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(2014 Admn. Onwards)
CORE COURSE IN MATHEMATICS
4B04 MAT : Elements of Mathematics – II

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 48

SECTION – A

All the 4 questions are **compulsory**. Each carries 1 mark.

1. Define reflexive relation.
2. Draw an example of a distributive lattice.
3. Find the rank of a square matrix in which every element is 1.

4. Is the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ singular or non singular ? (4×1=4)

SECTION – B

Answer **any 8** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

5. If $f : R \rightarrow R$, $g : R \rightarrow R$ be defined as $f(x) = x^2$, $g(x) = x + 4$, find $g \circ f$.
6. Define a recursive function to obtain the successive terms of the Fibonacci series.
7. Let A be the set of non zero integers and let \approx be the relation on $A \times A$ defined as follows :
(a, b) \approx (c, d) whenever $ad = bc$. Prove that \approx is an equivalence relation.
8. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 12\}$ be ordered by the relation "x divides y". Draw the Hasse diagram.
9. Define minimal and maximal in a partially ordered set.

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10. Find the co-ordinates of the point in which the line $x + y = 6$ is normal to the parabola $y^2 = 8x$.
11. Find the equation of the polar of (x_1, y_1) with respect to the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$.
12. Reduce to normal form, the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$.
13. Find the rank of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$.
14. Find an equation of a common tangent to the parabola $y^2 = 8x$ and the hyperbola $3x^2 - y^2 = 8$. (8×2=16)

SECTION – C

Answer **any 4** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

15. $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = 3x - 7$. Find a formula for f^{-1} .
16. Give examples of relations R on $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ having
 a) R is both symmetric and anti symmetric
 b) R is neither symmetric nor anti symmetric.
17. Let L be a bounded distributive lattice, then prove that complements are unique if they exist.
18. Obtain the equation of the asymptotes to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$.
19. If the normal at the end of the latus rectum of the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ passes through an end of the minor axis, then prove that $e^4 + e^2 = 1$.
20. Find the rank of the following matrix by reducing to the row reduced echelon form

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(4×4=16)



SECTION – D

Answer **any 2** questions. **Each** question carries **6** marks.

21. a) Find R^{-1} if $R = \{(1, 4), (1, 3), (3, 2)\}$

b) Find the inverse of $f(x) = \frac{2x - 3}{5x - 7}$.

22. a) Suppose that R is a partial order on a set A , then show that R^{-1} is also a partial order on A .

b) Show that every finite lattice L is bounded.

23. Find the locus of the point of intersection of perpendicular tangents to the hyperbola

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

24. Using elementary transformation, compute the inverse of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & -1 & -2 \\ -4 & -2 & -3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(2×6=12)
