

Faculty of Science

B.Sc (Mathematics) II-Year, CBCS –IV Semester Examinations, May/June 2019

PAPER: ALGEBRA

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 80

Section-A

I. Answer any FIVE of the following questions. (5x4=20 Marks)

1. Find the inverse of the element $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ in $GL(2, Z_{11})$ with respect to matrix multiplication.
2. Write the permutation $(12)(13)(23)(142)$ as product of disjoint cycles.
3. Show that if a group G has a unique subgroup H of some finite order, then H is normal in G .
4. If $\phi: G \rightarrow \bar{G}$ is a group homomorphism, then show that $\text{Ker } \phi$ is a normal subgroup of G .
5. Find all elements of $\frac{Z(i)}{\langle 2-i \rangle}$
6. Prove that the only ideals of a field F are $\{0\}$ and F itself.
7. Determine all ring homomorphisms from $Z_{20} \rightarrow Z_{30}$.
8. If $f(x) = 4x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 3, g(x) = 3x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x^2 + x + 4$ are polynomials over the ring $Z_5[x]$ then find $f(x).g(x)$.

Section-B

II. Answer the following questions. (4x15=60 Marks)

9. (a) (i) If H is a nonempty finite subset of a group G and closed under the operation of G , then show that H is subgroup of G .
(ii) Show that the center $Z(G)$ of a group G is a subgroup of G .
(OR)
(b) State and prove the fundamental theorem of cyclic groups.
10. (a) (i) Show that the set $\text{Aut}(G)$ of all automorphisms of a group G is a group under the operation of function composition.
(ii) If \mathbb{R}^* is multiplicative group of non zero real numbers, then show that the determinant mapping $A \rightarrow \det A$ from $GL(2, \mathbb{R})$ to \mathbb{R}^* is a group homomorphism with Kernel $SL(2, \mathbb{R})$.

(OR)

(b) (i) If H is a subgroup of G and a, b belong to G then Show that $aH = bH$ if and only if $a^{-1}b \in H$

(ii) Show that the intersection of two normal subgroups of a group G is a normal subgroup of G .

11.(a) (i) Show that every finite integral domain is a field.

(ii) Show that the ring $Z[\sqrt{2}] = \{a + b\sqrt{2} / a, b \in Z\}$ is an integral domain.

(OR)

(b) If $R[x]$ denote the ring of polynomials with real coefficients and $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle$ denote the principal ideal generated by $x^2 + 1$, then show that $\frac{R[x]}{\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle}$ is a field.

12.(a) Let ϕ be a ring homomorphism from R to S then show that the mapping from $R/\text{Ker } \phi$ to $\phi(R)$ given by $r + \text{Ker } \phi \rightarrow \phi(r)$ is an isomorphism.

(OR)

(b)(i) If R is a ring with unity 1 , then show that the mapping $\phi: Z \rightarrow R$ given by $n \rightarrow n \cdot 1$ is a ring homomorphism.

(ii) If n is an integer with decimal representation $a_k a_{k-1} \dots a_1 a_0$. Prove that n is divisible by 11 if and only if $a_0 - a_1 + a_2 - \dots + (-1)^k a_k$ is divisible by 11.
