

Mains Test Series - 2021

Test - 2 , Paper-II , Answer Key

Modern Algebra , Real Analysis & Complex Analysis  
and LPP

1(a) If  $G$  is an infinite group, what can you say about the number of elements of order 21 in a group, generalize.

Sol'n: Given that  $(G, *)$  is an infinite group.

Let  $a \in G$  such that  $O(a) = 21$

$$\text{then } a^{21} = e.$$

$$\therefore \langle a \rangle = \{e, a, a^2, a^3, a^4, \dots, a^{19}, a^{20}\} \leq G$$

$$\text{Here } 21 = 7 \times 3$$

by Euler  $\phi$ -function,

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(21) &= 21 \left(1 - \frac{1}{7}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right) \\ &= 21 \left(\frac{6}{7}\right) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\phi(21) = 12$$

$\therefore$  The number of elements of order 21 are 12 in  $\langle a \rangle$ .

If there is any element other than 12 elements with order 21 then there is cyclic subgroup of order 21 and it will have 12 generators.

$\therefore$  The number of elements with order 21 will always be an integral multiple of 12.

i.e. number of elements of order 21

$$\text{are } = 12k : k \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$$

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1(b) Prove that every field is an integral domain. Is the converse true.

Proof: Let  $R$  be any field.

Let  $ab=ac$ , where  $a, b, c \in R$  and  $a \neq 0$ .

Since  $a \neq 0 \in R$ ,  $a^{-1} \in R$  exists and  $a a^{-1} = a^{-1} a = 1$ .

$$\text{Now } ab=ac \Rightarrow a^{-1}(ab) = a^{-1}(ac)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^{-1}a)b = (a^{-1}a)c, \text{ by associative law.}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1b = 1c \Rightarrow b=c.$$

Thus  $R$  is a commutative ring in which

$$ab=ac \Rightarrow b=c \quad (a, b, c \in R, a \neq 0)$$

Hence  $R$  is an integral domain.

The converse of the above theorem is not true.

for example, the set of integers  $\mathbb{Z}$  is an integral domain which is not a field, since  $a \neq 0 \in \mathbb{Z}$  does not have the multiplicative inverse in  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

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1(c)

Test for convergence the series

$$x^2 + \frac{2^2}{3 \cdot 4} x^4 + \frac{2 \cdot 4^2}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6} x^6 + \frac{2^2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7 \cdot 8} x^8 + \dots$$

Sol: Omitting the first term of the series because it will not affect the convergence or divergence of the series, we have

$$U_n = \frac{2^2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \dots (2n)^2}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7 \cdot 8 \dots (2n+1)(2n+2)} x^{2n+2}$$

$$\therefore U_{n+1} = \frac{2^2 \cdot 4^2 \cdot 6^2 \dots (2n)^2 (2n+2)^2}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7 \cdot 8 \dots (2n+1)(2n+2)(2n+3)(2n+4)} x^{2n+4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot \frac{(2n+1)(2n+4)}{(2n+2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x^2} \cdot \frac{4n^2+14n+12}{4n^2+8n+4}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$\therefore$  by ratio test,  $\sum U_n$  is convergent

if  $\frac{1}{x^2} > 1$  i.e.,  $x^2 < 1$

and  $\sum U_n$  is divergent if  $\frac{1}{x^2} < 1$  i.e.,  $x^2 > 1$

For  $\frac{1}{x^2} = 1$  i.e.,  $x^2 = 1$ , the ratio test

fails and we apply Raabe's test in this case.

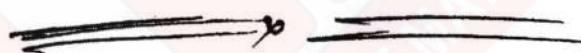
$$\text{When } x^2 = 1, \text{ we have } \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{U_n^2 + 14n + 12}{4n^2 + 8n + 4}$$

$$\therefore n \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) = n \left( \frac{4n^r + 14n + 12}{4n^r + 8n + 4} - 1 \right) \\ = \frac{6n^r + 8n}{4n^r + 8n + 4}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6n^r + 8n}{4n^r + 8n + 4} \\ = \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2} > 1$$

∴ by Raabe's test,  $\sum u_n$  is convergent  
for  $r \geq 1$ .

Hence the given series is convergent  
if  $r \leq 1$  and it is divergent if  $r > 1$ .



1(d) Prove that  $u = e^{-x}(\alpha \sin y - \gamma \cos y)$  is harmonic.  
 Also find  $v$  such that  $f(z) = u + iv$  is analytic.

Soln: (a)  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = (e^{-x}) \sin y + (-e^{-x})(\alpha \sin y - \gamma \cos y)$   
 $= e^{-x} \sin y - \alpha e^{-x} \sin y + \gamma e^{-x} \cos y$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(e^{-x} \sin y - \alpha e^{-x} \sin y + \gamma e^{-x} \cos y) \\ &= -2e^{-x} \sin y + \alpha e^{-x} \sin y - \gamma e^{-x} \cos y \quad \text{--- (1)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = e^{-x}(\alpha \cos y + \gamma \sin y - \cos y) = \alpha e^{-x} \cos y + \gamma e^{-x} \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(e^{-x} \cos y + \gamma e^{-x} \sin y - e^{-x} \cos y) \\ &= -\alpha e^{-x} \sin y + \gamma e^{-x} \sin y + \gamma e^{-x} \cos y \quad \text{--- (2)}\end{aligned}$$

Adding (1) & (2) yields.  $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$  and  $u$  is harmonic.

(b) from the Cauchy's Riemann equations

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = e^{-x} \sin y - \alpha e^{-x} \sin y + \gamma e^{-x} \cos y \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = e^{-x} \cos y - \alpha e^{-x} \cos y - \gamma e^{-x} \sin y$$

Integrate (3) w.r.t  $y$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}v &= -e^{-x} \cos y + \alpha e^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x}(y \sin y + \cos y) + F(x) \\ &= y e^{-x} \sin y + \alpha e^{-x} \cos y + F(x) \quad \text{--- (4)}\end{aligned}$$

where  $F(x)$  is arbitrary real function of  $x$ .

Substitute (4) into (1) and obtain

$$-y e^{-x} \sin y - \alpha e^{-x} \cos y + e^{-x} \cos y + F'(x) = -y e^{-x} \sin y - \alpha e^{-x} \cos y$$

$$-y e^{-x} \sin y$$

$\Rightarrow F'(x) = 0$  and  $F(x) = C$ , a constant.

Then from (4)  $v = e^{-x}(y \sin y + \alpha \cos y) + C$

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1(e)

Let  $x_1=2$ ,  $x_2=4$ , and  $x_3=1$  be a feasible solution to the system of equations

$$2x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 2$$

$$x_1 + 4x_2 = 18$$

Reduce the given feasible solution to a basic feasible solution.

Soln

The given system of equations can be written as  $AX=B$ , where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let the columns of  $A$  be denoted by

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Here } \rho(A) = 2$$

$\therefore$  A basic solution to the given system of equations exist with not more than two variables different from zero.

Also the column vectors  $A_1, A_2, A_3$  are linear dependent.

$\therefore$  3 scalars  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$  not all zero such that

$$A_1\lambda_1 + A_2\lambda_2 + A_3\lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\lambda_1 + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}\lambda_2 + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\lambda_1 - \lambda_2 + 2\lambda_3 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 + 4\lambda_2 + 0\lambda_3 = 0$$

This is a system of two equations in three unknowns  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$ .

Let us choose one of the  $\lambda$ 's arbitrarily say  $\lambda_3 = -1$ .

$$\text{Then } 2\lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 2$$

$$8\lambda_1 + 4\lambda_2 = 0$$

$$\text{Solving, we get } \lambda_1 = 8/9, \lambda_2 = -2/9$$

Now to reduce the no. of the variables to be driven to zero is found by choosing  $r$  for which

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\alpha_r}{\alpha_r} &= \min_i \left\{ \frac{\alpha_i}{\alpha_r} \mid \alpha_i > 0 \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha_r}, \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_r}, \frac{\alpha_3}{\alpha_r} \right\} \\ &= \min \left\{ \frac{2}{8/9} \right\} = \frac{9}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we can remove vector  $A_3$  for which  $\frac{\alpha_3}{\alpha_r} = \frac{9}{4}$  and obtain new solution with not more than two non-negative (non-zero) variables. The values of new variables are given by

$$\hat{x}_1 = x_1 - \frac{\alpha_1}{\alpha_r} \lambda_r = 2 - \frac{9}{4} \times \frac{8}{9} = 0$$

$$\hat{x}_2 = x_2 - \frac{\alpha_2}{\alpha_r} \lambda_r = 4 - \frac{9}{4} \times (-\frac{2}{9}) = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\hat{x}_3 = x_3 - \frac{\alpha_3}{\alpha_r} \lambda_r = 1 - \frac{9}{4}(-1) = 13/4.$$

Obviously, columns of  $A_2$  &  $A_3$  of A corresponding to these non-zero variables are L.I.

Hence the basic feasible solution to given system of equations is given by

$$x_2 = 9/2 \text{ and } x_3 = 13/4 \text{ with } x_1 = 0.$$

Note: If we let  $\alpha_3 = 1$ , another basic feasible solution is obtained as  $x_1 = 26/9$  &  $x_2 = 34/9$  with  $x_3 = 0$ .

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2.(a)(ii)

Show that the set  $G = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6\}$  of transformations on the set of complex numbers defined by  $f_1(z) = z$ ,  $f_2(z) = 1-z$ ,  $f_3(z) = \frac{z}{z-1}$

$$f_4(z) = \frac{1}{z}, f_5(z) = \frac{1}{1-z} \text{ and } f_6(z) = \frac{z-1}{z}$$

is a non-abelian group of order 6. with respect to composition of mappings.

