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Mathematics

[Honours]

(B.Sc. Third Semester End Examination-2022)

PAPER-MTMH C302

(Group Theory – II and Linear Algebra-II)

*Full Marks: 60**Time: 03 Hrs**The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable**Illustrate the answers wherever necessary***[Use separate answer script for each group]****Group-A****[Group Theory-II]**1. Answer any TWO questions 2 × 2 = 4

(a) Show that an Abelian group of order 35 is cyclic.

(b) Let  $G = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & a \\ a & a \end{pmatrix} : a (\neq 0) \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ and  $G' = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} : a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } ad - bc \neq 0 \right\}$ Is  $G \times G'$  forms a group ? Justify.

- (c) Let  $G$  be a commutative group of order  $n$ . If  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$ , prove that the mapping  $f: G \rightarrow G$  defined by  $f(x) = x^m, x \in G$  is an automorphism.

2. Answer any TWO questions

2 × 5 = 10

- (a) Let  $G$  be a group and  $Z(G)$  be the centre of  $G$ . If  $G/Z(G)$  is cyclic then show that  $G$  is a commutative group. If  $G$  be a finite non commutative group then show that  $|Z(G)| \leq \frac{1}{4}|G|$

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- (b) Show that any group of order less than 6 is commutative. 5  
 (c) Let  $H, K$  be finite cyclic groups. Then show that  $H \times K$  is cyclic if and only if  $O(H)$  and  $O(K)$  are relatively prime.

3. Answer any ONE question

10 × 1 = 10

- (a) (i) State and prove Cayley's theorem for group.  
 (ii) Define inner automorphism of a group. Show that  $G/Z(G) \cong Inn(G)$ .
- (b) (i) Define commutator subgroup. Suppose  $C$  is the commutator subgroup of a group  $G$ . Show that  $C$  is normal subgroup in  $G$ . Also show that the quotient group  $\frac{G}{C}$  is

Abelian. Then show that if  $N$  be a normal subgroup of  $G$ , then  $\frac{G}{N}$  is Abelian if and only if  $C \subset N$ . 1+1+1+3

- (ii) Prove that a finite group of order  $n$  is isomorphic to a subgroup of  $S_n$ . Find the permutation group isomorphic to the group  $G = (\{1, i, -1, -i\}, \cdot)$ . 3+1

Group-B

[Linear Algebra-II]

4. Answer any eight questions

2 × 8 = 16

- a) Show that the solutions of the differential equation  $2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 9 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 0$  is subspace of a vector space of all real valued continuous functions.
- b) Consider the following subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 2x + 2y + z = 0, 3x + 3y - 2z = 0, x + y - 3z = 0\}$ . Then what is the dimension of  $W$ ?
- c) Let  $S = \{(-1, 0, 1), (2, 1, 4)\}$ . For what value of  $k$  for which the vector  $(3k + 2, 3, 10)$  belongs to  $L(S)$ ?
- d) Examine that the set of vectors  $\{(1, 2, 2), (2, 1, 2), (2, 2, 1)\}$  is linearly independent in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
- e) Give an example to show that union of two vector subspace of a vector space  $V$  may not be subspace of  $V$ .
- f) Define null space and range space of a linear mapping.

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- g) Find two linear operators  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $T_1 T_2 = 0$  but  $T_2 T_1 \neq 0$ .
- h) Let  $V$  be a vector space over a field  $F$ . If  $\alpha \in F$  and  $x \in V$  such that  $\alpha x = x$  then show that  $\alpha = 1$  or  $x = 0$
- i) Find the dimension of the vector space  $\mathbb{C}$ .
- j) What do you mean by quotient space of a vector space?
- k) Define image and kernel of a linear mapping.
- l) Let the matrix of the linear mapping  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  relative to the ordered basis  $B = \{(1,1), (-1,1)\}$  be  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $T$ .

5. Answer any two questions

$5 \times 2 = 10$

- a) Show that every finite dimensional real vector space of dimension  $n$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}^n$
- b) Let  $V$  be a vector space of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices over  $\mathbb{R}$ . Determine whether  $A, B, C \in V$  are dependent, given that  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- c) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear map such that,  $T(2,3) = (4,5)$  and  $T(1,0) = (0,0)$ . Find  $T(x,y)$ .

6. Answer any one question

$10 \times 1 = 10$

- a) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear map defined by  $T(x,y,z) = (3x, x-y, 2x+y+z)$  for all  $(x,y,z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Then check whether  $T$  is invertible? If so find  $T^{-1}$ .

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- b) (i) State and prove first isomorphism theorem for vector space. 2+4
- (ii) State rank-nullity theorem. By using first isomorphism theorem prove the rank-nullity theorem. 2+2