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**Mathematics (Paper : MTH - 601)**

**Ring Theory**

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- (2) All questions are compulsory.
- (3) Figures to the right indicate marks of the questions.
- (4) Follow usual notations.

**Q. 1. Answer the following as directed: (Any FIVE)**

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1. Give an example of:
  - i. a ring commutative having 2025 elements;
  - ii. a commutative ring without a *unit* element.
2. In a ring  $R$ ; prove that  $(-a) \cdot b = -(a \cdot b)$ ; for all  $a, b$  in  $R$ .
3. If  $U$  is an ideal of a ring  $R$  with a *unit* element 1 and  $1 \in U$ , then prove that  $U = R$ .
4. Define Maximal Ideal of Ring. Which is the maximal ideal of a field  $F$  ?
5. Show that 3 does not divide 3 itself and 6 does not divide 12 in the commutative ring  $3\mathbb{Z}$ .
6. Find all the *units* in the commutative ring  $J_9$ ; of integers modulo 9; with a *unit* element  $\bar{1}$ .

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7. Define Prime Element in a Euclidean Ring. Mention all the prime elements in the Euclidean rings  $\mathbb{Z}$  of all integers.
8. Define Relatively Prime Elements in a Euclidean Ring. Give an illustration of a Euclidean Ring; in which every pair of two non-zero elements are relatively prime elements.

**Q. 2. Answer any Two of the following: 10**

- a. Define Field. Answer as directed:
  - i. Find the *Unit* element in the commutative ring  $\langle R = \{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}, \bar{8}\}, +_{10}, \times_{10} \rangle$ .
  - ii. Is  $\langle R = \{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}, \bar{8}\}, +_{10}, \times_{10} \rangle$  integral domain? Justify your answer.
- b. Define Integral Domain. Prove that every field is an integral domain.
- c. Give an illustration of a Boolean ring. Prove that every Boolean ring is commutative.

**Q. 3. Answer any Two of the following: 10**

- a. Define the Kernel of Homomorphism  $\phi : R \rightarrow R'$  of a ring  $R$  into a ring  $R'$ . Let  $\phi : R \rightarrow R'$  be a homomorphism of a ring  $R$  into a ring  $R'$ . Then prove that: (i)  $\phi(0) = 0'$ ; (ii)  $\phi(-a) = -\phi(a)$ ; for every  $a$  in  $R$ .
- b. Mention all the ideals of the commutative ring  $J_7$ ; of integers modulo 7. If  $F$  is a field, then prove that its only ideals are  $(0)$  and  $F$  itself.
- c. Let  $\phi : R \rightarrow R'$  be a homomorphism of a ring  $R$  onto a ring  $R'$ . If  $R$  is a commutative ring with a *unit* element  $1$ , then prove that  $R'$  is also a commutative ring with a *unit* element  $\phi(1)$ .

**Q. 4. Answer any Two of the following: 10**

- a. Give an illustrate of a Euclidean ring; which is not a field. Give the reason why the commutative ring:
  - i.  $J_{2025}$ ; of integers modulo 2025; is not a Euclidean ring,
  - ii.  $J_{47}$ ; of integers modulo 47; is a Euclidean ring.

- b. Find all *Units* in the commutative ring  $\langle R = \{\overline{0}, \overline{4}, \overline{8}, \overline{12}, \overline{16}\}, +_{20}, \times_{20} \rangle$ ; with the unit element  $\overline{16}$ . If; for  $a, b$  in an integral domain  $R$  with a *unit* element; both  $a \mid b$  and  $b \mid a$  hold true, then prove that  $a = u b$ ; where  $u$  is *unit* in  $R$ .
- c. Let  $R$  be a Euclidean ring and  $a \neq 0, b \neq 0$  in  $R$ . If  $b$  is not *unit* in  $R$ , then prove that  $d(a) < d(ab)$ .

**Q. 5. Answer any Two of the following:**

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- a. Prove, in a Euclidean ring  $R$ , that:
- i. If  $a, b$  and  $c$  are elements in  $R$  such that  $(a, b) = 1$  and  $a \mid bc$ , then  $a \mid c$ .
  - ii. Let  $a \neq 0, b \neq 0$  in  $R$ . If  $b$  is *unit* in  $R$ . Then  $d(a) = d(ab)$ .
- b. Prove that an element  $a$  in a Euclidean ring  $R$  is *unit* in  $R$  if and only if  $d(a) = d(1)$ .
- c. Prove, in a Euclidean ring  $R$ , that:
- i. If  $\pi$  is a prime element in  $R$ , then for any element  $a$  either  $(\pi, a)$  *unit* in  $R$  or  $\pi \mid a$ .
  - ii. Let  $a, b$  be elements in  $R$ . If  $(a, b) = d_1$  and  $(a, b) = d_2$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are *associates*.