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**CLASS -I****Equivalence relation**

The binary relation  $\sim$  on  $A$  is said to be an Equivalence relation on  $A$  if for all  $a, b, c$  in  $A$

**1. Reflex**

$$a \sim a$$

**2. Symmetry**

$$a \sim b \Rightarrow b \sim a$$

**3. Transitivity**

$$a \sim b \text{ and } b \sim c \Rightarrow a \sim c$$

**Examples:**

1. Define  $a \sim b$  for all  $a, b \in S$  such that  $a = b$ , Then  $\sim$  is Equivalence relation on  $S$

2. Define  $a \sim b$  for all  $a, b \in S$  such that  $a - b$  is even integer, Then  $\sim$  is Equivalence relation on  $S$

**Equivalence class**

The Equivalence class of  $a \in A$  is the set  $\{ x \in A \mid a \sim x \}$

It is denoted by  $cl(a)$

**Congruent modulo**

Let  $n$  be a fixed positive integer. If  $a$  and  $b$  are integers such that  $a - b$  is divisible by  $n$ , We say that  $a$  is congruent to  $b$  modulo  $n$  and write  $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$

Residue class modulo

$$[a] = \{ x \in \mathbb{Z} \mid x \equiv a \pmod{n} \}$$

**Mapping**

If  $A$  and  $B$  are nonempty sets, then a mapping from  $A$  to  $B$  is a subset of  $A \times B$  such that for every  $a \in A$  there is a unique  $b \in B$  such that  $(a, b) \in A \times B$

$$\text{map } f: A \rightarrow B, f(a) = b, \text{ where } b \text{ is unique in } B$$

**Onto mapping**

The mapping  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is said to be onto, if given  $b \in B$  there exists an element  $a \in A$  such that

$$f(a) = b$$

### One-to-one mapping

The mapping  $f:A \rightarrow B$  is said to be One-to-one mapping, if whenever  $a=b$ , then  $f(a)=f(b)$  or  $a \neq b$ , then  $f(a) \neq f(b)$

### Composition(Product) of functions

If  $f:A \rightarrow B$  and  $g:B \rightarrow C$ , then Composition of  $f$  and  $g$  is a map  $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$  defined by  $(g \circ f)a = g[f(a)]$

### Greatest common division (GCD)

The positive integer  $c$  is said to be Greatest common division of  $a$  and  $b$  if

- (i).  $c$  is a division of  $a$  and  $b$  ( $c \mid a$  and  $c \mid b$ )
- (ii). Any divisor of  $a$  and  $b$  is a divisor of  $c$  ( $d \mid a$  and  $d \mid b \Rightarrow d \mid c$ )

it is denoted by  $(a,b) = c$

### Relative prime

The integers  $a, b$  are called relatively prime, if  $(a,b) = 1$

- If  $a$  and  $b$  are non zero integers, then  $(a,b)$  exists and we can find integers  $m, n$  such that  $(a,b) = ma + nb$
- If  $a, b$  are relatively prime, then there exists  $m, n$  such that  $ma + nb = 1$  ( $(a,b) = ma + nb = 1$ )

### Prime number

The integer  $p > 1$  is a prime number if its only divisors are  $\pm 1, \pm p$

- If  $a$  is relatively prime to  $b$  and  $a \mid bc$ , then  $a \mid c$

### Unique factorization

Any positive integer  $a > 1$  can be factored in a unique way as  $a = p_1^x p_2^y \dots p_n^z$  are prime numbers and each  $x > 0$

### Division Algorithm

Let  $a$  and  $b$  be integers, with  $b > 0$ . Then there exist unique integers  $q$  and  $r$  such that

$$a = bq + r \quad \text{where } 0 \leq r < b.$$

**GROUP:**

A non-empty set  $G$  with binary operation  $*$  is called a group, if the following conditions are satisfied,