Soln: Let  $G = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4, f_5, f_6\}$

Suppose we denote ~~the~~ multiplicatively the composition known as the composite or product of two functions.

If  $f: A \rightarrow B$  and  $g: B \rightarrow C$  then by definition

$(gf): A \rightarrow C$  such that  $(gf)(x) = g(f(x))$

The function  $gf$  is called the composite of the functions  $g$  and  $f$ .

We prepare the composition table as follows.

Since the function  $f_1$  is the identity function,

therefore

$$f_1 f_1 = f_1, f_1 f_2 = f_2 = f_2 f_1, f_1 f_3 = f_3 = f_3 f_1$$

$$f_1 f_4 = f_4 = f_4 f_1, f_1 f_5 = f_5 = f_5 f_1, f_1 f_6 = f_6 = f_6 f_1$$

$$f_2 f_1 = f_2, f_3 f_1 = f_3, f_4 f_1 = f_4, f_5 f_1 = f_5, f_6 f_1 = f_6$$

$$\text{Now, } f_2 f_2(z) = f_2(1-z) = 1 - (1-z) = z = f_1(z).$$

$$\therefore f_2 f_2 = f_1.$$

$$(f_2 f_3)(z) = f_2(f_3(z)) = f_2\left(\frac{z}{z-1}\right) = 1 - \frac{z}{z-1} = \frac{-1}{z-1} = \frac{1}{1-z} \\ = f_5(z)$$

$$\therefore f_2 f_3 = f_5$$

$$(f_2 f_4)(z) = f_2(f_4(z)) = f_2\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = 1 - \frac{1}{z} = \frac{z-1}{z} = f_6$$

$$\therefore f_2 f_4 = f_6$$

$$(f_2 f_5)(z) = f_2(f_5(z)) = f_2\left(\frac{1}{1-z}\right) = 1 - \frac{1}{1-z} = \frac{-z}{1-z} = \frac{z}{z-1} \\ = f_3(z)$$

$$\therefore f_2 f_5 = f_3$$

$$(f_2 f_6)(z) = f_2(f_6(z)) = f_2\left(\frac{z-1}{z}\right) = 1 - \frac{z-1}{z} = \frac{1}{z} = f_4$$

$$\therefore f_2 f_6 = f_4$$

Similarly calculating the other products we get  
the composition table as given below

composition of the function	$f_1$	$f_2$	$f_3$	$f_4$	$f_5$	$f_6$
$f_1$	$f_1$	$f_2$	$f_3$	$f_4$	$f_5$	$f_6$
$f_2$	$f_2$	$f_1$	$f_5$	$f_6$	$f_3$	$f_4$
$f_3$	$f_3$	$f_6$	$f_1$	$f_5$	$f_4$	$f_2$
$f_4$	$f_4$	$f_5$	$f_6$	$f_1$	$f_2$	$f_3$
$f_5$	$f_5$	$f_4$	$f_2$	$f_3$	$f_6$	$f_1$
$f_6$	$f_6$	$f_3$	$f_4$	$f_2$	$f_1$	$f_5$

we make the following observations

- (i) All the entries in the composition table are elements of the set  $G$ , therefore  $G$  is closed w.r.t to the given composition.

(i) We know that the composite of functions is an associative composition.

i.e. If  $f: A \rightarrow B$ ,  $g: B \rightarrow C$ ,  $h: C \rightarrow D$

then  $h(gf) = (hg)f$ .

(ii) The identity function  $f_1$  is the identity element.

(iv) Each function possesses inverse.

Thus  $f_1^{-1} = f_1$ ,  $f_2^{-1} = f_2$ ,  $f_3^{-1} = f_3$ ,  $f_4^{-1} = f_4$ ,

$f_5^{-1} = f_6$ ,  $f_6^{-1} = f_5$ .

(v) The composition is not commutative

Since  $f_2f_3 = f_5$  and  $f_3f_2 = f_6$ .

thus  $f_2f_3 \neq f_3f_2$ .

The set  $G$  contains 6 elements.

Hence  $G$  is a finite non-abelian group of order 6 with respect to the composite composition.

Note: Here we see in the composition table that the entries in the second row do not coincide with the corresponding entries in the second column. Thus  $f_2f_3 \neq f_3f_2$ .

Therefore the composition is not commutative.

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Q(xii) Let  $\beta = (1\ 3\ 5\ 7\ 9\ 8)(2\ 4\ 10)$ . what is the smallest positive integer  $n$  for which  $\beta^n = \beta^{-5}$ ?

Sol'n:  $|\beta| = \text{LCM}(7, 3)$   
= 21

$$\therefore \beta^{21} = I$$

$$\beta^{16} \beta^5 = I$$

$$\beta^{16} = \beta^{-5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{n = 16}$$

Q(b) (i) Prove that  $\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right) e^{-x/n}$  is absolutely convergent for any real  $x$ .

(ii) Prove that the sequence  $\{a_n\}$  recursively defined by  $a_1 = \sqrt{5}$ ,  $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{5+a_n}$ ,  $n \geq 1$  converges to the true root of the equation  $x^2 - x - 5 = 0$ .

Sol'n :- (i) Here  $1+a_n = \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right) e^{-x/n}$

$$= \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right) \left[1 - \frac{x}{n} + \frac{x^2}{2!n^2} - \frac{x^3}{3!n^3} + \dots\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 1+a_n = 1 - \frac{x^2}{n^2} + \frac{x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^3}{2n^3} - \frac{x^3}{6n^3} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{-x^2}{2n^2} + \frac{x^3}{2n^3} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2} \left( -\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3n} + \dots \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow |a_n| = \frac{1}{n^2} \left| -\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3n} + \dots \right|$$

Comparing  $\sum |a_n|$  with  $\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$ , we have

If  $\frac{|a_n|}{n^2} = \frac{x^2}{2}$ , a finite quantity but

$\sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  is convergent, therefore  $\sum |a_n|$  is convergent.

$\Rightarrow \sum a_n$  is absolutely convergent.

$\Rightarrow \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} (1+a_n) = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right) e^{-x/n}$  is

absolutely convergent for all values of  $x$ .

2(b)(ii) Given that  $a_1 = \sqrt{5}$ ,  $a_{n+1} = \sqrt{5+x_n}$

$$a_2 = \sqrt{5+x_1} = \sqrt{5+\sqrt{5}} > \sqrt{5} = a_1$$

$$\therefore x_2 > x_1$$

Similarly  $x_3 > x_2$

Suppose  $x_{n+1} > x_n$  for some  $n$

$$\Rightarrow 5+x_{n+1} > 5+x_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{5+x_{n+1}} > \sqrt{5+x_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{n+2} > x_{n+1}$$

$\therefore$  By mathematical induction  $x_{n+1} > x_n \forall n$

$\therefore (x_n)$  is monotonically increasing

$$\text{Now } x_1 = \sqrt{5} < 5$$

$$x_2 = \sqrt{5+\sqrt{5}} < 5$$

Similarly  $x_3 < 5$

Suppose  $x_n < 5$

$$\Rightarrow 5+x_n < 10$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{5+x_n} < \sqrt{10} < \sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} < 5$$

$\therefore$  By mathematical induction  $x_n < 5 \forall n$

$\therefore (x_n)$  is bounded above.

Since  $(x_n)$  is monotonically increasing and bounded above.

$\therefore$  It is convergent.

$$\text{If } x_n = l \quad \& \quad \text{If } x_{n+1} = l$$

$$\text{Now } x_{n+1} = \sqrt{5+x_n} \Rightarrow \text{If } x_{n+1} = \sqrt{5+\text{If } x_n}$$

$$\Rightarrow l = \sqrt{5+l}$$

$$\Rightarrow l^2 - l - 5 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{21}}{2} \quad \text{but } l = \frac{1-\sqrt{21}}{2} < 0$$

whereas  $x_n > 0 \forall n$

$\therefore l \neq \frac{1-\sqrt{21}}{2}$ ,  $\therefore x_n$  goes to  $\frac{1+\sqrt{21}}{2}$  which is the root of the eqn  $x^2 - x - 5 = 0$

Q(C) Using contour integration method evaluate

$$\int_0^{\pi} \frac{a d\theta}{a^2 + \sin^2 \theta} \quad \text{where } a > 0.$$

Sol'n: Let  $I = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{a d\theta}{a^2 + \sin^2 \theta}$

$$\text{Then } I = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{2a d\theta}{2a^2 + 2\sin^2 \theta} = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{2a d\theta}{2a^2 + 1 - \cos 2\theta}$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{adt}{2a^2 + 1 - \cos t}, \quad \text{Putting } 2\theta = t$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{adt}{2a^2 + 1 - \frac{1}{2}(e^{it} + e^{-it})}$$

Putting  $z = e^{it}$  so that  $dz = ie^{it} dt$ , we get

$$I = \int_C \frac{2a}{2(2a^2 + 1) - (z + z^{-1})} \cdot \frac{dz}{iz}, \quad \text{where } C \text{ is unit circle } |z| = 1.$$

$$\Rightarrow I = \frac{2a}{i} \int_C \frac{dz}{z^2 - 2(2a^2 + 1)z + 1} = 2ai \int_C \frac{dz}{z^2 - 2(2a^2 + 1)z + 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 2ai \int_C f(z) dz \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z^2 - 2(2a^2 + 1)z + 1}$$

Poles of  $f(z)$  are given by

$$z^2 - 2(2a^2 + 1)z + 1 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{2(2a^2 + 1) \pm \sqrt{[4(2a^2 + 1)^2 - 4]}}{2}$$

$$= 2a^2 + 1 \pm \sqrt{(2a^2 + 1)^2 - 1} = 2a^2 + 1 \pm 2a\sqrt{a^2 + 1}.$$

Taking  $\alpha = 2a^2 + 1 + 2a\sqrt{a^2 + 1}$

$$\beta = 2a^2 + 1 - 2a\sqrt{a^2 + 1}$$

we get  $z = \alpha, \beta$ . Evidently  $|\alpha| > 1$  and  $|\beta| < 1$ .

