example of a Banach space.
- 18.Define a normed space.
- 19. Give an example of a normed space.
- 20. What is a finite dimensional normed space?
- 21. Give an example of a finite dimensional normed space.
- 22.Define compactness in metric spaces.
- 23.Provide an example of a compact set in a metric space.
- 24. What is a finite dimensional linear operator?
- 25. Give an example of a finite dimensional linear operator.
- 26.Define bounded linear operators.
- 27.Provide an example of a bounded linear operator.
- 28.Define a linear functional.
- 29. Give an example of a linear functional on a finite dimensional space.
- 30.Define normed spaces of operators.
- 31.Provide an example of a normed space of operators.
- 32.Define an inner product space.
- 33. Give an example of an inner product space.
- 34.Define a Hilbert space.
- 35. Give an example of a Hilbert space.

36.Define an orthonormal set.

- 37.Provide an example of an orthonormal set.
- 38. What is a total orthonormal set?
- 39. Give an example of a total orthonormal set.
- 40.Explain the concept of representation of a functional on a Hilbert space.
- 41.Define self-adjoint operators.
- 42.Define unitary operators.
- 43.Define normal operators.
- 44. Give an example of a self-adjoint operator.
- 45. Give an example of a unitary operator.
- 46.Name one fundamental theorem for normed and Banach spaces.
- 47. What is Zorn's Lemma?
- 48.Explain the Hahn-Banach theorem.
- 49. What is meant by "application to bounded linear function on C" in the context of functional analysis?
- 50.Give an example of the application of the Hahn-Banach theorem to a bounded linear function on C.
- 51.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ is a set together with a function that assigns each pair of points in the set a non-negative real number that satisfies the triangle inequality.
- 52. The real numbers with the standard metric is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 53.A subset of a metric space is \_\_\_\_\_\_ if, for every point in the subset, there is a neighborhood around that point that is entirely contained in the subset.
- 54. The set of all real numbers less than 1 is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ set in the real numbers.
- 55.A subset of a metric space is \_\_\_\_\_\_ if it contains all of its limit points.
- 56. The set of all real numbers less than or equal to 1 is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ set in the real numbers.
- 57.A \_\_\_\_\_ of a point in a metric space is a set that contains an open set around the point.
- 58. The open interval (-1, 1) is a \_\_\_\_\_ of the point 0 in the real numbers.
- 59.A sequence in a metric space \_\_\_\_\_\_ to a limit if, given any positive distance, all but finitely many points of the sequence are within that distance of the limit.
- 60. The sequence 1/n \_\_\_\_\_ to 0 in the real numbers.
- 61.A sequence in a metric space is a \_\_\_\_\_\_ sequence if, given any positive distance, all terms of the sequence are eventually that close to each other.
- 62. Every sequence in a compact metric space has a \_\_\_\_\_\_ subsequence.

