

M.Sc. (Maths) Semester - 2 (CBCS) Examination
August/September -2020 [NEW COURSE]
Algebra – 2 (CORE)

Time: 2:00 Hours**Marks: 56****Instructions:**

1. Figure to the right indicate marks.
2. There are five questions in the question paper.
3. Answer any four of the following questions.

Q-1 Attempt any *seven*:**(14)**

- (a) Find $[C : R]$.
- (b) Define separable extension.
- (c) Let F be a field with $\text{char} F = p = 0$. Does the polynomial $x^p - x$ in $F[x]$, $n > 1$ has distinct roots ?
- (d) State fundamental theorem of algebra.
- (e) Define $\text{Aut}(K)$, where K is a field.
- (f) Express $x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$ in the elementary symmetric functions in x_1, x_2, x_3 .
- (g) Define submodule.
- (h) Define cyclic module.
- (i) Let R be a ring with unity, and let M be an R -module generated by $0 = x \in M$. Then show that M is simple.
- (j) Define completely reducible module

Q-2 Attempt any *two*:**(14)**

- (a) If L is a finite extension of K and if K is a finite extension of F then show that L is a finite extension of F .
- (b) Show that K is a normal extension of F , if K is the splitting field of some polynomial over F .
- (c) Find the degree of the splitting field of $x^4 + 4$ over Q .

Q-3 Answer the following.**(14)**

- (a) State fundamental theorem of Galois theory.
- (b) Find $G(K, Q)$ and $K_{G(K, Q)}$, where $K = Q(\sqrt{2})$.

OR

Q-3 Answer the following.**(14)**

- (a) Let K be a normal extension of F , H be a subgroup of $G(K, F)$ and K_H be a fixed field of H . Then show that $[K : K_H] = o(H)$.
- (b) Find the Galois group of $x^2 + 1$ over Q .

Q-4 Attempt any *two*:**(14)**

- (a) Let $(N_j)_{j \in A}$ be a family of R -submodules of an R -module M . Then show that $\bigcap_{j \in A} N_j$ is an R -submodule.
- (b) Let A, B , and C be R -submodules of an R -module M such that $A \subseteq B$. Show that $A \cap (B + C) = B + (A \cap C)$.
- (c) Let M be an additive abelian group. Show that there is only one way of making it a Z -module.

Q-5 Attempt any *two*:**(14)**

- (a) Prove that the submodules of the quotient module, M/N are of the form U/N , where U is a submodule of M containing N .
- (b) State and prove fundamental theorem of R -homomorphisms.
- (c) Let M be a completely reducible module, and let $K = M$ be a submodule of M . Show that M/K is completely reducible.
- (d) Let M be an R -module. Then show that $\text{Hom}_R(M, M)$ is a subring of $\text{Hom}(M, M)$.
