

M.Sc. 2nd Semester Examination, 2015

APPLIED MATHEMATICS WITH OCEANOLOGY
AND COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

(*Abstract Algebra and Linear Algebra*)

PAPER — MTM - 203

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

UNIT — I

(*Abstract Algebra*)

[*Marks : 25*]

Answer Q.No. 1 and any two from the rest

1. Answer any *two* questions : 2 × 2

(a) Let S_7 be the group of permutations on 7 symbols. Does S_7 contain an element of order 10 ?

(*Turn Over*)

(b) Let I be an ideal of a ring R . Show that the quotient ring R/I is a commutative ring if and only if $ab-ba \in I$ for all $a, b \in R$.

(c) Show that the group $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ is not cyclic.

2. (a) State the class equation for a finite group. Define simple group. Show that a group of order 63 is not simple. 2 + 1 + 2

(b) Show that

$$G = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a & b \\ 0 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}_3 \right\}$$

is a finite non-commutative solvable group w.r.t. usual matrix multiplication. 3

3. (a) State the Sylow's first, second and third theorems and prove any one of them. 5

(b) If G is abelian group having subgroups

(3)

H_1, H_2, \dots, H_n Such that $|H_i \cap H_j| = 1$, for all $i \neq j$, then show that $K = H_1 H_2 \dots H_n$ is a subgroup of G and $K \cong H_1 \times H_2 \times \dots \times H_n$. 3

4. (a) Let R be a commutative ring with unity. Show that an ideal M of R is maximal if and only if $\frac{R}{M}$ is a field. 5
- (b) Find all prime ideals and maximal ideals in the ring Z_8 . 3

[*Internal Assessment : 5 Marks*]

UNIT – II

(*Linear Algebra*)

[*Marks : 25*]

Answer Q.No. 5 and any two from the rest

The symbols have their usual meanings

5. Answer any *two* questions : 2 × 2

(a) Let $V = M_2(R)$. Define $T: V(R) \rightarrow R$ by

$$T\left(\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}\right) = a + b + c + d - 1$$

Is T a linear transformation? Justify your answer.

(b) Define complete lattice with an example. Also give an example which does not form the complete lattice.

(c) What is Jordan block? Give an example.

6. (a) Let a, b, c be elements of a field F and

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & c \\ 1 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 1 & a \end{bmatrix}$$

Prove that the characteristic polynomial of A is same as that of its minimal polynomial. 3

- (b) Give the definition of lattice with respect to poset and also give the definition of lattice with respect to algebra. Show that the two definitions are equivalent. 5

7. (a) Let $T : R^4 \rightarrow R^2$ be a linear transformation defined by

$$T\left((x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)^t\right) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \\ x_1 + x_3 + x_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find : 1 + 1 + 2

(i) Nullity T

(ii) Rank T

(iii) Verify that, Nullity $T +$ Rank $T = 4$.

- (b) Find the Jordan canonical form of the given matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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8. (a) Prove that a linear mapping $T: V \rightarrow W$ is invertible if and only if T is one-to-one and onto. Here V and W are vector spaces over a field F . 3
- (b) Prove that the minimal polynomial of a linear operator T divides its characteristic polynomial. 2
- (c) Let $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3)$ be an ordered basis of a real vector space V and a linear mapping $T: V \rightarrow V$ is defined by $T(\alpha_1) = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3$, $T(\alpha_2) = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2$, $T(\alpha_3) = \alpha_1$. Show that T is non-singular. Find the matrix of T^{-1} relative to the ordered basis $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3)$. 3

[*Internal Assessment : 5 Marks*]