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Abstract Algebra - I

[Time: 1:53 Hours]

[Max.Marks:50]

- N.B Please check whether you have got the right question paper.
- i) All questions are compulsory.
 ii) Figures to the right indicate full mark.
- Q.1 A) Attempt any one of the following:
- a) Define subgroup of group G. If H is a subset of G such that $a \cdot \bar{b}^1 \in H$ for all $a, b, \in H$ then prove that H is a subgroup of G. 8
- b) If ϕ is homomorphism of G into \bar{G} with kernel K_ϕ then prove that ϕ is an isomorphism if and only if $K_\phi = \{e\}$, where e is the identity in G. 8
- B) Attempt any one of the following:
- c) If G in a group and $a \in G$ then show that $\{N(a) = \{x \mid xa = ax\}\}$ is a subgroup of G. 7
- d) Is intersection of two normal subgroups of a group G again a normal subgroup? Justify your answer. 7
- Q.2 A) Attempt any one of the following:
- a) If the number of elements in the integral domain D are finite, then prove that D is a field. 8
- b) If $f(x), g(x) \in F[x]$ such that $p(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x) \neq 0$ and $\deg(f(x)) = m, \deg(g(x)) = n$ then prove that $\deg(p(x)) = m + n$. 8
- B) Attempt any one of the following:
- c) If R is the ring of all the real valued, continuous functions on the closed unit interval then show that $M = \{f(x) \in R \mid f(\frac{1}{3}) = 0\}$ is a maximal ideal of R. 7
- d) If U is an ideal of ring R then show the $r(U) = \{x \in R \mid xu = 0 \text{ for all } u \in U\}$ is also an ideal of R. 7
- Q.3 A) Attempt any one of the following:
- a) If G is a group such that $(a \cdot b)^2 = a^2 \cdot b^2$ for all $a, b, \in G$ then show that G in an abelian group. 5
- b) In R is a ring, define $\phi: R \rightarrow R$ by $\phi(x) = x$ then find kernel of ϕ and hence show that ϕ in an isomorphism. 5
- B) Attempt any one of the following:
- c) Prove that any field has improper ideals. 5

- d) If G is the group of all real numbers under addition and H is the set of all integers then show H is a subgroup of G .

Q.4 Choose the correct alternative and rewrite the sentence:

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- 1) Which of the following is not a field

- (a) Z_5
- (b) Z_{13}
- (c) Z_{21}
- (d) Z_{23}

- 2) If $*$ is the binary operation defined on $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ by $(a, b) * (c, d) = (ad + bc, bd)$ and $*$ satisfies associative law then $(1, 2) * (3, 5) * (3, 4) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

- (a) (74, 40)
- (b) (32, 40)
- (c) (23, 11)
- (d) (7, 11)

- 3) The characteristic of an integral domain is either zero or

- (a) One
- (b) Any real number
- (c) Prime number
- (d) Composite number

- 4) The set of all cube roots of unity under multiplication of complex numbers in

- (a) Not a group
- (b) Infinite group
- (c) Finite abelian group
- (d) Infinite abelian group

- 5) If R is a ring with unit element 1 and U is an ideal of R then the unit element in quotient ring R/U is unit element in quotient ring R/U is

- (a) U
- (b) $U + R$
- (c) 1
- (d) $1 + U$