$f(z)$  has only one simple pole  $z = \beta$  lying within  $C$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Res}(z=\beta) &= \lim_{z \rightarrow \beta} (z-\beta)f(z) = \lim_{z \rightarrow \beta} \frac{(z-\beta) \cdot 1}{(z-\alpha)(z-\beta)} \\ &= \frac{1}{\beta-\alpha} = \frac{1}{-4a\sqrt{(\alpha^2+1)^2}} \end{aligned}$$

By Cauchy's residue theorem

$$\int_C f(z) dz = 2\pi i (\text{sum of residues within } C) = \frac{2\pi i}{-4a(\alpha^2+1)^{1/2}}$$

Using this in ①, we get

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \frac{2ia \cdot 2\pi i}{-4a(\alpha^2+1)^{1/2}} \\ &= \underline{\frac{\pi}{(1+\alpha^2)^{1/2}}} \end{aligned}$$

3(a) (i) Let  $R$  be the ring of all the real-valued continuous functions on the closed unit interval. Show that

$$M = \{f \in R : f(\frac{1}{3}) = 0\} \text{ maximal ideal of } R.$$

Sol'n: Let  $R$  denote the set of all real numbers.  
 The given ring is

$$R = \{f \mid f : [0,1] \rightarrow R \text{ is continuous on } [0,1]\}$$

Notice that  $R$  is a ring w.r.t. the compositions:

$$\begin{aligned} (f+g)(x) &= f(x) + g(x) \\ (fg)(x) &= f(x) \cdot g(x) \end{aligned} \quad \forall x \in [0,1] \text{ and } f, g \in R$$

We proceed to show that  $M$  is an ideal of  $R$ .

Let  $f, g \in M$ . Then  $f(\frac{1}{3}) = 0 = g(\frac{1}{3})$ .

We have  $(f-g)(\frac{1}{3}) = f(\frac{1}{3}) - g(\frac{1}{3}) = 0$  and so  $f-g \in M$ .

Let  $f \in M$  and  $h \in R$ . Then  $f(\frac{1}{3}) = 0$  and

$$(fh)(\frac{1}{3}) = f(\frac{1}{3}) h(\frac{1}{3}) = 0 \cdot h(\frac{1}{3}) = 0 \Rightarrow fh \in M.$$

Similarly, if  $f \in M$  and so  $M$  is an ideal of  $R$ . Finally, we show that  $M$  is a maximal ideal of  $R$ . Let  $U$  be any ideal of  $R$  such that

$$MCUR \text{ and } M \neq U.$$

We need to show that  $U=R$ .

Since  $MCU$  and  $M \neq U$ , there exists a function  $g \in U$  such that  $g \notin M$ , i.e.,  $g(\frac{1}{3}) \neq 0$ .

i.e.,  $\alpha \neq 0$ , where  $\alpha = g(\frac{1}{3})$  ————— ①

(Notice that  $g(\frac{1}{3}) = 0 \Rightarrow g \in M$ , a contradiction)

We define a function  $h : [0,1] \rightarrow R$  as

$$h(x) = g(x) - \alpha, \forall x \in [0,1] \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\Rightarrow h(\frac{1}{3}) = g(\frac{1}{3}) - \alpha = 0, \text{ using ①}$$

$\Rightarrow h \in M \Rightarrow h \in U$ , since MCU.

Since U is an ideal of R, therefore

$$g \in U \text{ and } h \in U \Rightarrow g - h \in U \Rightarrow \alpha \in U, \text{ by ②}$$

Since  $\alpha \neq 0$ ,  $\alpha^{-1} \in R$  exists. The constant function

$$\alpha^{-1}: [0,1] \rightarrow R \text{ defined as } \alpha^{-1}(x) = \alpha^{-1} \forall x \in [0,1]$$

is a continuous function on  $[0,1]$  and as such  $\alpha^{-1} \in R$ .

Since U is an ideal of R, so

$$\alpha \in U \text{ and } \alpha^{-1} \in R \Rightarrow \alpha \alpha^{-1} \in U \Rightarrow 1 \in U.$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \cdot f \in U \text{ & } f \in R \Rightarrow f \in U \text{ & } f \in R \Rightarrow R = U$$

Hence M is a maximal ideal of R.

(ii) Let  $U = \langle 1, 2 \rangle = 12\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -36, -24, -12, 0, 12, 24, \dots \}$

The only ideals of  $\mathbb{Z}$  which contain U are  $\mathbb{Z}$  and  $12\mathbb{Z}$

$$2\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -4, -2, 0, 2, 4, \dots \}$$

$$3\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -6, -3, 0, 3, 6, \dots \}$$

$$4\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -8, -4, 0, 4, 8, \dots \}$$

$$6\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -12, -6, 0, 6, 12, \dots \}$$

Hence all the ideals of  $\mathbb{Z}/U$  are  $\mathbb{Z}/U = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{1}, \dots, \bar{11} \}$

$$U/U = \bar{0} = U, \quad 2\mathbb{Z}/U = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}, \bar{8}, \bar{10} \}, \quad 3\mathbb{Z}/U = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{3}, \bar{6}, \bar{9} \}$$

$$4\mathbb{Z}/U = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{4}, \bar{8} \}, \quad 6\mathbb{Z}/U = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{6} \}. \quad (\text{Here } \bar{n} = n+U)$$

Here  $M = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{3}, \bar{6}, \bar{9} \}$  is a maximal ideal of  $\mathbb{Z}_{(12)} = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \dots, \bar{11} \}$

Since there does not exist any proper ideal between

$$M = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{3}, \bar{6}, \bar{9} \} \text{ and } \mathbb{Z}_{(12)} = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{1}, \dots, \bar{11} \}.$$

$\Rightarrow$  [Notice that  $\{ \bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}, \bar{8}, \bar{10} \}$  is also a maximal ideal of  $\mathbb{Z}_{(12)}$ ]

However  $\{ \bar{0} \}$ ,  $\{ \bar{0}, \bar{4}, \bar{8} \}$ ,  $\{ \bar{0}, \bar{6} \}$  are not maximal

ideals of  $\mathbb{Z}_{(12)}$ , since for example,

$$\{ \bar{0}, \bar{6} \} \subset \{ \bar{0}, \bar{3}, \bar{6}, \bar{9} \} \subset \mathbb{Z}_{(12)}$$

3(b) Let the function  $f$  be defined on  $[0, 1]$  as follows.

$$f(x) = 2\pi x \text{ when } \frac{1}{\delta+1} < x \leq \frac{1}{\delta}, \delta = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

Prove that  $f$  is R-integrable in  $[0, 1]$  and evaluate  $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$ .

Sol'n: Given that the function  $f$  defined on  $[0, 1]$

$$\text{as } f(x) = 2\pi x \text{ if } \frac{1}{\delta+1} < x \leq \frac{1}{\delta}, \delta \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(x) = 2x, \text{ when } \frac{1}{2} < x < 1$$

$$= 4x, \text{ when } \frac{1}{3} < x < \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 6x, \text{ when } \frac{1}{4} < x < \frac{1}{3}$$

$$= 2(n-1)x \text{ when } \frac{1}{n} < x < \frac{1}{n-1}$$

Note that  $f$  is bounded and continuous on  $[0, 1]$

is  $\{0, 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\}$  which has only one limit point 0.

Since the set of points of discontinuity of  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$  has a finite number of limit points, therefore,  $f$  is integrable on  $[0, 1]$ .

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^1 f(x) dx &= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{1}} f(x) dx + \int_{\frac{1}{3}}^{\frac{1}{2}} f(x) dx + \int_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{3}} f(x) dx + \dots \\ &\quad + \int_{\frac{1}{n}}^{\frac{1}{n-1}} f(x) dx \\ &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \int_{\frac{1}{\delta+1}}^{\frac{1}{\delta}} 2\pi x dx \\ &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} [\pi x^2]_{\frac{1}{\delta+1}}^{\frac{1}{\delta}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \delta \left[ \frac{1}{\delta^2} - \frac{1}{(\delta+1)^2} \right] \\
 &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \frac{2\delta+1}{\delta(\delta+1)^2} \\
 &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \left[ \frac{1}{\delta} - \frac{1}{\delta+1} + \frac{1}{(\delta+1)^2} \right] \\
 &= \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \left( \frac{1}{\delta} - \frac{1}{\delta+1} \right) + \sum_{\delta=1}^{n-1} \frac{1}{(\delta+1)^2} \\
 &= \left[ (1 - \frac{1}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}) + \dots + (\frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n}) \right] \\
 &\quad + \left[ \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots + \dots + \frac{1}{n^2} \right] \\
 &= \left( 1 - \frac{1}{n} \right) + \left( \frac{\pi^2}{6} - 1 \right) \quad \left( \because \text{the series } \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \text{ converges and its sum is } \frac{\pi^2}{6} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

proceeding to the limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\int_0^\infty f(x) dx = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

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3(C) Solve the following LPP

$$\text{Max } Z = 2x_1 + x_2$$

subject to  $4x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 12$ ,  $4x_1 + x_2 \leq 8$ ,  $4x_1 - x_2 \leq 8$   
 and  $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup>: Introducing the slack variables

$s_1, s_2, s_3 \geq 0$ , the problem becomes

$$\text{Max } Z = 2x_1 + x_2 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3$$

subject to the constraints

$$4x_1 + 3x_2 + s_1 = 12$$

$$4x_1 + x_2 + s_2 = 8$$

$$4x_1 - x_2 + s_3 = 8$$

$$x_1, x_2, s_1, s_2, s_3 \geq 0$$

Now the initial basic feasible solution is

given by

setting  $x_1 = x_2 = 0$  (non-basic)

$s_1 = 12, s_2 = 8, s_3 = 8$ . (basic)

∴ the SBF is  $(0, 0, 12, 8, 8)$

for which  $Z = 0$ .

put the above information in tableau form

$C_j$	2	1	0	0	0	b	θ
$C_B$	Basis	$x_1$	$x_2$	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	
0	$s_1$	4	3	1	0	0	12 $12/4 = 3$
0	$s_2$	4	1	0	1	0	8 $8/4 = 2$
0	$s_3$	<u>1/4</u>	-1	0	0	1	8 $8/(1/4) = 32$ →

$$Z_j = \sum C_B a_{ij}$$

$$C_j = C_j - Z_j \quad \begin{matrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \uparrow & & & & \end{matrix}$$

from the table,

$x_1$  is the incoming variable. But the two rows have the same ratio under θ-column.

