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MATHEMATICS-I

Algebra

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Time : 1½ Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Attempt all the Sections as per instructions.

**Section-A**

**(Very Short Answer Questions)**

Note : Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 5 marks. Very short answer is required.  $2 \times 5 = 10$

1. Define a normal subgroup of a group. Is  $N = \{1, -1\}$  is a normal subgroup of the multiplicative group  $G = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$ , if yes, show it.

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2. Show that the relation of conjugacy in a group  $G$  is an equivalence relation on  $G$ .
3. Define Euclidean domain.
4. Show that the polynomial  $x^3 - 3$  is irreducible over field of rationals.
5. Define solvable group with an example.

**Section-B**

**(Short Answer Questions)**

Note : Attempt any *one* question out of the following three questions. Each question carries 10 marks. Short answer is required.  $1 \times 10 = 10$

6. If  $H$  is a subgroup of a group  $G$  and  $N$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ , show that  $H \cap N$  is a normal subgroup of  $H$ .

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7. Let  $S$  be an ideal of a commutative ring  $R$ . Show that the ring of residue classes  $R/S$  is an integral domain if and only if  $S$  is a prime ideal.
8. Show that any two finite fields having the same number of elements are isomorphic.

### Section-C

#### (Detailed Answer Questions)

**Note :** Attempt any *two* questions out of the following five questions. Each questions carries 15 marks.  
Answer is required in detail.  $2 \times 15 = 30$

9. Show that a mapping  
 $f : G \rightarrow G$  defined by  $f(x) = x^{-1} \forall x \in G$  is an automorphism of  $G$  if and only if  $G$  is abelian.

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10. Let  $p$  be a prime and  $m$  be a positive integer such that  $p^m$  divides  $O(G)$ . Show that there exists a subgroup  $H$  of the group  $G$  such that  $O(H) = p^m$ .
11. Show that any ring can be imbedded into a ring with unity.
12. Show that product of two primitive polynomials is again a primitive polynomial.
13. Let  $p$  be a prime and  $n \geq 1$  be an integer. Show that there exists a field with  $p^n$  elements.