

M.Sc (maths) Sem-II 07/01/2025

[Time: 3 Hours]

[ Marks: 80]

Please check whether you have got the right question paper.

- N.B:
1. All questions are compulsory.
  2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
  3. Scientific calculator can be used.

- Q.1**
- a) State and prove first isomorphism theorem for groups. 10
- b) Attempt **any Two** of the following: 10
- i) Prove that  $\mathbb{Z}_m \times \mathbb{Z}_n$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Z}_{mn}$  if and only if  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$ . 5
- ii) Let  $G$  be a group. When can we say  $H$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . Further prove that set of all left cosets is a group. 5
- iii) Let  $G_1, G_2$  be two groups. Let  $f: G_1 \rightarrow G_2$  be an onto homomorphism. Prove 5
- that (I) If  $G_1$  is abelian then  $G_2$  is abelian
- (II) If  $G_1$  is cyclic then  $G_2$  is cyclic.
- Q.2**
- a) Define a group action. Further check that a map  $(g, s) \rightarrow gsg^{-1}$ , is it a group  $G$  acting on itself? 10
- b) Attempt **any Two** of the following: 10
- i) State the class equation. Hence prove that  $p$  -group has a nontrivial center. 5
- ii) Prove that every group of order 15 is cyclic. 5
- iii) State second Sylow theorem. Hence prove that unique  $p$  -sylow subgroups are always normal. 5
- Q.3**
- a) Prove that  $R/A$  is integral domain if and only if  $A$  is prime ideal of  $R$ . 10
- b) Attempt **any Two** of the following: 10
- i) Prove that characteristic of a field is either 0 or prime. 5
- ii) Prove that ideal  $\langle x \rangle$  is prime ideal but not maximal ideal in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$ . 5
- iii) Define prime ideal of a ring  $R$ . Hence prove that  $2\mathbb{Z}$  is prime ideal in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$ . 5

- Q.4**
- a) If  $F$  is field, then prove that  $F[x]$  is principal ideal domain. 10
  - b) Attempt any Two of the following: 10
    - i) Define irreducible element in a ring. Check whether  $1 + \sqrt{-3}$  is irreducible in  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-3}]$ . 5
    - ii) Prove that  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  is not a PID. 5
    - iii) Check the irreducibility of a polynomial  $f(x) = 21x^3 - 7x^2 + 4x + 1$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . 5
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