**1. Closure:** For all  $a, b \in G \Rightarrow a*b \in G$

**2. Associative:** For all  $a, b, c \in G \Rightarrow a*(b*c) = (a*b)*c$

**3. Identity:** For all  $a \in G$  there exists an element  $e \in G$  such that  $a*e = e*a = a$

**4. Inverse:** For every  $a \in G$  there exists an element  $a^{-1} \in G$  such that  $a*a^{-1} = a^{-1}*a = e$

**Abelian group (or) commutative group:**

A group with commutative property is called an abelian group

That is, For all  $a, b \in G \Rightarrow a*b = b*a$

**Semi group :** A set satisfying closure and associative which is called semi group.

**Monoid:** A set satisfying closure, associative, identity which is called Monoid.

**Order of the Group**

Total number of element in a Group is called order Group

**Example:**

- $(\mathbb{N}, +)$ ,  $(\mathbb{E}, \cdot)$  are semi group.
- $(\mathbb{N}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{Z}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{Q}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{R}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{C}, \cdot)$  are monoid.
- $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ ,  $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$ ,  $(\mathbb{R}, +)$ ,  $(\mathbb{C}, +)$ ,  $(\mathbb{Q} - \{0\}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{R} - \{0\}, \cdot)$ ,  $(\mathbb{C} - \{0\}, \cdot)$  are abelian group.
- The set of all unimodular complex numbers under multiplication of complex numbers is a group.
- The set of all  $m \times n$  matrices under the addition of matrices is an abelian group.
- The set of all  $n \times n$  non-singular matrices under the multiplication of matrices is finite abelian group.
- 4<sup>th</sup> root of unity  $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$  is an abelian group under multiplication.
- $\{1, -1\}$  is a Group under multiplication
- 3<sup>rd</sup> root of unity  $\{1, \omega, \omega^2\}$  is an abelian group under multiplication.
- The set of all  $n$ th root of unities under multiplication of complex number is an abelian group.
- $\mathbb{Z}_5 = \{[0], [1], [2], [3], [4]\}$ , the set of all residue of integer modulo 5 under addition modulo 5 is an abelian Group.

11.  $Z_p$  is an abelian, where  $p$  is prime number.

12.  $(E, +)$  is an abelian group, where  $E$  is the set of even numbers.

13.  $G = \{2^n / n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  is a group under multiplication. [identity  $2^0$ , inverse of  $2^n$  is  $2^{-n}$ ]

14.  $G = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4\}$  defined by  $f_1(z) = z, f_2(z) = -z, f_3(z) = \frac{1}{z}, f_4(z) = -\frac{1}{z}$  is an abelian group under composition of mapping. [  $f_1$  is identity, inverse of  $f_1$  is  $f_1$ , inverse of  $f_2$  is  $f_2$ , inverse of  $f_3$  is  $f_3$ , inverse of  $f_4$  is  $f_4$ ,]

15.  $(\mathbb{Z}, *)$  is a finite abelian group where  $*$  is defined as  $a * b = a + b + 2$

Identity  $e = -2$ , Inverse of  $a$  is,  $a^{-1} = -a - 4$

16. set of all matrices of the form  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix} / x \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\} \right\}$  is a group under matrix multiplication.

Identity  $E = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ , Inverse of  $A = \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix}$  is,  $A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{4x} & \frac{1}{4x} \\ \frac{1}{4x} & \frac{1}{4x} \end{pmatrix}$ ,

17.  $G$  be the set of all rational number except 1 and  $*$  be defined on  $G$  by  $a * b = a + b - ab$ , then

$(G, *)$  is an abelian group. { Identity  $e = 0$ , Inverse of  $a$  is,  $a^{-1} = \frac{a}{a-1}$  }

18. Let  $G = S_3$  be the set of one-one mappings of the set  $\{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$  onto itself, It is a Group of order 6 under the product

19. Let  $n$  be a integer.  $G = \{ a^i / i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, (n-1) \}$  is a group under multiplication

20. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers, such that  $ad - bc \neq 0$  is a Group under multiplication.

21. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers, such that  $ad - bc = 1$  is a Group under multiplication.

22. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers, not both zero, such that  $a^2 + b^2 \neq 0$  is an abelian Group under multiplication.

23. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers, not both zero, such that  $ad \neq 0$  is an abelian Group under multiplication.

24. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are integers modulo 2, such that  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . Using matrix multiplications as the operation in  $G$ , then  $G$  is a group of order 6.

**Solution:**

In the first row of any matrix belonging to  $G$ , each entry could be 0 or 1 in  $Z_2$ , but  $(0, 0)$  should be excluded since  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . Hence we have  $2^2 - 1$  different choices for the first row. The second row is not a multiple of the first row. Hence  $G$  has  $(2^2 - 1)2$  elements, namely 6.

$$G = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

25. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are integers modulo 3, such that  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . Using matrix multiplications as the operation in  $G$ , then  $G$  is a group of order 48.

**Solution:**

In the first row of any matrix belonging to  $G$ , each entry could be 0 or 1 in  $Z_2$ , but  $(0, 0)$  should be excluded since  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . Hence we have  $3 \times 3 - 1$  different choices for the first row. The second row is not a multiple of the first row. Second row  $(3 \times 3) - 3$  possibilities. Hence the number of elements in  $D$  is  $8 \times 6 = 48$ .

**Properties:**

If  $G$  be the group,

1. The identity element of  $G$  is unique.

2. Every  $a \in G$  has a unique inverse in  $G$ .

3. For every  $a \in G$ ,  $(a^{-1})^{-1} = a$ .

4. For all  $a, b \in G$ ,  $(a * b)^{-1} = b^{-1} * a^{-1}$

5. For all  $a, b \in G$ ,

$$(i) a * b = a * c \Rightarrow b = c \text{ [left cancellation law]}$$

$$(ii) b * a = c * a \Rightarrow b = c \text{ [right cancellation law]}$$

6. For all  $a, b \in G$ , the equation  $a * x = b$  and  $y * a = b$  have unique solution for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $G$ , the solutions are  $x = a^{-1} * b$  and  $y = b * a^{-1}$ .

7.  $(a * b)^2 = a^2 * b^2$  for all  $a, b \in G$  iff  $G$  is an abelian group.

8. If every element of a group  $G$  is its own inverse, then  $G$  is an abelian.

9. every group of order FOUR is an abelian.

9. If  $G$  is a group in which  $(a * b)^k = a^k * b^k$  for all three consecutive integers  $k$  and for all  $a, b \in G$ , then  $G$  is an abelian.

10. If the Group  $G$  has three element, it must be abelian.

11. A group having 4 or less than 4 elements is an abelian group.

12. If  $G$  is a finite group, then there exists a positive integer  $N$  such that  $a^N = e$  for all  $a \in G$ .

13. If  $G$  is a group of even order, prove that it has an element  $a \neq e$  satisfying  $a^2 = e$

14. If  $G$  is group of prime order, Then  $G$  is an abelian (TRB-2004)

### SUBGROUP:

A non empty subset  $H$  of a group  $G$  is called a subgroup of  $G$  if  $H$  itself form a group under the same operation defined on  $G$ .

#### Example

1.  $(\mathbb{E}, +)$  is a subgroup of  $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$

2.  $\{1, -1\}$  is subgroup of  $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$

3.  $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$  is subgroup of  $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$

4.  $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$  is subgroup of  $(\mathbb{R}, +)$

5.  $n\mathbb{Z}$  is a subgroup of  $\mathbb{Z}$  under addition, where  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

6. Let  $G$  be the Group of integers under addition,  $H$  the subset consisting of the multiples of 5, then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

7. Let  $G$  be the Group of nonzero real numbers under multiplication, and let  $H$  be the subset of positive rational numbers, then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

8. Let  $a$  and  $b$  be integers.

Prove that the subset  $a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z} = \{ak + bl \mid k, l \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  is a subgroup of  $\mathbb{Z}$

9. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  with  $ad - bc \neq 0$  Using matrix multiplication

10. Let  $H = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix} \in G \mid ad \neq 0 \right\}$ , then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$

