

1. Define each of the following terms.
  - (a) proof by mathematical induction
  - (b) Cauchy sequence of real numbers
  - (c) differentiable function
  - (d) divergent infinite series
  
2. State the following theorems.
  - (a) the Bolzano-Weierstrass theorem
  - (b) Taylor's theorem
  - (c) the Weierstrass M-test
  
3. Give an example of each of the following.
  - (a) a bounded uncountable set
  - (b) a sequence  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  such that  $\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 5$  and  $\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 3$
  - (c) a Riemann integrable function  $f$  and a partition of an interval such that the lower sum of  $f$  for that partition equals 4
  - (d) a power series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n x^n$  whose radius of convergence equals 9
  
4. Prove *one* of the following two theorems.
  - (a) A continuous function on a closed, finite interval  $[a, b]$  is Riemann integrable.
  - (b) The uniform limit of continuous functions is continuous. More precisely, if  $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  is a sequence of continuous functions on a set  $E$  contained in  $\mathbb{R}$ , and if  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on  $E$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $f$  is continuous on  $E$ .

5. Consider the function  $f$  defined on the domain  $\mathbb{R}$  as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{\sin(x)}{x}\right)^2, & \text{if } x \neq 0; \\ 1, & \text{if } x = 0. \end{cases}$$

For each of the following properties, state whether or not this function  $f$  has the property, and explain why.

- (a) continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$
- (b) uniformly continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$
- (c) differentiable on  $\mathbb{R}$
- (d) Riemann integrable on  $\mathbb{R}$   
(in the sense of improper Riemann integrals)

6. Solve *one* of the following two problems.

- (a) Prove that the inequality

$$2 \ln(x) < x - \frac{1}{x}$$

holds when  $x > 1$ . (Here  $\ln(x)$  is the natural logarithm function, which may be defined by  $\ln(x) = \int_1^x t^{-1} dt$ .)

- (b) Consider the sequence  $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$  defined by  $a_1 = 2$ ,  $a_2 = \sqrt{6+2}$ ,  $a_3 = \sqrt{6+\sqrt{6+2}}$ , and in general,  $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{6+a_n}$  when  $n \geq 1$ . Prove that the limit  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$  exists.