

- (b) Prove that every closed subset of a countably compact topological space is countable compact. 7

Unit IV

7. (a) Prove that every second countable space is first countable. 8
 (b) Prove that :
 (i) Every discrete topological space is first countable
 (ii) Every usual topological space on \mathbf{R} , set of reals, is first countable. 7
8. (a) Prove that every T_2 -space is T_1 -space but converse may not be true. 8
 (b) Prove that topological property holds in T_1 -spaces. 7

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Unit I

1. Define the following terms :

Well ordering theorem. I continuum hypothesis, indiscrete and discrete topologies, lower and upper limit topology, left hand and right hand topology, cofinite and co-countable topology, A inclusion and p-exclusion topology, Adherent point, Base and subbase for a topology.

2. (a) Let (X, ρ) be a topological space, then a subfamily β of ρ is a base for ρ iff every s-open set can be expressed as the union of member of β . **8**
- (b) Let (X, ρ) be a topological spaces and A be a subset of X . Then prove that $\bar{A} = A \cup D(A)$, $D(A)$ denotes derived set of A . **7**

Unit II

3. Define continuity and homeomorphism on a topological spaces. If f be a one-one mapping

from a topological space (X, ρ_x) onto a topological space (Y, ρ_y) . Then the following statements are equivalent :

- (i) f is open and continuous
(ii) f is homeomorphism
(iii) f is closed and continuous. **15**

4. (a) Prove that a topological space (X, ρ) is connected iff \emptyset, X are the only sets which are both open as well as closed. **10**
- (b) An open set in a usual topological space is connected set prove or disprove. **5**

Unit III

5. (a) Define compact space. Prove that every finite set in a topological space is compact. **8**
- (b) Prove that usual topological space is not compact. **7**
6. (a) Prove that continuous image of a compact space is compact. **8**