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**Third Semester M.Sc. Degree (Reg.) Examination, October 2018**  
**MATHEMATICS**  
**(2017 Admn. Onwards)**  
**MAT3C11 : Number Theory**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

## PART – A

Answer **any four** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

1. Prove that every number of the form  $2^{a-1}(2^a-1)$  is perfect if  $2^a-1$  is prime.
2. Solve the congruence  $5x \equiv 3 \pmod{24}$ .
3. If  $p$  is an odd prime, prove that  $\sum_{r=1}^{p-1} r(r|p) = 0$ , if  $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ .
4. If  $m \geq 1$ ,  $(a, m) = 1$  and  $f = \exp_m(a)$ , then prove that  $a^k \equiv a^h \pmod{m}$  if and only if  $k \equiv h \pmod{f}$ .
5. Let  $\mathbb{Z}$  be a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module with the obvious action. Find all the submodules.
6. Let  $K = \mathbb{Q}(\zeta)$ , where  $\zeta = e^{2\pi i/p}$  for a rational prime  $p$ . In the ring of integers of  $\mathbb{Z}[\zeta]$ , show that  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}[\zeta]$  is a unit if and only if  $N_K(\alpha) = \pm 1$ . **(4×4=16)**

## PART – B

Answer **any four** questions without omitting any Unit. **Each** question carries **16** marks.

## Unit – I

7. a) State and prove the fundamental theorem of arithmetic.  
b) Define the Euler totient function  $\phi(n)$  and derive a product formula for it.

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8. a) Define the Dirichlet product  $f * g$  of two arithmetic functions. If both  $g$  and  $f * g$  are multiplicative, prove that  $f$  is also multiplicative.
- b) Let  $f$  be multiplicative. Prove that  $f$  is completely multiplicative if and only if  $f^{-1}(n) = \mu(n) f(n)$  for all  $n \geq 1$ .
- c) Prove that  $\varphi^{-1}(n) = \sum_{d|n} d \mu(d)$ .
9. a) State and prove Lagrange's theorem on polynomial congruences.
- b) State the principle of cross classification. Given integers  $r, d$  and  $k$  such that  $d|k, d > 0, k \geq 1$  and  $(r, d) = 1$ . Then prove that the number of elements of the set  $S = \{r + td : t = 1, 2, \dots, k/d\}$  which are relatively prime to  $k$  is  $\varphi(k)/\varphi(d)$ .

### Unit – II

10. a) State and prove the quadratic reciprocity law.
- b) Determine whether 219 is a quadratic residue or non-residue modulo 383.
11. a) Let  $p$  be an odd prime and let  $d$  be any positive divisor of  $p - 1$ . Prove that in every reduced residue system modulo  $p$  there are  $\varphi(d)$  numbers  $a$  such that  $\exp_p(a) = d$ .
- b) If  $\alpha \geq 3$ , prove that there are no primitive roots mod  $2^\alpha$ .
12. a) Encipher the message HAVEANICETRIP using a Vigenere cipher with the keyword MATH.
- b) The ciphertext ALXWU VADCOJO has been enciphered with the cipher  $C_1 \equiv 4P_1 + 11P_2 \pmod{26}, C_2 \equiv 3P_1 + 8P_2 \pmod{26}$ . Derive the plain text.
- c) Find the unique solution of the knapsack problem  $51 = 3x_1 + 5x_2 + 9x_3 + 18x_4 + 37x_5$ .

**Unit – III**

13. a) Let  $G$  be a free abelian group of rank  $n$  with basis  $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ . Suppose  $(a_{ij})$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix with integer entries. Prove that the elements  $y_i = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j$ ,  $(i = 1, \dots, n)$  form a basis of  $G$  if and only if  $(a_{ij})$  is unimodular.
- b) Prove that every subgroup  $H$  of a free abelian group of rank  $n$  is free of rank  $s \leq n$ .
14. a) If  $K$  is a number field then prove that  $K = \mathbb{Q}(\theta)$  for some algebraic number  $\theta$ .
- b) Prove that a complex number  $\theta$  is an algebraic integer if and only if the additive group generated by all powers  $1, \theta, \theta^2, \dots$ , is finitely generated.
15. a) Prove that the ring of integers of the cyclotomic field  $\mathbb{Q}(\zeta)$ , where  $\zeta = e^{2\pi i/p}$ ,  $p$  an odd prime is  $\mathbb{Z}[\zeta]$ .
- b) Prove that the discriminant of  $\mathbb{Q}(\zeta)$ , where  $\zeta = e^{2\pi i/p}$ ,  $p$  an odd prime is  $(-1)^{(p-1)/2} p^{p-2}$ . **(4×16=64)**
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**MATHEMATICS**

