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**Semester: 2**  
**Subject Code: 11206153**  
**Subject Name: Advanced Abstract Algebra**

**Date: 11/05/2018**  
**Time: 10:30AM TO 01:00PM**  
**Total Marks: 60**

**Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

**Q.1. A) Answer the following questions (08)**

- (a) If  $f$  is onto homomorphism from  $G$  to  $G'$  then prove that  $\frac{G}{\text{Ker } f} \cong G'$
- (b) Prove that in usual notation,  $o(G) = o(Z(G)) + \sum_{a \notin Z(G)} \frac{o(G)}{o(N(a))}$

**Q.1. B) Answer the following questions (Any two) (04)**

- (a) Answer the following questions (04)
1. Prove that  $Z(G)$  is a normal subgroup of group  $G$ .
  2. Check whether  $Z_2 \times Z_3$  is cyclic or not?
- (b) Show that the number of generators of an infinite cyclic group is two (04)
- (c) Prove that the order of each subgroup of any finite group divides the order of a group. (04)

**Q.2. A) Answer the following questions.**

- (a) Prove that a group homomorphism  $\varphi: G \rightarrow G'$  is a one one map if and only if  $\text{Ker}(\varphi) = \{e\}$  (04)
- (b) Show that  $G = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  is an abelian group under the operation  $+_5$ . (04)

**Q.2. B) Answer the following questions (Any two) (03)**

- (a) Short note/ Multiple choice questions. (Each of 01 marks) (03)
1.  $HK$  is a sub-group of  $G$  if and only if
    - (a)  $HK = KH$  (b)  $HK \subset KH$  (c)  $HK \supset KH$  (d)  $HK \neq KH$
  2. Let  $G$  be a group of order 15 then the number of 3 sylow subgroups of  $G$  is
    - (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 3 (d) 5
  3. A field is
    - (a) vector space (b) integral domain (c) division ring (d) commutative division ring
- (b) Let  $R^2 = R \times R = \{(a, b); a \in R, b \in R\}$ .  $T: R^2 \rightarrow R^2$  such that  $T_{(a,b)}(x, y) = (x + a, y + b)$ . Let  $G = \{T_{(a,b)}; a, b \in R\}$  is an abelian group. (03)
- (c) Prove that every group of prime order is cyclic. (03)

**Q.3. A) Answer the following questions (08)**

- (a) Prove that finite integral domain is a field
- (b) Show that set  $M$  of all matrices of the type  $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  with  $a$  and  $b$  as integers forms a left ideal of the ring  $R$  of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices with elements as integers. But it does not form a right ideal.

**Q.3. B) Answer the following questions (Any two) (04)**

- (a) Answer the following questions (Each of 02 marks) (04)
1. Let  $a$  and  $b$  be arbitrary elements of a ring  $R$  whose characteristic is 2 and  $ab = ba$ . Then show that  $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + b^2$
  2. If  $U$  is an ideal of the ring  $R$  and  $1 \in U$ , Prove that  $U = R$ .
- (b) State and Prove Sylow's first theorem. (04)
- (c) Prove that the necessary and sufficient conditions for a non empty subset  $S$  to be subring of a ring  $< R, +, \cdot >$  are (i)  $a, b \in S \Rightarrow a - b \in S$  and (ii)  $a, b \in S \Rightarrow ab \in S$  (04)

**Q.4. A) Answer the following questions.**

- (a) Answer the following questions (Each of 02 marks) (04)
1. Prove that if  $a, b \in R$  then prove that  $(a + b)^2 = a^2 + ba + ab + b^2$ , where by  $x^2$  we mean

$xx$  and  $R$  is a ring.

2. Prove that the only idempotent elements of an integral domain are 0 and 1.

- (b) Let  $*$  and  $\Delta$  be two binary compositions defined in the set  $I$  of all integers given as (04)  
 $a * b = a + b - 1$  and  $a\Delta b = a + b - ab, \forall a, b \in I$ . Show that  $\langle I, *, \Delta \rangle$  is a commutative ring with unity

**Q.4. B) Answer the following questions (Any two)**

- (a) Define following terms (Each of 01 marks) (03)  
1. Factors of a Subnormal Series  
2. Length of Subnormal Series  
3. Refinement of Subnormal Series
- (b) Show that the set  $Q$  of rational number is not an ideal of the ring of real numbers  $\langle R, +, . \rangle$  (03)
- (c) Prove that intersection of two ideals is again an ideal (03)