

**M.Sc. 2nd Semester Examination, 2010**

**APPLIED MATHEMATICS WITH OCEANOLOGY  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAMMING**

**PAPER—MA-1203**

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks*

**GROUP—A**

*(Abstract Algebra)*

*[Marks : 25]*

**1. Answer any two questions :**

**2 × 2**

**(a) Define external direct product of the groups**

$G_1, G_2, \dots, G_n.$

**(b) State Cauchy's theorem for finite groups.**

*( Turn Over )*

- (c) If a group  $G$  has only one  $p$ -Sylow group  $H$ , then  $H$  is normal subgroup in  $G$ .

2. Answer any *two* questions :

8 × 2

- (a) (i) Define Conjugacy relation in a group  $G$ . Prove that two elements  $x, y$  of a group  $G$  give rise to the same conjugate of an element  $a \in G$  if and only if they belong to the same right coset of the normalizer of  $a$  in  $G$ .

- (ii) Define ideal of a ring  $R$ . Prove that a commutative ring with unity is without proper ideal, if it is a field. 4 + 4

- (b) (i) Define Euclidean domain. Let  $D$  be a Euclidean domain. Then prove that any two elements  $a$  and  $b$  in  $D$  have greatest common divisor  $d$  which can be expressed in the form  $d = \lambda a + \mu b$  for  $\lambda, \mu \in D$ .

- (ii) Define automorphism of a group  $G$ . Prove that the set of all automorphisms of a group  $G$  themselves forms a group. 4 + 4

(c) (i) Define solvable group with examples.

(ii) Let  $R$  be a commutative ring with unity and  $H$  be an ideal of  $R$ . Prove that  $R/H$  is a field if and only if  $H$  is maximal. 3 + 5

[Internal Assessment : 5 Marks]

GROUP – B

(Linear Algebra)

[Marks : 25]

Answer Q. No. 4 and any two questions from the rest

4. Answer any two questions : 2 × 2

(a) Define the following :

Null space and Range of a linear mapping.

(b) What do you mean by annihilate? Define monic polynomial.

(c) Define Poset with an example.

5. (a) State and prove dimension theorem associated with linear transformation.
- (b) Define median inequality for any lattice  $L$  and then prove it.
- (c) Find the minimal polynomial of the following real matrix :

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b \end{bmatrix}$$

4 + 2 + 2

6. (a) Let  $p(t)$  be a minimal polynomial of a linear operator  $T$  on a finite dimensional vector space.
- (i) For any polynomial  $g(t)$ , if  $g(T) = T_0$ , then prove that  $p(t)$  divides  $g(t)$  and in particular,  $p(t)$  divides the characteristic polynomial of  $T$ .

(ii) Also prove that the minimal polynomial of  $T$  is unique.

(b) Let  $T : P_3[0, 1] \rightarrow P_2[0, 1]$  be defined by  $(Tp)(x) = p''(x) + p'(x)$ . Then find the matrix represented by  $T$  with respect to the bases  $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$  and  $\{1, x, x^2\}$  of  $P_3[0, 1]$  and  $P_2[0, 1]$  respectively.

(c) Suppose that  $T : R^2 \rightarrow R^2$  is linear,  $T(1, 0) = (1, 4)$  and  $T(1, 1) = (2, 5)$ . What is  $T[2, 3]$ ? Is  $T$  one-to-one? 3 + 3 + 2

7. (a) Let  $V$  and  $W$  be vector spaces over a field  $F$ . Prove that a linear mapping  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is invertible if and only if  $T$  is one-to-one and onto.

(b) Let  $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^3$  be a linear transformation defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, y + z, z + x)$ , then, find an orthonormal basis for the range of  $T$ .

- (c) Prove that every chain is a lattice. Examine that the poset  $D_{12} = \{2, 3, 4, 6\}$  under divisibility 12 forms a lattice or not? 4 + 2 + 2

*[Internal Assessment : 5 Marks]*

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