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B. Sc. (Sem. V) Examination

November / December - 2014

Mathematics : Paper - CC - MATH - 501

(Group Theory)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) All questions are compulsory.
(2) Figures to the right indicate the marks of the corresponding question.

- 1 (a) Define a group G , Show that the identity and inverse of a group is unique. 8

OR

- (a) State and prove Lagrange's theorem. 8
(b) Attempt any **two** : 12
(i) Show that the group of order 5 is always abelian.

- (ii) Show that the set $G = \left\{ \left(\begin{array}{cc} a & b \\ -b & a \end{array} \right) / a^2 + b^2 \right\}$

of 2×2 matrices is an abelian group under matrix multiplication.

- (iii) If G is a group, $a^5 = e$, $aba^{-1} = b^2$ for $a, b \in G$ then $o(b)$.

- 2 (a) Define a normal subgroup. Prove that a subgroup H of a group G is normal iff $Ha.Hb = Hab, \forall a, b \in G.$ 8

- (b) If $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 6 & 10 & 4 & 9 & 8 & 5 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \in S_{10}$ 6

then express: (1) f as a product of a disjoint cycles (2) f as a product of transposition (3) find $o(f^{-1})$.

- (c) Show that the group $(G = \{0, 1, 2, 3\} +_4)$ is 6
isomorphic to the group $(\bar{G} = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \times_5))$.

OR

- 2 (a) Prove that any two disjoint cycles in S_n are commutative. 8

- (b) Define congruence modulo relation. Solve the congruence $95x \equiv 165 \pmod{15}$. 6

- (c) If (R^+, \times) and $(R, +)$ be two groups then 6
show that mapping $f: R^+ \rightarrow R$ defined by $f(x) = \log x, x \in R^+$ is an isomorphism.

- 3 (a) State and prove Fundamental Theorem of Homomorphism. 8

OR

- (a) State and prove Cayley's Theorem. 8

- (b) Attempt any two : 12

- (1) If $\phi: (G, *) \rightarrow (G', \circ)$ is a homomorphism

then prove that ϕ is one-one iff $K_\phi = \{e\}$.

- (2) Find all the subgroups of $G = \langle a \rangle$ cyclic group of order 12. Also find order of each element of G and find other generators of G .
- (3) Show that two cyclic groups of same order are isomorphic.

4 Attempt any **two** :

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- (a) If a is an element of order n and p is a prime to n then a^p is also of order n .
- (b) Determine which of the following mapping is homomorphism and if so obtain its kernel
- (i) $G_1 = (z, +)$; $G_2 = (R, +)$ and $\phi: G_1 \rightarrow G_2$,
with $\phi(x) = x, \forall x \in G_1$.
- (ii) $G_1 = (R, +)$; $G_2 = (R - \{0\}, \times)$ and $\phi: G_1 \rightarrow G_2$
with $\phi(x) = 2^x, \forall x \in G_1$.
- (c) Let $(G = \{1, 2, 3, 4\} \times 5)$ is a group and sub group $H = \{1, 4\}$ then find the distinct right cosets of H in G .
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