

**ABSTRACT ALGEBRA - II**  
(Re-appear April-2013)

**Time Allowed : Three Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 100**

**Note :** The candidates are required to attempt one question each from Sections A, B, C and D carrying 20 marks each and the entire Section E consisting of 10 short answer type questions carrying 2 marks each.

**Section-A**

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| I.  | (a) | State and prove Lagrange's Theorem for groups.  | 10 |
|     | (b) | Show that the converse of Lagrange's Theorem holds for cyclic groups.   | 10 |
| II. | (a) | Let $\text{Inn}(G)$ be the group of inner automorphisms of group $G$ , then prove that $\text{Inn}(G) = G/Z(G)$ , where $Z(G)$ is the centre of $G$ . | 10 |
|     | (b) | Prove that if order of group $G$ is $p^n$ , $p$ prime, then $Z(G) = \{e\}$ , where $Z(G)$ is the centre of $G$ .                                      | 10 |

- Section-B**
- III. (a) Define an ideal of ring  $R$ . Show that for an ideal  $I$  of ring  $R$ ,  $R/I$  is a ring and is a homomorphic image of  $R$ . 10
- (b) Show that in a ring with identity, every proper ideal is contained in a maximal ideal. 10
- IV. (a) Prove that in a principle Ideal Domain an element is prime if and only if it is irreducible. 15
- (b) Show that the polynomial  $x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x + 2$  is irreducible over the field of rationals. 5
- Section-C**
- V. (a) Prove that every subspace of a finite dimensional vector space has a complement. 10
- (b) In  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ , let  $W = \{(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \lambda_1 = 0\}$ . Determine if  $W$  is subspace of  $V$  or not. Find a basis of  $W$  (if exists). 10
- VI. (a) Prove that every subspace of a finite dimensional vector space has a complement. 10
- (b) In  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ , let  $W_1 = \{(x, y, 0) \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ . Show that  $W_1$  is subspace of  $V$  and hence find the complement of  $W_1$ . 10
- Section-D**
- VII. (a) Let  $V$  be an  $n$ -dimensional vector space over field  $F$  and  $W$  be  $m$ -dimensional vector space. Then prove that the space  $L(V, W)$  of linear transformations from  $V$  into  $W$  is vector space of dimension  $mn$ . 15
- (b) Show that every  $n$ -dimensional vector space over field  $F$  is isomorphic to  $F^n$ . 5
- VIII. (a) Let  $T$  be the linear operator  $D^2$  defined by  $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1, 0)$ . Let  $\beta$  be the standard ordered basis for  $D^2$  and  $\alpha = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2\}$  be the ordered basis defined by  $\alpha_1 = (1, i)$  and  $\alpha_2 = (-i, 2)$ . Find the matrix of  $T$  in the ordered basis  $\beta$ . 10
- (b) Let  $T$  be the linear operator in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  represented by the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} -9 & 4 & 4 \\ -8 & 3 & 4 \\ -16 & 8 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$ . Prove that  $T$  is diagonalizable.
- Section-E**
- IX. Do as directed :
- (a) Let  $G$  be the cyclic group of order 12 generated by  $a$ . Find the order of  $a^2$  and  $a^3$ .
- (b) Show that every subgroup of an abelian group is normal.
- (c) Find the Kernel of homomorphism  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  defined by  $f(x) = e^x$ .
- (d) Does there exist integral domain with 12 elements?
- (e) Give an example of prime ideal of a ring which is not maximal.
- (f) Give an example of:
- (i) A ring with unity (ii) A ring without unity.
- (g) Give an example of an Integral Domain which is not Unique Factorization.
- (h) Prove that if two vectors are linearly dependent, then one of them is scalar multiple of another.
- (i) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(x, y) = (x + y, x - y)$ . Find rank( $T$ ) and null( $T$ ).
- (j) Under what conditions on 'a' are the vectors  $(a, 1, 0)$ ,  $(1, a, 1)$  and  $(0, 1, a)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are linearly dependent? 10×2=20