- 63.A metric space is \_\_\_\_\_\_ if every Cauchy sequence in the space converges to a limit in the space.
- 64. The real numbers with the standard metric is a \_\_\_\_\_ metric space.
- 65.A function between metric spaces is \_\_\_\_\_ if the preimage of every open set is open.
- 66.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ space is a complete normed vector space.
- 67. The space of continuous functions on a closed interval, with the sup norm, is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ space.
- 68.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ space is a vector space equipped with a function that assigns a non-negative real number to each vector in the space, satisfying certain properties.
- 69. The space of sequences of real numbers that converge to 0, with the sup norm, is an example of a \_\_\_\_\_\_ space.
- 70.A normed space (or subspace) that has a finite basis is a \_\_\_\_\_ normed space (or subspace).
- 71.A subset of a metric space is \_\_\_\_\_\_ if every open cover of the subset has a finite subcover.
- 72.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ operator on a finite-dimensional vector space is a linear transformation between vector spaces.
- 73.A linear operator is \_\_\_\_\_ if there exists a constant C such that  $||T(x)|| \le C||x||$  for all x.
- 74.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ functional is a linear map from a vector space to its field of scalars.
- 75. The set of all \_\_\_\_\_\_ operators from one normed space to another, with the operator norm, is itself a normed space.
- 76.An \_\_\_\_\_\_ space is a vector space with an additional structure that allows you to compute the angle and length of vectors.
- 77.A \_\_\_\_\_\_ space is a complete inner product space.
- 78.A set of vectors is \_\_\_\_\_\_ if all vectors have a norm of 1 and are orthogonal to each other.
- 79.An \_\_\_\_\_\_ set is an orthonormal set that is dense in the space.
- 80.The \_\_\_\_\_ Representation Theorem states that every continuous linear functional on a Hilbert space can be represented as an inner product with a fixed vector in the space.
- 81.An operator on a Hilbert space is \_\_\_\_\_ if it is equal to its own adjoint.
- 82.An operator on a Hilbert space is \_\_\_\_\_ if it preserves the inner product.
- 83.An operator on a Hilbert space is \_\_\_\_\_ if it commutes with its adjoint.
- 84.The \_\_\_\_\_ Category Theorem is a fundamental result in the theory of Banach spaces.

- 85.The \_\_\_\_\_ Boundedness Principle is a fundamental result in the theory of Banach spaces.
- 86. The \_\_\_\_\_ Mapping Theorem is a fundamental result in the theory of Banach spaces.
- 87.The \_\_\_\_\_ Graph Theorem is a fundamental result in the theory of Banach spaces.
- 88. Lemma is a principle of set theory stating that every partially ordered set in which every chain has an upper bound contains at least one maximal element.
- 89.The \_\_\_\_\_ Theorem states that every continuous linear functional on a normed vector space can be extended to the whole space.
- 90.In functional analysis, the \_\_\_\_\_ Theorem is frequently applied to bounded linear functions on C.

### 2 marks questions

- Let (X, d) be a metric space and let A be a subset of X. Prove that a point x in X is a limit point of A if and only if every open ball B(x; r) around x for r > 0 intersects A at a point other than x.
- 2. Prove that the set of all bounded sequences in R, with the sup norm, forms a Banach space.
- Let (X, ||.||) be a normed space and let T: X → X be a linear operator. Prove that T is bounded if and only if there exists a constant C > 0 such that ||T(x)|| ≤ C||x|| for all x in X.
- 4. Let K be a compact subset of a metric space (X, d). Prove that for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists a finite  $\varepsilon$ -net for K, i.e., a finite subset F of X such that for each x in K, there exists a point f in F with  $d(x, f) < \varepsilon$ .
- 5. Let (H, <.., .>) be an inner product space, and let x, y be elements of H. Prove the Parallelogram Law:  $||x+y||^2 + ||x-y||^2 = 2(||x||^2 + ||y||^2)$ .
- 6. Let (H, <., .>) be a Hilbert space and let x, y, z be elements of H. Prove that <x+y, z> = <x, z> + <y, z> and <x, y+z> = <x, y> + <x, z>.
- 7. Prove the Baire Category Theorem for complete metric spaces: In a complete metric space, the intersection of countably many dense open subsets is dense.
- 8. Let (X, ||.||) be a normed space. Define a dual space X\*. Prove that X\* is also a normed space with the norm  $||f|| = \sup\{ |f(x)| : x \text{ in } X, ||x|| \le 1 \}$ .
- 9. Prove that a linear operator T on a Hilbert space H is self-adjoint if and only if <Tx, y> = <x, Ty> for all x, y in H.
- 10.Let  $(X, \|.\|)$  be a normed space and let T:  $X \to X$  be a linear operator. Prove the Closed Graph Theorem: If the graph of T is closed in X x X, then T is bounded.

