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(2122)

MATHEMATICS

Paper-II (Modern Algebra)

Time Allowed : Three Hours] [Maximum Marks : 30

Note :— Attempt five questions in all, choosing at least two questions from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

UNIT-I

1. (a) Find the orders of elements of Quaternions group Q_8 . Is Q_8 cyclic ? Justify.
(b) Let G be a semi-group and $a, b \in G$. Prove that G is a group if and only if both the cancellation laws hold in G . 2,4
2. (a) If H and K are two subgroups of a group G , then prove that HK is subgroup of G iff $HK = KH$.
(b) Let G be a group and $a, b \in G$. Is $O(ab) = O(a) \cdot O(b)$, in general ? Justify. 4,2
3. (a) Define index of a subgroup H in a group G . Prove that $O(G) = O(H)[G : H]$.
(b) Let G be a group such that $G/Z(G)$ is cyclic, where $Z(G)$ is centre of the group G , then prove that G is abelian. 3,3

4. (a) Prove that there are only two groups of order 6.
(b) Compute $p^{-1}qp$ where $p = (1, 3, 5)(2, 4)$ and $q = (1, 4, 2, 5)(6, 3)$. 3,3

UNIT-II

5. (a) Define division ring. Prove that every division ring is a simple ring.
(b) Let E be the ring of even integers. Prove that $\langle 4 \rangle$ is a maximal ideal in E . 3,3
6. (a) Prove that a commutative ring with unity is a field iff it does not have any proper ideal.
(b) Prove that in the ring of integers Z , the ideal $\langle m \rangle = mZ = \{mn : n \in Z\}$ is a prime ideal if and only if m is prime number. 3,3
7. (a) State and prove fundamental theorem of ring homomorphism.
(b) Is the field R of real numbers isomorphic to the field C of complex numbers? Justify. 4,2
8. (a) If R is an integral domain, then prove that $R[x]$ is also integral domain.
(b) What are the units of the polynomial ring $Z_7[x]$? 3,3