**(2017 Admn. Onwards)**

**MAT3C12 : Functional Analysis**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks : 80**

**PART – A**

Answer **four** questions from this Part. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

1. Show that if  $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $l^1$  then  $x_n \rightarrow x$  in  $l^2$ .
2. Give an example of an element in  $L^1(\mathbb{R})$  but not in  $L^2(\mathbb{R})$  and prove your claim.
3. Show that the norms  $\|\cdot\|_1$  and  $\|\cdot\|_2$  on  $K^n$ ,  $n = 1, 2, \dots$  are equivalent.
4. If  $X$  is an infinite dimensional space then prove that it contains a hyperspace which is not closed.
5. Let  $X$  be a normed linear space and  $(x_n)$  be a sequence in  $X$ . Prove or disprove :  $(x_n)$  converges in  $X$  if and only if  $f(x_n)$  converges in  $K$  for every  $f \in X'$ .
6. Give an example of a function on  $K^n \times K^4$  which is linear in the first variable and conjugate symmetric but not an inner product. Also prove your claim.

**PART – B**

Answer **4** questions from this Part without omitting **any** Unit. **Each** question carries **16** marks.

**Unit – I**

7. a) State and prove Jensen's inequality.  
b) State and prove Riesz Lemma.

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8. a) Show that a linear map  $F$  from a normed space  $X$  to a normed space  $Y$  is a homeomorphism if and only if there are  $\alpha, \beta > 0$  such that  $\beta\|x\| \leq \|F(x)\| \leq \alpha\|x\|$  for all  $x \in X$ . In case there is a linear homeomorphism from  $X$  onto  $Y$  then prove that  $X$  is complete if and only if  $Y$  is complete.
- b) Let  $X$  denote a subspace of  $B(T)$  with the sup norm,  $1 \in X$  and  $f$  be a linear functional on  $X$ . If  $f$  is continuous and  $\|f\| = f(1)$ , then prove that  $f$  is positive. Conversely, if  $Rex \in X$  whenever  $x \in X$  and if  $f$  is positive, then prove that  $f$  is continuous and  $\|f\| = f(1)$ .
9. a) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed spaces and  $X \neq \{0\}$ . Then prove that  $BL(X, Y)$  is a Banach space in the operator norm if and only if  $Y$  is a Banach space.
- b) Let  $X$  be a normed space and  $Y$  be a Banach space. Let  $X_0$  be a dense subspace of  $X$  and  $F_0 \in BL(X_0, Y)$ . Then prove that there is a unique  $F \in BL(X, Y)$  such that  $F|_{X_0} = F_0$  and  $\|F\| = \|F_0\|$ .

### Unit – II

10. a) Let  $X$  be a normed space and  $E$  be a subset of  $X$ . Then prove that  $E$  is bounded in  $X$  if and only if  $f(E)$  is bounded in  $K$  for every  $f \in X'$ .
- b) Define closed map. If a closed map  $F$  is bijective then prove that its inverse  $F^{-1}$  is also a closed map.
11. a) State and prove closed graph theorem.
- b) Define open map and give an example.
12. a) Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be normed spaces and  $F : X \rightarrow Y$  be linear. Then prove that  $F$  is an open map if and only if there exists some  $\gamma > 0$  such that for every  $y \in Y$ , there is some  $x \in X$  with  $F(x) = y$  and  $\|x\| \leq \gamma\|y\|$ .
- b) Show that the open mapping theorem may not hold if the range of the linear map is not a Banach space.

### Unit – III

13. a) State and prove parallelogram law.
- b) Let  $u_\alpha$  be an orthonormal set in a Hilbert space  $H$ . Then prove that the following conditions are equivalent.
- $\{u_\alpha\}$  is an orthonormal basis for  $H$ .
  - For every  $x \in H$ , we have  $x = \sum_n \langle x, u_n \rangle u_n$ , where  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots\} = \{u_\alpha : \langle x, u_\alpha \rangle u_\alpha\}$ , where  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots\} = \{u_\alpha : \langle x, u_\alpha \rangle \neq 0\}$ .



