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Subject Name: Group Theory

Subject Code: 4SC05GTC1

Branch: B.Sc. (Mathematics)

Semester: 5

Date: 23/03/2018

Time: 10:30 To 01:30

Marks: 70

Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator and any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
 - (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
 - (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
 - (4) Assume suitable data if needed.
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- Q-1 Attempt the following questions: (14)**
- a) Give an example of normal subgroup. (01)
 - b) Give an example of a non-commutative group. (01)
 - c) True or False: $(z_n, +_n)$ is a group. (01)
 - d) If $G = \{1, i, -1, -i\}$ is a group under multiplication then find $o(i)$. (01)
 - e) Define: Group (02)
 - f) Define: Isomorphism of group (02)
 - g) Find all the subgroups of $(Z_8, +_8)$. (02)
 - h) Prove that $o(a^p) \leq o(a)$, $p \in Z$ for any element a in group G (02)
 - i) Is $(Z_7, +_7)$ cyclic group? If yes then find all generators of it. (02)

Attempt any four questions from Q-2 to Q-8

- Q-2 Attempt all questions**
- a) Prove that the set $\{a + b\sqrt{2} \mid a, b \in Q; a^2 + b^2 \neq 0\}$ of R is a group under multiplication of two real numbers. (05)
 - b) For a subgroup H of G and for $a, b \in G$. Show that $Ha = Hb \Leftrightarrow ab^{-1} \in H$. (05)
 - c) Using Euler's theorem, find the remainder obtained on dividing 3^{256} by 14. (04)

- Q-3 Attempt all questions**
- a) State and prove Lagrange's theorem. (07)
 - b) State and prove the first fundamental theorem of Homomorphism. (07)



Q-4 Attempt all questions

- a) A subgroup of H of G is a normal subgroup of G iff $aHa^{-1} \subset H$, for $a \in G$ (05)
- b) Prove that any two infinite cyclic groups are isomorphic. (05)
- c) $H = \{A \in GL(2;R) \mid |A| \text{ is rational number}\}$ is a subgroup under matrix multiplication of $GL(2;R)$. (04)

Q-5 Attempt all questions

- a) Let H is a subgroup of G iff $ab^{-1} \in H$ for $\forall a, b \in H$. (05)
- b) The set $Z = \{x \in G \mid xy = yx, \text{ for } \forall y \in G\}$ is a subgroup of G and also prove that if $a \in Z$ then $N(a) = G$. (05)
- c) Check whether that $\{1,5,7,11\}$ is a subgroup of (Z_{12}^*, \times_{12}) or not, where \times_{12} is multiplication modulo 12. (04)

Q-6 Attempt all questions

- a) Show that the set $Q \setminus \{-1\}$ is an abelian group with respect to the binary operation $a * b = a + b + ab$, for all $a, b \in G$. (05)
- b) Obtain all generators, all subgroups of $(Z_{18}, +_{18})$ and draw prepare lattice diagram. (05)
- c) Let $\phi: (G, *) \rightarrow (G', \Delta)$ is a Homomorphism. If H is a normal subgroup of G then $\phi(H)$ is a normal subgroup of G' . (04)

Q-7 Attempt all questions

- a) State and prove Euler's theorem. (05)
- b) If K is a subgroup of G and H is a normal subgroup of G then prove that (05)
- i) $K \cap H$ is a normal subgroup of K and
- ii) KH is a subgroup of G .
- c) Find order of f^2 and $f \circ g$, where $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 & 2 & 8 & 7 & 6 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$; $g = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 1 & 5 & 7 & 8 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$. (04)

Q-8 Attempt all questions

- a) Prove that order of permutation is the least common multiple of the length of its disjoint cycles. (07)
- b) A cyclic group G with generators $\langle a \rangle$ is finite iff there exist a positive integer k such that $a^k = e$. (07)

