

FOURTH SEMESTER M. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)
MATHEMATICS
FMTH4C15 - ADVANCED FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS

Time: 3 Hours**Maximum Weightage: 30****Part A: Answer *all* questions. Each carries 1 weightage.**

1. Show that the spectrum of a bounded operator on a Banach space X is a closed set.
2. Show that the identity operator on an infinite dimensional Banach space X is not compact.
3. Show that if L is invariant with respect to a symmetric operator A , then so is $L^\perp$.
4. If $A \geq 0$, $B \geq 0$ and $AB = BA$, then prove that $AB \geq 0$.
5. Prove that every ortho projection P satisfies $0 \leq P \leq I$.
6. State Hilbert Theorem on the spectral decomposition of self adjoint bounded operators.
7. State and prove bounded inverse theorem.
8. Prove that an element ' x ' is invertible if and only if x does not belong to any maximal ideal.

(8 × 1 = 8 weightage)**Part B: Answer any *two* questions from each unit. Each carries 2 weightage.****Unit 1**

9. Let X be a Banach space and T be a compact operator on X . If the operator $T - \lambda I$ is onto, where $\lambda \neq 0$, prove that $\ker T_\lambda \neq \{0\}$.
10. Find the spectrum of the right shift operator on l_2 .
11. Let A be an operator on a Hilbert space H . Prove that $\langle Ax, x \rangle \in \mathbb{R}$ for any $x \in H$ if and only if A is symmetric.

Unit 2

12. State and prove Generalized Cauchy Schwartz Inequality.
13. If P_n be a sequence of ortho projections converging strongly to an operator P . Then prove that P is an ortho projection.

(P.T.O.)

14. Explain the construction of the spectral integral of a bounded self adjoint operator in a Hilbert space H .

Unit 3

15. Let X and Y be Banach spaces. Let $A : X \rightarrow Y$ be a closed graph operator and $\text{Dom } A = X$. Show that A is continuous.
16. State and prove Hahn Banach theorem in complex case.
17. If μ is perfectly convex function on a Banach space X such that $\mu(\lambda x) = \lambda \mu(x)$ for any $\lambda \geq 0$, show that μ is a continuous function.

(6 × 2 = 12 weightage)

Part C: Answer any two questions. Each carries 5 weightage.

18. State and prove the first Hilbert Schmidt theorem.
19. (a). If $A_0 \leq A_1 \leq A_2 \dots \leq A_n \leq A$, show that there exists a bounded operator B such that B and $A_n x \rightarrow Bx$ for all $x \in H$.
- (b) If P is a projection and $\text{Im } P \perp \text{Ker } P$ then prove that $P = P^*$.
20. (a). If X and Y are Banach spaces and if $A : X \rightarrow Y$ is a bounded linear operator on to Y , then show that A is an open map.
- (b) Show that every basis of a Banach space is a Schauder basis.
21. (a). Prove that the set of all invertible elements of a Banach Algebra is an open subset of A .
- (b) State and prove Gelfand theorem on maximal ideal.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)