- iii) For every  $x \in H$ , we have  $\|x\|^2 = \sum_n |\langle x, u_n \rangle|^2$ , where  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots\} = \{u_\alpha : \langle x, u_\alpha \rangle \neq 0\}$ .
  - iv)  $\text{Span } \{u_\alpha\}$  is dense in  $H$ .
  - v) If  $x \in H$  and  $\langle x, u_\alpha \rangle = 0$  for all  $\alpha$ , then  $x = 0$ .
14. a) Let  $X$  be an inner product space and  $f \in X'$ . Let  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots\}$  be an orthogonal set in  $X$ . Then prove that  $\sum_n |f(u_n)|^2 \leq \|f\|^2$ .
- b) Prove that the projection theorem does not hold for an incomplete inner product space.
15. a) Let  $(x_n)$  be a bounded sequence in a Hilbert space  $H$  then prove that it has a weak convergent subsequence.
- b) Let  $H$  be a Hilbert space over  $K$ . If  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are closed subspaces of  $H$ , then prove that  $(F_1 + F_2)^\perp$  equals the closure of  $F_1^\perp + F_2^\perp$ .
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**MATHEMATICS**

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**MAT3C13 : Complex Function Theory**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks : 80**

**PART – A**

**Answer any four questions. Each question carries 4 marks.**

1. Prove that an elliptic function without poles is a constant.
2. Define the Weierstrass sigma function  $\sigma(z)$  and show that it is an odd function.
3. Find a meromorphic function in the plane with a pole at every integer.
4. Suppose that  $f(z)$  is analytic in a region  $G$  which is symmetric with respect to the real axis and  $f(x)$  is real for all  $x$  in  $G \cap \mathbb{R}$ . Prove that  $f(z) = \overline{f(\bar{z})}$  for all  $z$  in  $G$ .
5. If  $u$  is harmonic, show that  $f = u_x - iu_y$  is analytic.
6. Prove or disprove : every harmonic function is subharmonic. **(4×4=16)**

**PART – B**

**Answer any four questions without omitting any unit. Each question carries 16 marks.**

**Unit – I**

7. a) Prove that a discrete module consists either of zero alone, of the integral multiples  $nw$  of a single complex number  $w \neq 0$ , or of all linear combinations  $n_1w_1 + n_2w_2$  with integral coefficients of two numbers  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  with nonreal ratio  $w_2/w_1$ .  
b) Prove that any two bases of the same period module are connected by a unimodular transformation.

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8. a) Describe the construction of the Weierstrass P-function.

b) Prove that addition theorem for the P-function :

$$P(z + u) = -P(z) - P(u) + \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{P'(z) - P'(u)}{P(z) - P(u)} \right)^2$$

9. a) Define the Riemann zeta function  $\zeta(z)$ . Prove that for  $\text{Re } z > 1$ ,  $\zeta(z)$

$$\Gamma(z) = \int_0^{\infty} (e^t - 1)^{-1} t^{z-1} dt.$$

b) Derive Riemann's functional equation  $\zeta(z) = 2(2\pi)^{z-1} \Gamma(1-z) \zeta(1-z)$

$$\sin \left( \frac{1}{2} \pi z \right) \text{ for } -1 < \text{Re } z < 0.$$

## Unit - II

10. a) Let  $K$  be a compact subset of the region  $G$ . Prove that there are straight line segments  $r_1, \dots, r_n$  in  $G - K$  such that for every function  $f$  in  $H(G)$ ,

$$f(z) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{r_k} \frac{f(w)}{w-z} dw \text{ for all } z \text{ in } K \text{ and the line segments form a finite}$$

number of closed polygons.

b) Let  $G$  be an open connected subset of  $\mathbb{C}$ . If  $n(r, a) = 0$  for every closed rectifiable curve  $r$  in  $G$  and every point  $a$  in  $\mathbb{C} - G$ , then prove that  $\mathbb{C}_{\infty} - G$  is connected.

11. a) State and prove Mittag-Leffler's theorem.

b) Define analytic continuation along a path.

12. a) State and prove Schwarz reflection principle.

b) With usual assumptions, what is the meaning of saying that a function element  $(f, D)$  admits unrestricted analytic continuation in  $G$  ?

c) State monodromy theorem.