This is an indication of degeneracy.

Using the procedure of degeneracy, compute  
 $\min \left[ \frac{\text{elements of first column of unit matrix}}{\text{corresponding element of key column}} \right]$   
 only for second and 3rd rows

$$\min \left[ -, \frac{0}{4}, \frac{0}{4} \right] \text{ which is not unique.}$$

So again compute

$\min \left[ \frac{\text{elements of 2nd column of unit matrix}}{\text{corresponding element of key column}} \right]$

only for 2nd and 3rd rows.

$\therefore \min \left[ -, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{0}{4} \right] = 0$  which occurs corresponding  
 to the 3rd row. and therefore  $s_2$  is outgoing  
 variable

the key element  $\frac{0}{4}$ .

Thus the new simplex table:

		$C_j$	2	1	0	0	b	0.
$C_B$	Basis		$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$			
0	$s_1$	0	4	1	0	-1	4	1
0	$s_2$	0	<span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">2</span>	0	1	-1	0	$\frac{0}{2} = 0$
2	$x_1$	1	$-y_4$	0	0	$y_4$	2	-
$Z_j^*$ = $\sum C_B a_{ij}$		2	$-y_2$	0	0	$y_2$	4	
$C_j^*$ = $C_j - Z_j^*$		0	$y_2$	0	0	$-y_2$		

from the above table,

$s_2$  is the outgoing variable,  $s_2$  is the outgoing variable and (2) is the key element and making it into unity and all other elements in 2nd column to zero.

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$C_j$	2	1	0	0	0			
$C_B$ Basis	$x_1$	$x_2$	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	b		
0	$s_1$	0	0	1	-2	(1)	4	$4 \rightarrow$
1	$x_2$	0	1	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0	-
2	$x_1$	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	2	16
$Z_j = \sum C_B a_{Bj}$		2	1	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	4	
$C_j = C_j - Z_j$		0	0	0	$-\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$		

from the above table,

$s_3$  is incoming variable,  $x_1$  is the outgoing variable. and  $\frac{1}{8}$  is the key element and making all other elements in its column to zero.

$C_j$	2	1	0	0	0			
$C_B$ Basis	$x_1$	$x_2$	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	b		
0	$s_3$	0	0	1	-2	1	4	
1	$x_2$	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0	2	
2	$x_1$	1	0	$-\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	0	$\frac{3}{2}$	
$Z_j = \sum C_B a_{Bj}$		2	1	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	5	
$C_j = C_j - Z_j$		0	0	$-\frac{1}{4}$	$-\frac{1}{4}$	0		

from the above table,

all  $C_j \leq 0$ .

so, the table gives the optimal solution. Hence an optional basic feasible solution is

$$x_1 = \frac{3}{2}, x_2 = 2 \text{ and } \text{Max} Z = 5$$

4(a)

Show that  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}] = \{m + n\sqrt{3} \mid m, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  is a Euclidean domain.

Sol: It is easy to verify that  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$  is an integral domain with unity  $1 = 1 + \sqrt{3}(0)$ .

Let  $a = m + n\sqrt{3} \neq 0, b = m_1 + n_1\sqrt{3} \neq 0 \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$ .

we define

$$d(a) = d(m + n\sqrt{3}) = |m^2 - 3n^2| \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

obviously,  $d(a)$  is a positive integer, for each  $a \neq 0 \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$ .

Indeed  $d(a) \geq 1, \forall a \neq 0 \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$ .  $\text{--- (2)}$

we have

$$ab = (mm_1 + 3nn_1) + (mn_1 + m_1n)\sqrt{3}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } d(ab) &= |(mm_1 + 3nn_1)^2 - (mn_1 + m_1n)^2| \\ &= |m^2m_1^2 + 9n^2n_1^2 - 2(mn_1 + m_1n)^2| \\ &\quad [\text{by (1)}] \\ &= |m^2m_1^2 + 9n^2n_1^2 - 3(m^2n_1^2 + n^2m_1^2)| \\ &= |(m^2 - 3n^2)(m_1^2 - 3n_1^2)| \\ &= |m^2 - 3n^2| |m_1^2 - 3n_1^2| \\ &\geq |m^2 - 3n^2| \quad (\because |m_1^2 - 3n_1^2| \geq 1) \\ &\geq d(a) \\ \therefore d(ab) &\geq d(a). \end{aligned}$$

Now, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{a}{b} &= \frac{m+n\sqrt{3}}{m_1+n_1\sqrt{3}} = \frac{(m+n\sqrt{3})(m_1-n_1\sqrt{3})}{(m_1+n_1\sqrt{3})(m_1-n_1\sqrt{3})} \\
 &= \left( \frac{mm_1 - 3nn_1}{m_1^2 - 3n_1^2} \right) + \left( \frac{m_1n - mn_1}{m_1^2 - 3n_1^2} \right)\sqrt{3} \\
 &= p + q\sqrt{3}.
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $p = \frac{mm_1 - 3nn_1}{m_1^2 - 3n_1^2}$  and  $q = \frac{m_1n - mn_1}{m_1^2 - 3n_1^2}$  are rational numbers

corresponding to the rational numbers  $p$  &  $q$ , we can find two integers  $p'$  and  $q'$  such that  $|p'-p| \leq \frac{1}{2}$  and  $|q'-q| \leq \frac{1}{2}$ .

Let  $t = p' + q'\sqrt{3}$ .

Then  $t \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$

we have  $\frac{a}{b} = \lambda$ , where  $\lambda = p + q\sqrt{3}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= \lambda b = (\lambda - t)b + tb \\
 &= tb + r, \text{ where } r = (\lambda - t)b
 \end{aligned}$$

Now  $a, b, t \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$

$$\Rightarrow a+b \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$$

$$\Rightarrow r \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$$

$\therefore \exists t, r \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$  such that  $a = tb+r$ , where

$$r=0 \text{ or } d(r) = d\{(a-t)b\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= d\{(p+q\sqrt{3}) - (p'+q'\sqrt{3})\} d(b) \\
 &= d\{(p-p') + (q-q')\sqrt{3}\} d(b) \\
 &= \sqrt{(p-p')^2 - 3(q-q')^2} d(b) \\
 &\leq \sqrt{1 + \frac{3}{4}} d(b)
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{3}]$  is Euclidean domain.

Ques. Show that the function  $f$  defined by  $f(z) = |\operatorname{Re} z| \operatorname{Im} z^{1/2}$  satisfies the C-R equations at the origin. Is it differentiable at this point? Justify your answer.

Sol'n: Given function can be written as

$$f(z) = \frac{|z^2 - \bar{z}^2|^{1/2}}{2} \quad (\text{or}) \quad f = u + iv \text{ with} \\ u(x, y) = |xy|^{1/2} \text{ and } v(x, y) = 0.$$

Note that  $f$  is identically zero on the real and imaginary axes.

$\therefore$  It is trivial to see that

$$u_x(0, 0) = u_y(0, 0) = v_x(0, 0) = v_y(0, 0) = 0.$$

For example,

$$u_x(0, 0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \frac{u(s, 0) - u(0, 0)}{s} = 0.$$

Thus, the C-R equations hold at  $z=0$ .

However, taking  $h = re^{i\theta} \neq 0$  with  $r \rightarrow 0$ , we find that

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{r^2 \cos \theta \sin \theta^{1/2}}{r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)} \\ = \frac{e^{-i\theta} |8 \sin 2\theta|^{1/2}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

which is clearly depending upon  $\theta$  (e.g. take  $\theta=0$  and  $\theta=\pi/4$ ). We conclude that  $f$  is not differentiable at  $z=0$  even though  $f$  satisfies the C-R equations at the origin.

4(c)

Consider the problem of assigning the operators to the machines. The assignment-cost in rupees are given in the table. Operator  $O_2$  cannot be assigned to machine  $M_2$  and operator  $O_5$  cannot be assigned to machine  $M_4$ . Find the optimal cost of assignment.

	$M_1$	$M_2$	$M_3$	$M_4$	$M_5$
$O_1$	8	4	2	6	1
$O_2$	0	-	5	5	4
$O_3$	3	8	9	2	6
$O_4$	4	3	1	0	3
$O_5$	9	5	8	-	5

Col:

The problem indicates that two assignments  $O_2$  and  $O_5$  are impossible. Therefore, we put a very large cost 10 in the cells  $(2,2)$  and  $(5,4)$ , then proceed as usual. performing first row reduction and then column reduction, we get Table-I.

