

2020(Voc)

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Answer from **all** the Groups as directed.*

1. [I] Choose the correct alternative in each of the following : $1 \times 10 = 10$
- (i) Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$, which of the following corresponds to an equivalence relation :
- (i) $\{1, 2, 3\}, \{3, 4, 5, 6\}$
 - (ii) $\{1, 2\}, \{4, 5, 6\}$
 - (iii) $\{1, 3\}, \{2, 4, 5\}, \{6\}$
 - (iv) None of these

(ii) For elements a and b in a group G , the equation $ax = b$ has :

- (i) Exactly two solutions in G
- (ii) More than two solutions in G
- (iii) Unique solution in G .
- (iv) No solution in G

(iii) If u be a homogeneous function, in x and y , of degree n , then :

(i) $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = nu$

(ii) $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = nu$

(iii) $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = nu$

(iv) $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = nu$

(iv) If A and B be two matrices such that $AB = A$ and $BA = B$ then $A^2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

- (i) A
- (ii) B
- (iii) AB
- (iv) None of these ✓

(v) If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$ then :

- (i) $ac \equiv b \pmod{m}$
- (ii) $ac \equiv bd \pmod{m}$
- (iii) $ad \equiv bc \pmod{m}$
- (iv) None of these

[II] Fill in the blanks in each of the following :

(vi) If A, B, C be any three sets then $A \times (B \cap C) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

(vii) In a group G , $(ab)^{-1} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ for all $a, b \in G$.

(viii) If matrices A and B be conformed for the product AB and B, C be conformal for addition then $A(B + C) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

(ix) If $y = \cos(ax + b)$, then $y_n = \dots\dots\dots j a, b$ being constants.

(x) If d be the g.c.d of a and b , then there exists integers x and y such that $d = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.

Group – B

(Short-answer Type Questions)

Answer any **four** of the following six questions :

$$5 \times 4 = 20$$

2. Prove that the complement of the union of a family of sets is the intersection of their complements.

3. Define a group. Prove that in a group G :
 - (i) The identity element is unique.
 - (ii) The inverse of each $a \in G$ is unique.
4. Define a symmetric and a skew-symmetric matrix. Show that any square matrix can be expressed as the sum of a symmetric and a skew-symmetric matrix.
5. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{x} - \cot x \right)$.
6. Apply Maclaurin's theorem to obtain the expansion of $\sec x$.
7. Find the remainder when $1^5 + 2^5 + 3^5 + \dots + 100^5$ is divided by 4.

Group – C

(Long-answer Type Questions)

Answer any four questions of the following :

$$10 \times 4 = 40$$

8. State and prove the fundamental theorem on equivalence relation.
9. Define a subgroup of a group G . Prove that a non-empty subset H of a group G is a subgroup of G iff $a, b \in H \Rightarrow ab^{-1} \in H$.

10. Test the consistency of the following set of simultaneous equations and solve them by the matrix method, $x - 2y + 3z = 5$, $4x + 3y + 4z = 7$, $x + y - z = -4$.

11. State and prove Leibnitz Theorem on successive differentiation.

12. (i) If $u = \log \left(\frac{x^2 + y^2}{x + y} \right)$, prove that $x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 1$.

(ii) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve

$$\left(\frac{x}{a} \right)^n + \left(\frac{y}{b} \right)^n = 1 \text{ at the point } (a, b).$$

13. Find all the solutions, in integers, of the diophantine equation $56x + 72y = 40$.



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