



RF-3608

M. A. / M. Sc. (Part - II) Examination

April / May - 2010

Mathematics : Paper - 502

(Advanced Abstract Algebra)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

(1)

नीचे दृष्टावेक निशानीवाणी विगतो उत्तरवही पर अवश्य कपवी.  
Fillup strictly the details of signs on your answer book.

Name of the Examination :  
M. A. / M. Sc. - 2

Name of the Subject :  
MATHEMATICS - 502

Subject Code No. : 3 6 0 8 Section No. (1, 2,.....) : NIL

Seat No. :

Student's Signature

- (2) Each question carry equal marks.  
(3) Attempt all questions.  
(4) All questions are compulsory.

- Q1(a) Define a Composition series of a Group. Prove that every finite group has a composition series.  
(b) Define a constructible number. Can you trisect an angle of 60 degree with the compass and a straightedge only? Prove.  
(c) Define a Simple Group. Prove that a group having 72 elements cannot be simple.

OR

- Q1(a) Define an internal direct product of normal groups. Suppose, that G is an internal direct product of  $N_1, N_2, \dots, N_n$ . Then for  $i \neq j$ ,  $N_i \cap N_j = \{e\}$  and if  $a \in N_i, b \in N_j$  then  $a.b = b.a$ . Prove  
(b) Define a p-sylow subgroup. State and prove the first part of Sylow theorem.  
(c) Define an order of an element in a Group. If p is prime divisor of an order of a group G, then prove that G has an element of order p.

- Q2(a) Let G be a nilpotent Group. Prove that every subgroup and every homomorphic image of G are nilpotent.  
(b) Prove that a finite Group is solvable if and only if its composition factors are cyclic groups of prime orders.  
(c) For a field Q of rational numbers. Prove that,  $Q(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}) = Q(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3})$ .

OR

- Q2(a) Define the splitting field of a polynomial. Prove that any two splitting fields of a polynomial over the same field are isomorphic.  
(b) If p(x) is an irreducible polynomial in F[x] and v is a root of p(x) then F(v) is isomorphic to F(w) where w is a root of p'(t). Moreover, this isomorphism  $\sigma$  can be so chosen that  
(i)  $v\sigma = w$  (ii)  $\alpha\sigma = \alpha$  for  $\forall \alpha \in F$ .

- (c) Define a fixed field. Prove that fixed field of a group  $G$  is a subfield of  $K$  where  $F$  is contained in  $K$ .
- Q3(a) If  $K$  and  $L$  are algebraic closures of a field  $F$ . Prove that  $K \cong L$  under the isomorphism, which fixes every element of  $F$ .
- (b) If  $K$  is a finite extension of a field  $f$ . Then prove that  $G(K:F)$  is a finite Group and  $O(G(K:F)) \leq [K:F]$ .
- (c) Define a simple extension of a field. Prove that a finite separable extension of a field is a simple extension.

OR

- Q3(a) Define a Galois Group. State and Prove the fundamental theorem of Galois Group.
- (b) Define algebraic closure of a field. Prove that every field has an algebraic closure.
- (c) Let  $E$  be a finite separable extension of a field  $F$ . Show that  $E$  is a normal extension of  $F$  if and only if  $F$  is the fixed field of  $G(E:F)$ .
- Q4(a) Prove that every submodule and every homomorphic image of a noetherian module is again noetherian.
- (b) Define a free module. Prove that each finitely generated module is a homomorphic image of a finitely generated free module.
- (c) Let  $M$  be a Simple  $R$ -module. Then prove that  $Hom_R(M, M)$  is a division ring.

OR

- Q4(a) Define a Submodule. Let  $(N_i)_{i \in \Lambda}$  be a family of  $R$ -Submodules of an  $R$ -module  $M$  and then prove that  $\cap N_i$  is also an  $R$ -Submodule.
- (b) Let  $R$  is a noetherian ring. Then prove that  $a.b=1$  for a ,  $b \in R$  if and only if  $b.a = 1$ .
- (c) Define a Linearly independent Subset of an  $R$ -module  $M$ . Let  $M$  be a finitely generated free module over a commutative ring  $R$ . Then, prove that all the basis of  $M$  are finite.
- Q5(a) If  $A$  and  $B$  are  $R$ -submodules of an  $R$ -module  $M$ . Show that,  $\frac{A+B}{A} \cong \frac{B}{A \cap B}$  as  $R$ -modules.
- (b) Define elementary row operations on an  $n \times n$  matrix. Let  $A$  be an  $m \times n$  matrix over  $R$ . Then prove the following:
- (i)  $E_{ij} = 1 - e_{ii} - e_{jj} + e_{ij} + e_{ji}$ , then  $E_{ij}A(AE_{ij})$  is the matrix obtained from  $A$  by interchanging the  $i^{th}$  and  $j^{th}$  rows. Also,  $E_{ij}^{-1} = E_{ij}$ .
- (ii) If  $L_i(\alpha) = 1 + (\alpha - 1)e_{ii}$ , and  $\alpha$  is an invertible element in  $R$  then  $L_i(\alpha)A(AL_i(\alpha))$  is the matrix obtained from  $A$  by multiplying the  $i^{th}$  row by  $\alpha$ . also  $L_i^{-1}(\alpha) = 1 + (\alpha^{-1} - 1)e_{ii}$
- (iii) If  $M_{ij}(\alpha) = 1 + \alpha e_{ij}$ , then  $M_{ij}(\alpha)A(AM_{ij}(\alpha))$  is the matrix obtained from  $A$  by multiplying the  $j^{th}$  row by  $\alpha$  and adding it to the  $i^{th}$  row. Also,  $M_{ij}^{-1}(\alpha) = 1 - \alpha e_{ij}$ , ( $i \neq j$ ).
- (c) If  $M$  is an  $R$ -module and  $x \in M$ , then show that the set  $K = \{rx + nx / r \in R, n \in Z\}$  is their smallest  $R$ -submodule containing  $x$ . Also, prove that  $K \cong Rx$  if  $R$  has unity.

OR

- Q5(a) Let  $(N_i)_{i \in \Lambda}$  be a family of  $R$ -modules of an  $R$ -module  $M$ . Then following are equivalent.
- (i)  $\sum_{i \in \Lambda} N_i$  is a direct sum.
- (ii)  $0 = \sum_i x_i \in \sum_{i \in \Lambda} N_i \Rightarrow x_i = 0 \forall i$ .
- (iii)  $N_i \cap \sum_{j \in \Lambda, j \neq i} N_j = (0)$ ,  $i \in \Lambda$
- (b) Let  $A$  and  $B$  be  $R$ -submodules of  $R$ -modules  $M$  and  $N$  respectively. Show that,  $\frac{MXN}{AXB} = \frac{M}{A} X \frac{N}{B}$
- (c) Define a free module. Prove that the submodules of the quotient module  $M/N$  are of the form  $U/N$ , where  $U$  is a submodule of  $M$  containing  $N$ .