8	4	2	6	1
0	10	5	5	4
3	8	9	2	6
4	3	1	0	3
9	5	8	10	5



7	3	1	5	0
0	10	5	5	4
1	6	7	0	4
4	3	1	0	3
4	0	3	5	0

Table 2

7	3	0	5	0
0	10	4	5	4
1	6	6	0	4
4	3	0	9	3
4	0	2	5	0

Draw the minimum no. of horizontal and vertical lines to cover all zeros of table - 2. which show that the no. of lines ( $n$ ) =  $A = m$  = order of matrix.

7	3	X	5	0
0	10	4	5	4
1	6	6	0	4
4	3	0	X	3
4	0	2	5	X

∴ an optimum assignment has been reached.

The assignment is given by

$$O_1 \rightarrow M_5$$

$$O_2 \rightarrow M_1$$

$$O_3 \rightarrow M_4$$

$$O_4 \rightarrow M_3$$

$$O_5 \rightarrow M_2$$

$$\therefore \text{Minimum cost} = 1 + 0 + 2 + 1 + 5$$

$$= 9$$

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5(a) Let  $H$  be a subgroup of a group  $G$ . If  $a^2 \in H \forall a \in G$ , then Prove that  $H$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$  and  $G/H$  is commutative.

Sol'n: Let  $g \in G$  and  $h \in H$ . Consider  $ghg^{-1}$  and note that

$$ghg^{-1} = ghgh^{-1}g^{-2} = (gh)^2 h^{-1}g^{-2}.$$

Now  $h^{-1} \in H$  and by our hypothesis  $(gh)^2; g^{-2} \in H$ . This implies that  $ghg^{-1} \in H$

which in turn shows that  $gHg^{-1} \subseteq H$ .

Hence  $H$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ .

To show  $G/H$  is commutative,

let  $xH, yH \in G/H$ .

We show that  $xHyH = yHxH$

$$\Rightarrow xyH = yxH$$

$$\Rightarrow (yx)^{-1}(xy) \in H.$$

$$\text{Now, } (yx)^{-1}(xy) = (x^{-1}y^{-1})(xy)$$

$$= (x^{-1}y^{-1})^2 (yxy^{-1})^2 y^2.$$

Since  $\alpha \in H \wedge a \in G$ ,

it follows  $(x^{-1}y^{-1})^2 (yxy^{-1})^2 y^2 \in H$

and so  $(yx)^{-1}(xy) \in H$ .

Hence  $G/H$  is commutative.

5.(b) prove that b/w any two real roots of the equation  $e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$  there is at least one real root of the equation  $\tan x + 1 = 0$ .

sol let  $a = a$  &  $b = b$  be the roots of  $e^x \sin x + 1 = 0$

$$e^a \sin a + 1 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad e^b \sin b + 1 = 0$$

let  $f(x) = e^x \sin x + 1 \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$   
since  $e^x$  &  $\sin x$  are continuous and differentiable for all reals.

$\therefore f(x) = e^x \sin x + 1$  is continuous and differentiable in  $[a, b]$ .

$$\text{and } f(a) = f(b) = 0 \quad (\text{by } ①)$$

$\therefore f$  has been satisfied the conditions of Rolle's theorem.

$\therefore$  at least one  $x \in (a, b)$  s.t.  $f'(x) = 0$ . ②

$$\therefore f'(x) = e^x \sin x + e^x \cos x$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = e^x (\sin x + \cos x)$$

$$\therefore ② \equiv e^x (\sin x + \cos x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in (a, b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x + \cos x = 0 \quad (\because e^x \neq 0 \forall x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan x + 1 = 0 \quad ! x \in (a, b)$$

(5)(c) A function  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous on  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) = \frac{f(x) + f(y)}{2}$  for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ , prove that  $f(x) = ax + b$  ( $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ) for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Soln. Given  $f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) = \frac{f(x) + f(y)}{2}$  —①

Putting  $2x$  in place of  $x$  and  $2y$  in place of  $y$  →

$$f\left(\frac{2x+2y}{2}\right) = \frac{f(2x) + f(2y)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x+y) = \frac{f(2x) + f(2y)}{2} —②$$

Now taking  $y=0$

$$f(x+0) = \frac{f(2x) + f(0)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{f(2x) + f(0)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(2x) = 2f(x) - f(0) —③$$

Since  $f$  is continuous so -

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{f(2x) + f(2h)}{2} - f(x)}{h} \quad [\text{using } ②]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2x) + f(2h) - 2f(x)}{2h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2f(x) - f(0) + f(2h) - 2f(x)}{2h} \quad [\text{using } ③]$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(2h) - f(0)}{2h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \lim_{2h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(0+2h) - f(0)}{2h}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = f'(0) \quad [\text{using definition}]$$

Integrating w.r.t.  $x \rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = f'(0)x + b$$

where  $b$  is integrating constant

$$\text{Let } f(0) = a \in \mathbb{R}$$

then  $f(x) = ax + b$

Hence proved.

5(d) Show that  $\int_C e^{-2z} dz$  is independent of the path  $C$  joining the points  $1-\pi i$  to  $2+3\pi i$  and determine its value.

Sol'n: Let  $I = \int_C f(z) dz$ , where  $f(z) = e^{-2z}$  and  $C$  is a straight line joining points  $1-\pi i$  to  $2+3\pi i$ . Evidently  $f(z)$  is differentiable everywhere in  $z$ -plane. Hence  $f(z)$  is analytic in entire  $z$ -plane.

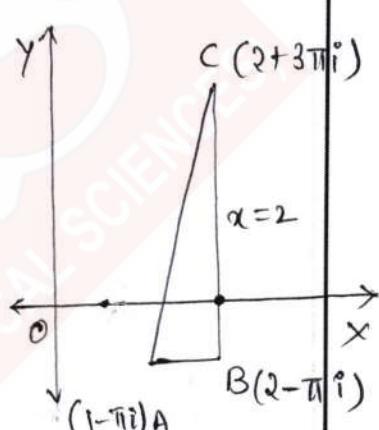
∴ By corollary of Cauchy's theorem  $\int_C f(z) dz$  is independent of path of integration.

$$\text{Also } \int_C f(z) dz = \int_{1-\pi i}^{2+3\pi i} e^{-2z} dz$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} (e^{-2z})_{1-\pi i}^{2+3\pi i}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ e^{-2(2+3\pi i)} - e^{-2(1-\pi i)} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} [e^{-4} - e^{-2}]$$



$$\text{as } e^{-6\pi i} = 1 = e^{2\pi i}$$

$$\therefore \int_C f(z) dz = \frac{1}{2} (e^{-4} - e^{-2}) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Let } I = \int_C f(z) dz = I_1 (\vec{AB}) + I_2 (\vec{BC})$$

For  $I_1$ : equation of  $AB$  is  $y = -\pi$ ,  $z = x + iy = x - i\pi$ ,  $dz = dx$

$$I_1 = \int_1^2 e^{-2(x-i\pi)} dx = e^{2i\pi} \int_1^2 e^{-2x} dx = 1 \cdot \int_1^2 e^{-2x} dx$$

$$= \left( \frac{e^{-2x}}{-2} \right)_1^2 = -\frac{1}{2} (e^{-4} - e^{-2})$$

For  $I_2$ : equation of  $BC$  is  $x = 2$ ,  $z = 2 + iy$ ,  $dz = idy$

$$I_2 = \int_{-\pi}^{3\pi} e^{-2(2+iy)} idy = \frac{i e^{-4}}{-2} \left( e^{-i2y} \right)_{-\pi}^{3\pi}$$

$$= -\frac{i}{2e^4} (e^{-6i\pi} - e^{-2i\pi}) = 0 \text{ as } e^{-6i\pi} = 1 = e^{-2i\pi}$$

$$\mathfrak{I} = \int_C f(z) dz = \mathfrak{I}_1(\vec{AB}) + \mathfrak{I}_2(\vec{BC})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (e^{-2} - e^{-4}) + 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

this integral is the same along two different paths:

(i) line  $\vec{AC}$

(ii) line  $\vec{AB} +$  line  $\vec{BC}$

This  $\Rightarrow$  Integral is independent of path.

5.(e)

→ A firm manufactures two products A & B on which the profit earned per unit are ₹ 3 and ₹ 4 respectively. Each product is processed on two machines  $M_1$  &  $M_2$ . Product A requires one minute of processing time on  $M_1$  and two minutes on  $M_2$  while processing of product B requires 1 minute on  $M_1$  and 1 minute on  $M_2$ .  $M_1$  is not available for more than 7 hours 30 minutes while  $M_2$  is available for 10 hours during any working day. Find the number of units of products A and B need to be manufactured to get maximum profit. Formulate this as an LP problem model and solve by graphical method.

Solution:-

A firm manufactures two products 'A' and 'B' on which the profit earned per unit are ₹ 3 and ₹ 4 respectively.

i.e 
$$\text{Max. } Z = 3A + 4B$$

Working time of Machine one ( $M_1$ ) is not more than 7 hours 30 minutes i.e 450 minutes. Product A takes 1 minute and so 1 minute for B.

i.e.  $M_1 \Rightarrow A + B \leq 450 \quad \dots (1)$

Working time of Machine two ( $M_2$ ) is 10 hours i.e 600 minutes.

A takes 2 minutes and B takes 1 minute on  $M_2$ .

$\therefore M_2 \Rightarrow 2A + B = 600 \quad \dots (2)$

and No. of manufactured product should

be more than zero;

$$\text{i.e } A, B \geq 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Hence, The LPP is

$$\text{Max. } Z = 3A + 4B$$

$$\text{S.C.} \Rightarrow A + B \leq 450$$

$$2A + B = 600$$

$$A, B \geq 0$$

for graphical Method

$A + B = 450$  is the line and below it the region it will cover i.e optimal region.