**Unit – III**

13. a) State and prove the mean value theorem for harmonic functions.
- b) Let  $D = \{z : |z| < 1\}$  and suppose that  $f : \partial D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a continuous function. Prove that there is a unique continuous function  $u : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that :
- i)  $u(z) = f(z)$  for all  $z$  in  $\partial D$  and
  - ii)  $u(z)$  is harmonic in  $D$ .
14. a) If  $u : G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a continuous function which has the mean value property, prove that  $u$  is harmonic.
- b) State and prove Harnack's theorem.
15. a) Let  $G$  be a region and  $f : \partial_\infty G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  a continuous function. Prove that  $u(z) = \sup \{\phi(z) : \phi \in P(f, G)\}$  defines  $G$  harmonic function  $u$  on  $G$ .
- b) Derive Jensen's formula. (4×16=64)
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**MATHEMATICS**  
**(2017 Admn. Onwards)**  
**MAT3C14 : Advanced Real Analysis**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

## PART – A

Answer **four** questions from this part. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

1. Give an example of a sequence of functions which converges pointwise but not uniformly.
2. If  $\{f_n\}$  and  $\{g_n\}$  converge uniformly on a set  $E$ , prove that  $\{f_n + g_n\}$  converges uniformly on  $E$ .
3. Consider  $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+n^2x}$ . On what intervals does it fail to converge uniformly ?
4. Show that  $e^x$  defined on  $\mathbb{R}^1$  satisfy the relation  $(e^x)' = e^x$ .
5. Define orthogonal system of functions and give an example.

6. Prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} = 1$ .

(4x4=16)

## PART – B

Answer **4** questions from this part without omitting **any** Unit. **Each** question carries **16** marks.

## Unit – I

7. a) If  $\{f_n\}$  is a sequence of continuous function on  $E$ , and if  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly on  $E$ , then show that  $f$  is continuous on  $E$ .
- b) If  $f_n \in \mathcal{R}(\alpha)$  on  $[a, b]$  and if  $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n(x)$  ( $a \leq x \leq b$ ), the series converging uniformly on  $[a, b]$ , then prove that  $\int_a^b f d\alpha = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_a^b f_n d\alpha$ .

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8. a) Even if  $\{f_n\}$  is a uniformly bounded sequence of continuous functions on a compact set  $E$ , prove that there need not exist a subsequence which converges pointwise on  $E$ .
- b) If  $\{f_n\}$  is a pointwise bounded sequence of complex functions on a countable set  $E$ , then prove that  $\{f_n\}$  has a subsequence  $\{f_{n_k}\}$  such that  $\{f_{n_k}(x)\}$  converges for every  $x \in E$ .
9. State and prove Stone Weierstrass theorem.

### Unit – II

10. a) Suppose  $\sum c_n$  converges. Put  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$  ( $-1 < x < 1$ ). Then prove that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1} f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n$ .
- b) Define analytic functions and give an example.
11. a) Suppose the series  $\sum a_n x^n$  and  $\sum b_n x^n$  converge in the segment  $S = (-R, R)$ . Let  $E$  be the set of all  $x \in S$  at which  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$ . If  $E$  has a limit point in  $S$ , then prove that  $a_n = b_n$  for  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ . Hence  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n$  for all  $x \in S$ .
- b) Let  $\{\phi_n\}$  be orthonormal on  $[a, b]$ . Let  $s_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n c_m \phi_m(x)$  be the  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sum of the Fourier series of  $f$ , and suppose  $t_n(x) = \sum_{m=1}^n \gamma_m \phi_m(x)$ . Then prove that  $\int_a^b |f - s_n|^2 dx \leq \int_a^b |f - t_n|^2 dx$ , and equality holds if and only if  $\gamma_m = c_m$  ( $m = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ).
12. a) If, for some  $x$ , there are constants  $\delta > 0$  and  $M < \infty$  such that  $|f(x+t) - f(x)| \leq M|t|$  for all  $t \in (-\delta, \delta)$ , then prove that  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N(f; x) = f(x)$ .
- b) If  $f(x) = 0$  for all  $x$  in some segment  $J$ , then prove that  $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N(f; x) = 0$  for every  $x \in J$ .
- c) If  $f$  is continuous (with period  $2\pi$ ) and if  $\epsilon > 0$ , then prove there is a trigonometric polynomial  $P$  such that  $|P(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$  for all real  $x$ .



