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B.Sc. (Non-Medical) (Semester – 4th)

ALGEBRA-I

Subject Code: BSNMS1-406

Paper ID: [22131422]

Time: 03 Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Instruction for candidates:

1. Section A is compulsory. It consists of 10 parts of two marks each.
2. Section B consist of 5 questions of 5 marks each. The student has to attempt any 4 questions out of it.
3. Section C consist of 3 questions of 10 marks each. The student has to attempt any 2 questions.

Section – A

(2 marks each)

Q1. Attempt the following:

- a) What is an Abelian group? Give example.
- b) Define complex root of unity.
- c) Show that if in a group G , $a^2 = e$ for every $a \in G$, then G is Abelian group.
- d) Define cyclic subgroups.
- e) Show that the union of two subgroups is a subgroup.
- f) What is index of a subgroup?
- g) Define quotient group with example.
- h) Show that a cyclic group is abelian.
- i) Show that every quotient group of a cyclic group is cyclic.
- j) Write all permutation of $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$.

Section – B

(5 marks each)

Q2. If G is an abelian group, then for all $a, b \in G$ and for all integers n .

$$\text{Show that } (ab)^n = a^n b^n$$

Q3. If N is a normal subgroup of a group G . Show that $\frac{G}{N}$ is abelian iff $xyx^{-1}y^{-1} \in N$.

Q4. A sub group H of a group G is said to be normal iff $g^{-1}hg \in H \forall h \in H, g \in G$.

Q5. Show that every group of a prime order is cyclic.

Q6. Discuss the symmetry group of an equilateral triangle.

Section – C

(10 marks each)

Q7. Show that the order of any subgroup of a finite group divides the order of group.

Q8. Show that any non-identity permutation of a finite set can be expressed uniquely as a product of disjoint cycles, each of length greater than 1.

Q9. Let H and K be any two subgroups of a group G , then HK is a subgroup of G iff $HK = KH$