$2A + B = 600$  - is a line.

Hence from these two equation.

The graphical representation, shows the shaded optimal region.

This consist of three optimal points

$$x \rightarrow (300, 0)$$

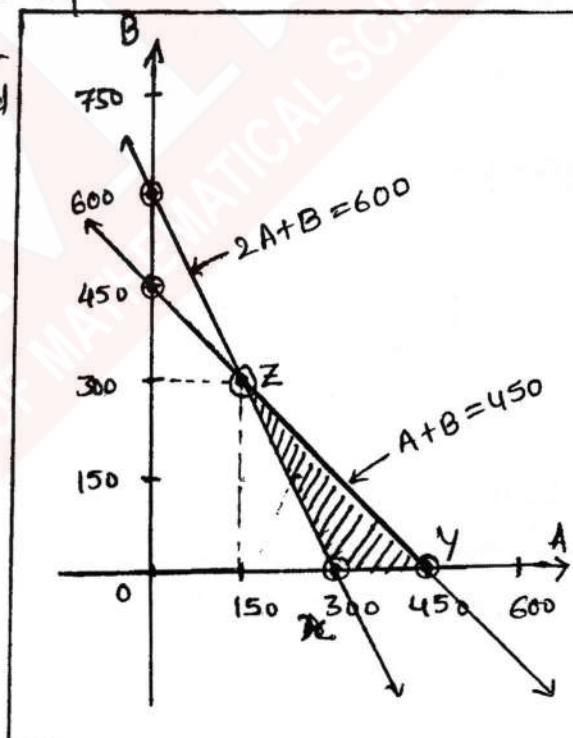
$$y \rightarrow (450, 0)$$

$$z \rightarrow (150, 300)$$

$$Z_{\max} \text{ at } x = 3 \times 300 = 900$$

$$Z_{\max} \text{ at } y = 3 \times 450 = 1350$$

$$Z_{\max} \text{ at } z = 3 \times 150 + 4 \times 300 \\ = 450 + 1200 = 1650$$



$\therefore Z_{\max}$  at  $(150, 300)$  gives us maximum value.

$\therefore Z_{\max} (\text{Profit}) = 1650 ; \text{ with } A = 150, B = 300$

6(a) In a Group  $G$  if  $a^s = e$  and  $abat = b^m$  for some positive integers  $m$ , and some  $a, b \in G$ , then prove that  $b^{ms-1} = e$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup> Given -  $abat = b^m \quad \dots \text{①}$

$$(abat)(abat) = b^m \cdot b^m$$

$$\Rightarrow abatabat = b^{m+m} \quad [\text{In } G, \text{ if } b \in G \\ \text{then } b^{m+n} = b^m \cdot b^n]$$

$$\Rightarrow abebat = b^{2m} \quad [a \in G \Rightarrow a^2 = a \cdot a = e]$$

$$\Rightarrow ab^2at = b^{2m} \quad [a \in G]$$

Similarly -

$$ab^m at = b^{m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a(abat)at = b^{m^2} \quad [\text{using equation } \text{①}]$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2ba^{-2} = b^{m^2}$$

Again

$$(a^2ba^{-2})(a^2ba^{-2}) = b^{m^2} \cdot b^{m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2ba^{-2}a^2ba^{-2} = b^{2m^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2b^2a^{-2} = b^{2m^2}$$

Similarly

$$a^3b^ma^{-2} = b^{m^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2(abat)a^{-2} = b^{m^3} \quad [\text{using eqn } ①]$$

$$\Rightarrow a^3ba^{-3} = b^{m^3}$$

Therefore ; repeating above steps-

we get  $a^5ba^{-5} = b^{m^5}$

But given  $a^5 = e \Rightarrow a^{-5} = e$

Using . -

$$ebe = b^{m^5}$$

$$\Rightarrow b = b^{m^5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{b^{m^5-1} = e}$$

Hence proved

- 6(b)
- Suppose a group element - a and b such that  $|a|=4$ ,  $|b|=2$  and  $a^3b=ba$ . Find  $|ab|$
  - Suppose a and b are group elements such that  $|a|=2$ ,  $b \neq e$  and  $aba=b^2$ . Determine  $|b|$ .
  - Find three elements  $\sigma$  in  $S_9$  with the property that  $\sigma^3 = (1\ 5\ 7)(2\ 8\ 3)(4\ 6\ 9)$

Sol: (i) Let  $(G, *)$  be a group

$a, b \in G$  such that  $|a|=4$ ,  $|b|=2$

$$\text{then } a^4 = e \text{ & } b^2 = e \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Given that } a^3b = ba \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now we have

$$\begin{aligned} (ab)^2 &= (ab)(ab) \\ &= a(ba)b \quad (\text{by associative of } G) \\ &= a(a^3b)b \quad (\text{by (2)}) \\ &= a^4 \cdot b^2 \quad (\text{by associate prop. of } G) \\ &= e \cdot e \quad (\text{by (1)}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (ab)^2 = e$$

$$\therefore o(ab) = 2 \quad \text{i.e. } |ab| = 2$$

(ii) Given  $a, b \in G$  such that  $o(a)=2$  and  $aba=b^2$ .

$$\text{Now } aba = b^2$$

$$\Rightarrow b^4 = b^2 b^2$$

$$= (aba)(aba)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= ab a^2 b a \\ &= ab^2 a \quad (\because a^2 = e) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow b^4 = b$$

$$\Rightarrow b^3 = e$$

$$\therefore o(b) = 3 \quad \text{& } b \neq e.$$

(iii), Observe that if we start with a 9-cycle  
 $\sigma$  (say) =  $(a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 a_5 a_6 a_7 a_8 a_9)$   
and cube it

$$\text{we get } \sigma^3 = (a_1 a_4 a_7) (a_2 a_5 a_8) (a_3 a_6 a_9)$$

$\therefore$  we can take  $\tau = (1\ 2\ 3\ 4\ 5\ 6\ 7\ 8\ 9)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But } (1\ 5\ 7) (2\ 8\ 3) (4\ 6\ 9) &= (1\ 5\ 7) (4\ 6\ 9) (2\ 8\ 3) \\ &= (2\ 8\ 3) (1\ 5\ 7) (4\ 6\ 9) \end{aligned}$$

So there given by

$$(1\ 2\ 4\ 5\ 8\ 6\ 7\ 3\ 9), (1\ 4\ 2\ 5\ 6\ 8\ 7\ 9\ 3)$$

and  $\underline{(2\ 1\ 4\ 8\ 5\ 6\ 3\ 7\ 9)}$

6(c) (i) Prove or disprove that subring of a non-commutative ring is commutative.

(ii), If  $R$  is a ring with unity 1 and  $f$  is a homomorphism of  $R$  into an integral domain  $R'$ , with  $\text{Ker } f \neq R$ , Prove that  $f(1)$  is the unity of  $R'$ .

Sol'n: (i), A subring of a non-commutative ring may be commutative.

The ring  $M_2$  of  $2 \times 2$  matrices over integers is non-commutative, since

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and so  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

The set  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} : a \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$  is a subring of  $M_2$ , which is commutative,

Since  $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ab & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(ii) Let  $a' \in R'$  be arbitrary. we shall prove that

$$f(1)a' = a'f(1) = a'.$$

Obviously  $f(1)a' - f(1)a' = 0'$ .

$\Rightarrow f(1 \cdot 1)a' - f(1)a' = 0'$ , since 1 is the unity of  $R$ .

$\Rightarrow f(1)f(1)a' - f(1)a' = 0'$ , since  $f$  is a homomorphism.

$$\Rightarrow f(1)[f(1)a' - a'] = 0'$$

$$\Rightarrow f(1) = 0' \text{ (or) } f(1)a' - a' = 0',$$

Since  $R$  is an integral domain

If  $f(1) = 0'$ , then  $1 \in \text{Ker}f$ , where  $\text{Ker}f$  is an ideal of  $R$ .

Consequently,  $\forall r \in R, r \in \text{Ker}f \vee r \notin \text{Ker}f$  and so  $\text{Ker}f = R$

This is contrary to the given hypothesis and so

$$f(1)a' - a' = 0' \Rightarrow f(1)a' = a' \forall a' \in R'$$

Similarly, by considering  $a'f(1) - a'f(1) = 0'$

We can prove

$$a'f(1) = a' \forall a' \in R'$$

Hence  $f(1)$  is the unity of  $R'$ .

6(d) Show that 3 is an irreducible element of  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup>: Let  $3 = (a+b\sqrt{-5})i(c+d\sqrt{-5})i$ ;  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Z}$

Taking conjugates on both sides, we get

$$3 = [a-b\sqrt{-5}] [c-d\sqrt{-5}]$$

on multiplying the respective sides of the above equations, we get

$$9 = (a^2+5b^2)(c^2+5d^2)$$

Both the sides of the above equation are positive integers.

Consequently, we have the following cases.

Case (1):  $a^2+5b^2=1$  and  $c^2+5d^2=9$

Case (2):  $a^2+5b^2=9$  and  $c^2+5d^2=1$

Case (3):  $a^2+5b^2=3$  and  $c^2+5d^2=3$

It is clear that case (3) is not possible in  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

case (1) is possible when  $a=\pm 1, b=0$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-5}i = \pm 1$$

which are units in  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ .

Similarly, case (2) yields that  $c+d\sqrt{-5}i = \pm 1$ ,

which are units in  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$

Hence 3 is an irreducible element of  $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ .

7.(b) →

Show that the sequence of functions  $f_n$  defined on  $[0, 1]$  by  $f_n(x) = n(1-nx)$ ,  $0 \leq x < \frac{1}{n}$   
 $= 0 \quad ; \quad \frac{1}{n} \leq x \leq 1$

converges to the function 'f' given by  $f(x) = 0$ ,  $x \in [0, 1]$ . Show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx \neq \int_0^1 f(x) dx$ .

Is the convergence of the sequence uniform?

Solution:-

$$\text{Given; } f_n(x) = \begin{cases} n(1-nx) & ; 0 \leq x < \frac{1}{n} \\ 0 & ; \frac{1}{n} \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

At  $x=0$ , the sequence is  $\{1, 1, 1, \dots\}$

This converges to 'n'.

at  $x=1$ , the sequence ... is  $\{0, 0, 0, 0\}$ . This converges to 0.

Let  $c \in (0, 1)$ . By Archimedean property of  $\mathbb{R}$  there exists a natural 'm' such that  $0 < \frac{1}{m} < c$  and therefore  $0 < \frac{1}{n} < c$  for all  $n \geq m$ .

$\therefore f_m(c) = 0$  and  $f_n(c) = 0$  for all  $n \geq m$ .

This proves  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(c) = 0$ .

There the sequence  $\{f_n\}$  converges to the function  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$  given by.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x=0 \\ 0, & 0 < x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

Each  $f_n$  is continuous on  $[0, 1]$

But the limit function  $f$  is not continuous on  $[0, 1]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here; } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(1-nx) \quad (\infty \times 0 \text{ form}), \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1-nx}{\frac{1}{n}} \quad (\text{Apply D.R. rule}). \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} nx^2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since;  $n \rightarrow \infty, \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0, \text{ as } x \rightarrow 0$

Hence;  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = 0 \text{ for } x \in [0, 1]$

$$\text{Now; } \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx = \int_0^1 n(1-nx) dx.$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{Put } 1-nx = t & \text{at } x=0 & t=1 \\ -ndx = dt & x=1 & t=1-n. \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{1-n}^1 t dt = \int_{1-n}^1 t dt = \frac{1}{2} [t^2]_{1-n}^1.$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [1 - (1-n)^2] = \frac{1}{2} [2n - n^2]$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx = \infty \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

$$\text{but } \int_0^1 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 0 dx = 0 \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

Clearly; from (A) and (B).

$$\boxed{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^1 f_n(x) dx \neq \int_0^1 f(x) dx}$$

Therefore, the convergence of the sequence  $\{f_n\}$  is not uniform on  $[0, 1]$ , since uniform convergence of the sequence  $\{f_n\}$  of continuous functions on  $[0, 1]$  implies continuity of  $f$  on  $[0, 1]$ .

Q.C. Prove that  $\frac{x}{1+x} < \log(1+x) < x$ ,  $x > 0$ . Deduce that  $\log \frac{2n+1}{n+1} < \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} < \log 2$ ,  $n$  being a positive integer.

Sol: Let  $f(t) = \log(1+t)$   $\forall t \in [0, x]$  where  $x > 0$ .  
 and  $f'(t) = \frac{1}{1+t}$   $\forall t \in (0, x)$

By Lagrange's Mean value theorem  $\exists c \in (0, x)$

such that  $f'(c) = \frac{f(x) - f(0)}{x - 0}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+c} = \frac{\log(1+x) - \log 1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+c} = \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Since  $c \in (0, x)$

$$\Rightarrow 0 < c < x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 < 1+c < 1+x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 > \frac{1}{1+c} > \frac{1}{1+x} \Rightarrow 1 > \frac{\log(1+x)}{x} > \frac{1}{1+x} \quad (\text{by (1)})$$

$$\Rightarrow x > \log(1+x) > \frac{x}{1+x}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x}{1+x} < \log(1+x) < x$$

Now, we have  $\log(1+x) < x$

$$\text{Let } x = \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\text{then } \log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n+1}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1} \text{ i.e. } \log\left(\frac{n+2}{n+1}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n+2}\right) < \frac{1}{n+2} \text{ i.e. } \log\left(\frac{n+3}{n+2}\right) < \frac{1}{n+2}$$

$$\text{similarly } \log\left(\frac{n+4}{n+3}\right) < \frac{1}{n+3}$$

$$\log\left(\frac{n+5}{n+4}\right) < \frac{1}{n+4}$$

⋮

$$\log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n+n}\right) < \frac{1}{n+n} \text{ i.e. } \log\left(\frac{2n+1}{2n}\right) < \frac{1}{n+n}$$

∴ Adding all the above, we get

$$\log\left(\frac{n+2}{n+1}\right) + \log\left(\frac{n+3}{n+2}\right) + \log\left(\frac{n+4}{n+3}\right) + \dots + \log\left(\frac{2n+1}{2n}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n+n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log\left(\frac{n+2}{n+1} \cdot \frac{n+3}{n+2} \cdot \frac{n+4}{n+3} \cdots \frac{2n}{2n-1} \cdot \frac{2n+1}{2n}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log\left(\frac{2n+1}{n+1}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \frac{1}{n+3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Also we have  $\frac{x}{1+x} < \log(1+x)$

Let  $x = \frac{1}{n}$ , then  $\frac{\frac{1}{n}}{1+\frac{1}{n}} < \log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{n+1} < \log\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)$

$x = \frac{1}{n+1}$  then  $\frac{\frac{1}{n+1}}{1+\frac{1}{n+1}} < \log\left(1 + \frac{1}{n+1}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{n+2} < \log\left(\frac{n+2}{n+1}\right)$

⋮  
 $x = \frac{1}{2n-1}$  then  $\frac{\frac{1}{2n-1}}{1+\frac{1}{2n-1}} < \log\left(1 + \frac{1}{2n-1}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2n} < \log\left(\frac{2n}{2n-1}\right)$

Adding we get

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \frac{1}{n+3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n+n} &< \log\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right) + \log\left(\frac{n+2}{n+1}\right) + \dots + \log\left(\frac{2n}{2n-1}\right) \\ &= \log \frac{n+1}{n} \cdot \frac{n+2}{n+1} \cdot \frac{n+3}{n+2} \cdots \frac{2n}{2n-1} \\ &= \log\left(\frac{2n}{n}\right) = \log 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} < \log 2 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\therefore \text{from (2) \& (3)} \quad \log\left(\frac{2n+1}{n+1}\right) < \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2n} < \log 2.$$

7(d) Prove that  $\int_0^1 \frac{x^{m-1} + x^{n-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx = B(m, n)$

where  $m, n$  are both positive.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{sol'n: } B(m, n) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx + \int_1^\infty \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

In the second integral of R.H.S of ①, put  $x = \frac{1}{t}$ ,

so that

$$dx = -\frac{1}{t^2} dt$$

when  $x=1, t=1$ ; when  $x \rightarrow \infty, t=0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_1^\infty \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx &= \int_1^\infty \frac{\left(\frac{1}{t}\right)^{m-1}}{\left(1+\frac{1}{t}\right)^{m+n}} \left(-\frac{1}{t^2}\right) dt \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{t^{m-1}} \cdot \frac{t^{m+n}}{(1+t)^{m+n}} \cdot \frac{1}{t^2} dt \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{t^{n-1}}{(1+t)^{m+n}} dt = \int_0^1 \frac{x^{n-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \\ &\left[ \because \int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(z) dz \right] \end{aligned}$$

∴ from ①

$$\begin{aligned} B(m, n) &= \int_0^1 \frac{x^{m-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx + \int_0^1 \frac{x^{n-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{x^{m-1} + x^{n-1}}{(1+x)^{m+n}} dx \\ &= \underline{\underline{\quad}}. \end{aligned}$$

→ 8(a)(i) Using Cauchy's theorem / Cauchy integral formula evaluate  $\int_C \frac{2 dz}{z^2+1}$ , where C is

$$(a) \left| z + \frac{1}{2} \right| = 2, \quad (b) |z+i| = 1.$$

Sol'n: (a) Let  $I = \int_C \frac{2 dz}{z^2+1}$ , where C is (a)  $|z + \frac{1}{2}| = 2$

$$\left| z + \frac{1}{2} \right| = 2 \Rightarrow |z^2 + 1| = |z^2| \Rightarrow |x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy + 1| = 2|x+iy|$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - y^2 + 1)^2 + 4x^2y^2 = 4(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2)^2 + 1 = 2x^2 + 6y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 1)^2 + 2(x^2 + y^2) = 2x^2 + 6y^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + y^2 - 1)^2 = 4y^2 \Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 1 = \pm 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-0)^2 + (y \pm 1)^2 = 2$$

⇒ circle  $C_1$ , centre  $(0, 1)$ ,  $r_1 = \sqrt{2}$  and circle  $C_2$ , centre  $(0, -1)$ ,  $r_2 = \sqrt{2}$

⇒  $C_1$ :  $|z-i| = \sqrt{2}$  and  $C_2$ :  $|z+i| = \sqrt{2}$

$$I = \int_C \frac{2 dz}{(z+i)(z-i)} = \int_{C_1} \frac{2 dz}{(z+i)(z-i)} + \int_{C_2} \frac{2 dz}{(z+i)(z-i)}$$

Take  $f = \frac{2}{z+i}$  for  $C_1$  and  $g = \frac{2}{z-i}$  for  $C_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } I &= \int_{C_1} \frac{f(z) dz}{z-i} + \int_{C_2} \frac{g(z) dz}{z+i} \\ &= 2\pi i [f(i) + g(-i)], \text{ by Cauchy's integral formula} \\ &= 2\pi i \left[ \left( \frac{2}{z+i} \right)_{\text{at } z=i} + \left( \frac{2}{z-i} \right)_{\text{at } z=-i} \right] \\ &= 2\pi i \left[ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right] = 2\pi i \end{aligned}$$

(b) Let  $I = \int_C \frac{z dz}{z^2 + 1}$ , where  $C$  is  $|z+i|=1$ .