**Unit – III**

13. a) Define the dimension of a vector space and give an example.  
b) Define basis of a vector space.  
c) Let  $r$  be a positive integer. If a vector space  $X$  is spanned by a set of  $r$  vectors, then prove that  $\dim X \leq r$ .
14. a) Suppose  $E$  is an open set in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $f$  maps  $E$  into  $\mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $f$  is differentiable at  $x_0 \in E$ ,  $g$  maps an open set containing  $f(E)$  into  $\mathbb{R}^k$ , and  $g$  is differentiable at  $f(x_0)$ . Then prove that the mapping  $F$  of  $E$  into  $\mathbb{R}^k$  defined by  $F(x) = g(f(x))$  is differentiable at  $x_0$  and  $F'(x_0) = g'(f(x_0))f'(x_0)$ .  
b) Suppose  $f$  maps a convex open set  $E \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  into  $\mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $f$  is differentiable in  $E$ , and there is a real number  $M$  such that  $\|f'(x)\| \leq M$  for every  $x \in E$ . Then prove that  $|f(b) - f(a)| \leq M|b - a|$  for all  $a \in E, b \in E$ .
15. State and prove implicit function theorem. (4×16=64)
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**III Semester M.Sc. Degree (Reg.) Examination, October 2018**  
**MATHEMATICS**  
**(2017 Admn. Onwards)**  
**MAT3E01 : Graph Theory**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**Instructions :** 1) Answer **any four** questions from Part – A. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

2) Answer **any 4** questions without omitting **any** Unit from Part – B. **Each** question carries **16** marks.

**PART – A**

I. Answer **any 4** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

- 1) Define a  $(k, l)$  Ramsey graph and give one example.
- 2) In a critical graph, prove that no vertex cut is a clique.
- 3) For a bipartite graph  $G$ , show that  $\chi'(G) = \Delta$ .
- 4) If  $G$  is a planar graph then prove that every subgraph of  $G$  is planar.
- 5) Let  $l$  be a flexible vertex labelling of  $G$ . If  $G_l$  contains a perfect matching  $M^*$ , then prove that  $M^*$  is an optimal matching of  $G$ .
- 6) Let  $u$  and  $v$  be two distinct vertices of a graph  $G$ . Then prove that a set  $S$  of vertices of  $G$  is  $u - v$  separating if and only if every  $u - v$  path has at least one internal vertex belonging to  $S$ .

**PART – B**

Answer **any 4** questions without omitting any unit. **Each** question carries **16** marks.

**Unit – I**

- II. a) Define the independence number and covering number of a graph and prove that the sum of the independence number and covering number is the number of vertices. 8
- b) Define the Ramsey number  $r(k, l)$  and show that  $r(k, k) \geq 2^{k/2}$ . 8

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- III. a) If a simple graph  $G$  contain no  $K_{m+1}$ , then prove that  $G$  is degree majorised by same complete  $m$ -partite graph  $H$ . Also show that if  $G$  has the same degree sequence as  $H$  then  $G \geq H$ . 8
- b) Define the chromatic number  $\chi(G)$  of a graph  $G$ . Give example of a critical graph and a graph which is not critical. Also for a graph  $G$ , show that  $\chi \leq \Delta + 1$ . Give an example of a graph where  $\chi = \Delta + 1$ . 8
- IV. a) For any positive integer  $k$ , prove that there exist a  $k$ -chromatic graph containing no triangles. 8
- b) If  $G$  is 4-chromatic, then prove that  $G$  contain a subdivision of  $K_4$ . 8

### Unit – II

- V. a) If  $G$  is bipartite show that  $\chi' = \Delta$ . 5
- b) Let  $G$  be a connected graph that is not an odd cycle, then prove that  $G$  has a 2-edge colouring in which both colours are represented at each vertex of degree at least two. 6
- c) What is a time tabling problem and explain how one can solve the time tabling problem using edge colouring ? 5
- VI. a) Define a dual graph of a graph  $G$  and prove or disprove – "Dual of isomorphic plane graph are isomorphic". 6
- b) If  $G$  is a connected plane graph, then prove that  $V - \Sigma + \phi = 2$ , further deduce that  $K_5$  is non planar. 10
- VII. State and prove Kuratowski's theorem. 16

### Unit – III

- VIII. a) In a bipartite graph, prove that the number of edges in a maximum matching is equal to the number of vertices in a maximum covering. 10
- b) If  $G$  is a  $k$ -regular bipartite graph with  $k > 0$  then prove that  $G$  has a perfect matching. 6
- IX. a) Prove that every 3-regular graph without cut edge has a perfect matching. 6
- b) Explain in detail the Hungarian method to find an  $M$ -augmenting path in a graph and draw its flow-chart. 10
- X. a) Let  $f$  be a flow on a network  $N = (V, A)$  and let  $f$  have value  $d$ . If  $A(X, \bar{X})$  is a cut in  $N$  then prove that  $d = f(X, \bar{X}) - f(\bar{X}, X)$ . Also prove that  $d \leq C(X, \bar{X})$ . 8
- b) State and prove Mengers theorem. 8