

B. SC. SEM --V EXAMINATION OCT/NOV 2015

MATHEMATICS

PAPER NO. M-501

ABSTRACT ALGEBRA

4312

TIME : 2 :30 HOURS

TOTAL MARKS:70

INSTRUCTIONS: (1) All questions are compulsory.

(2) Each question carries equal marks.

- Que 1. (a) $G = \mathbb{Q} - \{0\}$ $a, b \in G$, $a * b = ab/4$ prove that $(G, *)$ is commutative group. Also solve equation $2 * 3^{-1} * x = 5$ in G . (8)
- (b) In usual notation prove that $O(a) = O(a^{-1})$ (6)
OR
- Que 1. (a) $(G, *)$ is a group. For $a, b \in G$, $a * x = b$ and $y * a = b$ has unique solution. (7)
- (b) $G = \mathbb{R} - \{1\}$ $a, b \in G$, $a * b = a + b - ab$ prove that $(G, *)$ is commutative group. Also solve equation $5 * 2^{-1} * x = 2015$ in G . (7)
- Que 2. (a) State and prove Lagrange's theorem. (7)
- (b) Prove that the set $G = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ is finite abelian group of order 6 with respect to multiplication modulo 7. (7)
- OR
- Que 2. (a) prove that H is subgroup of group G iff $ab^{-1} \in H$ for all $a, b \in H$. (7)
- (b) The order of the elements ' a ' and $x^{-1}ax$ are the same where a, x are any two elements of group. (7)
- Que 3. (a) If G is group and $a \in G$, $H = \{x \in G / ax = xa\}$ then $H \leq G$. (7)
- (b) Define cyclic group. Prove that $(\mathbb{Z}_6, +_6)$ is cyclic group. (7)
- OR
- Que 3. (a) If $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 7 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$; $g = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 3 & 1 & 4 & 7 & 6 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$; then find $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$. (7)
- Also check $(f \circ g)^{-1} = (g \circ f)^{-1}$ Or not?
- (b) Obtain Alternative subgroup A_3 of group S_3 . (7)
- Que 4. (a) $\phi: G \rightarrow G'$ is homomorphism, ϕ is one-one if and only if kernel $\phi = \{e\}$ (7)
- (b) $G = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$ and $G' = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ prove that (G, \cdot) and $(G', +_4)$ are isomorphic groups. (7)
- OR
- Que 4. (a) If H is normal sub group of group G and N is normal sub group of G then $H \cap N$ is normal sub group of G . (7)
- (b) Let G be a group and $X \in G$ be any element, $f: G \rightarrow G, f(x) = axa^{-1}$ for $X \in G$ Then prove that f is isomorphism. (7)
- Que 5. (a) State and prove fundamental theorem of homomorphism. (7)
- (b) Isomorphism between two groups is an equivalence relation. (7)
- OR
- Que 5. (a) $\phi: G \rightarrow G'$ is homomorphism prove that $\phi(e) = e'$ and $\phi(a^{-1}) = [\phi(a)]^{-1}$ for $a \in G$. (7)
- (b) Prove that factor group of cyclic group is cyclic. (7)