- 11.Define completeness in a metric space. Provide an example of a complete and a non-complete metric space.
- 12. What is the definition of a continuous function between two metric spaces? Provide an example.
- 13.Describe a Banach space. Why is every finite-dimensional normed space a Banach space?
- 14. What are the properties of a normed space? Give an example of a normed space that is not a subset of the real numbers.
- 15.Discuss the properties of finite-dimensional normed spaces and subspaces. Provide examples to illustrate.
- 16.Explain the concept of compactness in a metric space. Provide an example, demonstrating why the given set is compact.
- 17.Discuss the properties of a finite-dimensional linear operator. Provide an example of such an operator.
- 18.Discuss the concept of a dual space. Provide an example.
- 19.Discuss the concept of weak convergence. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 20.Discuss the concept of strong convergence. Provide an example to illustrate.

#### 6/7 marks questions

- 1. Define a metric space. What properties does a function need to be a metric? Provide an example of a metric space that is not a subset of the real numbers.
- 2. Describe the concept of an open set in a metric space. Provide an example and show why it is open.
- 3. What is the definition of a closed set in a metric space? Provide an example and show why it is closed.
- 4. Define a neighborhood of a point in a metric space. Give an example demonstrating this concept.
- 5. Discuss the concept of convergence in a metric space. Give an example of a convergent sequence in a non-Euclidean metric space.
- 6. What is a Cauchy sequence? Provide an example in the space of rational numbers.
- 7. What is a bounded linear operator? Give an example and prove that it is indeed a bounded operator.
- 8. Define the concept of a linear functional. Provide an example of a linear functional on a finite-dimensional space.
- 9. Discuss the properties of normed spaces of operators. Provide an example of such a space.

- 10.Define an inner product space and its properties. Provide an example of an inner product space, demonstrating the properties.
- 11.Discuss the concept of a Hilbert space. Provide an example of a Hilbert space.
- 12. What is an orthonormal set in an inner product space? Give an example and prove that it is indeed orthonormal.
- 13.Define a total orthonormal set in a Hilbert space. Give an example and prove it is indeed a total orthonormal set.
- 14.Discuss the representation of functionals on a Hilbert space. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 15. What is the definition of a self-adjoint operator on a Hilbert space? Give an example.
- 16. What is a unitary operator on a Hilbert space? Give an example.
- 17.Discuss the concept of a normal operator on a Hilbert space. Give an example.
- 18.Discuss the fundamental theorems for normed and Banach spaces. Provide examples to illustrate each.
- 19. Explain Zorn's Lemma. Provide an example of its application.
- 20.Discuss the Hahn-Banach theorem. Provide an example to illustrate its application.
- 21.Describe how to apply the Hahn-Banach theorem to bounded linear functions on C. Provide an example.
- 22.Define the concept of an operator norm and discuss its properties. Give examples to illustrate.
- 23.Discuss the differences between a pre-Hilbert space and a Hilbert space. Provide examples to illustrate.
- 24.Discuss the concept of an adjoint operator. Provide an example and prove that it is indeed the adjoint.
- 25.Explain the Riesz Representation Theorem for Hilbert spaces. Provide an example to illustrate its application.
- 26.Discuss the projection theorem in a Hilbert space. Provide an example to illustrate its application.
- 27.Define a bounded operator and discuss its properties. Provide an example of a bounded operator.
- 28.Explain the concept of a compact operator. Provide an example.
- 29.Define an isometry in a metric space. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 30.Discuss the concept of a dense subset. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 31.Discuss the properties of a separable space. Provide examples of separable and non-separable spaces.
- 32.Define the spectrum of an operator. Discuss its properties.

- 33.Discuss the concept of a resolvent set. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 34.Discuss the properties of a self-adjoint operator. Provide an example.
- 35.Discuss the concept of a reflexive space. Provide an example.
- 36.Define a positive operator and discuss its properties. Provide an example.
- 37.Discuss the concept of a contraction mapping. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 38.Explain the Banach Fixed Point Theorem. Provide an example to illustrate its application.
- 39.Discuss the concept of an equivalent norm. Provide an example to illustrate.
- 40.Explain the Open Mapping Theorem. Provide an example to illustrate its application.