Centre of circle  $C$  is at  $z=-i$  and radius 1.

Take  $f(z) = \frac{z}{z-i}$ , then  $I = \int_C \frac{f(z)dz}{z+i}$

$$\therefore I = 2\pi i f(-i) = 2\pi i \left(\frac{-i}{-i-i}\right) \text{ at } z=-i \text{ or}$$

$$I = \pi i$$

(iii) If  $a > 0$ , use Rouché's theorem to prove that the equation  $e^z = az^n$  has  $n$  roots inside the circle  $|z|=1$ .

Soln: Let  $C$  denote the circle  $|z|=1$ , the given equation may be written as  $az^n - e^z = 0$ .

We write,  $f(z) = az^n$  and  $g(z) = -e^z$

They evidently both  $f(z)$  and  $g(z)$  are analytic within and on  $C$ .

Also we have

$$\left| \frac{g(z)}{f(z)} \right| = \left| \frac{-e^z}{az^n} \right| = \frac{e^z}{|a||z^n|}$$

$$= \frac{e^z}{a|z|^n} \quad (\because a \text{ is real +ve})$$

$$= \frac{1 + z + \frac{z^2}{2!} + \frac{z^3}{3!} + \dots}{a|z|^n}$$

$$\leq \frac{1 + |z| + \frac{1}{2!}|z|^2 + \frac{1}{3!}|z|^3 + \dots}{a|z|^n}$$

$$= \frac{1 + 1 + 1 + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \dots}{a} \quad \text{as } |z|=1 \\ \text{on } C.$$

$$= \frac{e}{a} < 1 \quad (\because a > e)$$

thus  $|g(z)| < |f(z)|$  on  $C$

Hence all the conditions of Rouché's theorem are satisfied so that  $f(z) + g(z) = az^n - e^z$  has the same number of zeros as  $f(z) = az^n$  inside  $C$ .

But  $az^n$  has  $n$  zeros all located at the origin which is the centre of  $C$ .

It follows that  $az^n - e^z$  has  $n$  zeros inside  $C$  as required.

8(b)

find the Taylor's or Laurent's series which represent the function

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{(z+2)(z-2)}$$

- (i) when  $|z| < 1$
- (ii)  $1 < |z| < 2$
- (iii)  $|z| > 2$ .

Sol:

Resolving  $f(z)$  into partial fractions.

$$\text{we obtain } f(z) = \frac{1}{5} \left[ \frac{1}{z+2} - \frac{2-z}{2z+1} \right]$$

(i) For  $|z| < 1$ ,  $f(z)$  is analytic and so we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{z} \right]^{-1} - \frac{1}{5} (2-z) \left( 1 + \frac{1}{z} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \left[ 1 - \frac{z}{2} + \frac{z^2}{2^2} + \dots + (-1)^n \frac{z^n}{2^n} + \dots \right] \\ &\quad - \frac{2-z}{5} \left[ 1 - z^2 + z^4 - z^6 + \dots + (-1)^n z^{2n} + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^n}{2^n} - \frac{(2-z)}{5} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n z^{2n}. \end{aligned}$$

This series being in the  $\pm$  powers of  $z$  represents Taylor's expansion for  $f(z)$ .

(ii)  $1 < |z| < 2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{z} \right)^{-1} - \frac{2-z}{5} \frac{1}{z^2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{z} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \left[ 1 - \frac{z}{2} + \frac{z^2}{2^2} - \frac{z^3}{2^3} + \dots \right] - \frac{2-z}{5z^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{z^2} - \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{z^n}{2^n} - \frac{2-z}{5z^2} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{z^n} \\ &\quad (\because |z| > 1, \Rightarrow \frac{1}{z} < 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^2} < 1) \end{aligned}$$

so the binomial expansion  $\left(1 + \frac{1}{z}\right)^{-1}$  is valid)

The above series being in positive and negative powers of  $z$  represents Laurent's expansion for  $f(z)$  in the region  $1 < |z| < 2$ .

(iii) for  $|z| > 2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(z) &= \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{2}{z} \right)^{-1} - \frac{1}{5} (2-z) \frac{1}{z^2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{z} \right)^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \left[ 1 - \frac{z}{2} + \frac{z^2}{2^2} - \frac{z^3}{2^3} + \dots \right] - \frac{2-z}{5z^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{z^2} - \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{2}{z}\right)^n - \frac{2-z}{5} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{z^{2n}} \end{aligned}$$



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8.(c)

obtain the dual of the LP program:

Min.  $Z = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$ ; subject to the constraints :

$$x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 5$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 \leq 3$$

$$2x_2 - x_3 \geq 4$$

$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$  and  $x_3$  is unrestricted.

Solve:

Transform the given LPP into the standard primal form by substituting  $x_3 = x_3' - x_3''$ , where  $x_3' \geq 0$ ,  $x_3'' \geq 0$ .

$$\text{Max. } Z_x' = -x_1 - x_2 - (x_3' - x_3'') ; \quad Z_x' = -Z$$

Subject to constraints:

$$x_1 - 3x_2 + 4(x_3' - x_3'') \leq 5$$

$$-x_1 + 3x_2 - 4(x_3' - x_3'') \leq -5$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 \leq 3$$

$$-2x_2 + (x_3' - x_3'') \leq -4$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3', x_3'' \geq 0$$

Let;  $w_1', w_1'', w_2, w_3$  be the dual variables.

The dual problem of above standard primal is obtained as :

$$\text{Min } Z_w' = 5(w_1' - w_1'') + 3w_2 - 4w_3$$

Subject to constraints:

$$(w_1' - w_1'') + w_2 + 0w_3 \geq -1$$

$$-3(w_1' - w_1'') + (-2)w_2 - 2w_3 \geq -1$$

$$4(w_1' - w_1'') + 0w_2 + w_3 \geq -1.$$

$$-4(w_1' - w_1'') + 0w_2 - w_3 \geq 1.$$

$$w_1', w_1'', w_2, w_3 \geq 0$$

This dual can be written in more compact form as:

$$\text{Max } Z_w = -5w_1 - 3w_2 + 4w_3$$

Subject to constraints.

$$-w_1 - w_2 \leq 1$$

$$3w_1 + 2w_2 + 2w_3 \leq 1$$

$$-4w_1 - w_3 = 1$$

$w_2, w_3 \geq 0$  and  $w_1$  is unrestricted

which is required dual.

8.(d)

A product is produced by four factories  $f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4$ . The unit production costs in them are Rs 2, Rs 3, Rs 1 and Rs 5 respectively. Their production capacities are  $f_1=50$  units,  $f_2=70$  units,  $f_3=30$  units,  $f_4=50$  units. These factories supply the product to four stores  $s_1, s_2, s_3$  and  $s_4$ , demands of which are 25, 35, 105, and 20 units respectively. Unit transport cost in rupees from each factory to each store is given in the table. Determine the extent of deliveries from each of the factories to each of the stores so that the total production and transportation cost is minimum.

	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$
$f_1$	2	4	6	11
$f_2$	10	8	7	5
$f_3$	13	3	9	12
$f_4$	4	6	8	3

Sol: First of all we shall form a new table of unit costs which consists of both production and transportation costs. The new cost matrix is given below

	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$a_i$
$f_1$	$2+f_2$	$4+f_2$	$6+f_2$	$11+f_2$	
$f_2$	$10+f_2$	$8+f_3$	$7+f_3$	$5+f_3$	
$f_3$	$13+f_1$	$3+f_1$	$9+f_1$	$12+f_1$	
$f_4$	$4+f_5$	$6+f_5$	$8+f_5$	$3+f_5$	
Demand by	25	35	105	20	

Since  $\sum a_i \neq \sum b_j$

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it is an unbalanced transportation problem with surplus capacity = 15 units.

Therefore, we create a dummy store  $S_5$  with associated cost coefficients which are taken as zero.

Therefore, the starting cost matrix becomes:

	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	
$F_1$	4	6	8	12	0	50
$F_2$	13	11	10	8	0	70
$F_3$	14	4	10	13	0	30
$F_4$	9	11	13	8	0	50
	25	35	105	20	15	

Using the Vogel's Approximation method, the initial basic feasible solution is given by

(25)	(5)	(20)			
13	11	(70)	8	0	
14	(30)	10	13	0	
9	11	(5)	(20)	(15)	

which is non-degenerate basic feasible solution.

since the no. of allocations  $= m+n-1$   
 $= 4+5-1$

now finding the values of  $u_i$  and  $v_j$ :

$$= 8 \text{ (basic variables)}$$

As the maximum no of basic cells

exists in the first row and 3<sup>rd</sup> column.

putting either  $u_1=0$  or  $v_3=0$

let  $u_1=0$  and the values of  $u_i$ 's and  $v_j$ 's  
 and also the net evaluations  $s_{ij} = c_{ij} + v_j - u_i$

for all unoccupied cells are exhibited as shown below.

25	5	20	-1	7	0
-1	11	10	8	0	2
94	30	10	13	8	-2
91	11	13	28	15	5
4	6	8	3	-5	

Since all the net evaluations are  $\leq 0$  and at least one  $a_{ij} = 0$ , the current initial basic feasible solution is optimal but not unique.

There exists alternate optimal solution.  
 Therefore one of the optimal solutions becomes

$$x_{11} = 25, \quad x_{12} = 5, \quad x_{13} = 20$$

$$x_{23} = 20, \quad x_{32} = 30, \quad x_{43} = 15,$$

$$x_{44} = 20, \quad x_{45} = 15$$

with optimum transportation plan  
 product cost = 1465 -

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