11. Let  $G$  be the Group of all nonzero complex numbers  $a+ib$  ( $a, b$  real, not both zero) under multiplication, and  $H = \{a+ib \in G \mid a^2 + b^2 = 1\}$  is a subgroup of  $G$

## The center of a Group

The center of a group  $G$  is  $Z(G) = \{x \in G / ax = xa \text{ for all } a \in G\}$ , Then  $Z(G)$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

### Normalizer (or) centralizer

$N(a) = \{x \in G \setminus ax = xa\}$  is a subgroup of  $G$  and it is called Normalizer of  $G$ .  $N(a)$  is a subgroup of  $G$

The center of  $G$  is the intersection of all the centralizer subgroups of  $G$ .

### Theorem

- A non empty subset  $H$  of a group  $G$  is a subset of  $G \Leftrightarrow$  (i)  $a, b \in H \Rightarrow a*b \in H$   
(ii)  $a \in H \Rightarrow a^{-1} \in H$
- A non empty subset  $H$  of a group  $G$  is a subset of  $G \Leftrightarrow a, b \in H \Rightarrow a*b^{-1} \in H$
- If  $H$  is a non empty subset finite subset of a group  $G$  and  $H$  is closed under the product in  $G$ , then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are any two non empty subgroup of  $G$ , then  $(H * K)^{-1} = K^{-1} * H^{-1}$
- A non empty subset  $H$  of a group  $G$  is a subset of  $G$ ,  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$  iff  $HH = H$  and  $H^{-1} = H$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are subgroup of  $G$ ,  $HK$  is subgroup of  $G$  iff  $HK = KH$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are subgroup of  $G$ , then  $H \cap K$  is also a subgroup of  $G$
- Intersection of any number of subgroups of  $G$  is a subgroup of  $G$
- $H \cup K$  is a subgroup of  $G$  iff  $H \subset K$  or  $K \subset H$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are subgroup of abelian group  $G$ ,  $HK$  is subgroup of  $G$ .
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are two subgroup of a finite group  $G$ , and  $H \subseteq K$  Then  $[G: H] = [G: K][K: H]$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are two finite subgroup of a group  $G$  and if  $O(H), O(K)$  are relatively prime,  
then  $H \cap K = \{e\}$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are finite subgroup of  $G$ , Then  $o(HK) = \frac{o(H)o(K)}{o(H \cap K)}$
- If  $H$  and  $K$  are subgroup of a finite group  $G$  and  $o(H) > \sqrt{o(G)}, o(K) > \sqrt{o(G)}$  then  $H \cap K \neq \{e\}$
- $aHa^{-1} = \{aha^{-1} | h \in H\}$  is a sub group of  $G$



QUESTIONS FOR FIRST CLASS WITH ANSWER

- Which of the following is not a Group  
 (a)  $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$       (b)  $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$       (c)  $(\mathbb{R}, \cdot)$       (d)  $(\mathbb{Q} - \{0\}, \cdot)$
- $(\mathbb{Z}, *)$  is an finite abelian group where  $*$  is defined as  $a*b = a+b+2$ , then inverse element of  $a \in G$  is,  
 (a)  $a-4$       (b)  $-a-4$       (c)  $-a+4$       (d)  $-a-2$
- $G = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & a \\ a & a \end{pmatrix} : a \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\} \right\}$  is a Group under multiplication, then inverse of  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  is  
 (a)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$       (b)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix}$       (c)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{8} & \frac{1}{8} \\ \frac{1}{8} & \frac{1}{8} \end{pmatrix}$       (d)  $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$
- Let  $G = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4\}$  is a Group under composition of the functions, then invers of  $f_3$  is, where  $f_1(z) = z, f_2(z) = -z, f_3(z) = \frac{1}{z}, f_4(z) = -\frac{1}{z}$   
 (a)  $f_1$       (b)  $f_2$       (c)  $f_3$       (d)  $f_4$
- Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are integers modulo 3, such that  $ad - bc \neq 0$  Using matrix multiplications as the operation in  $G$ , then  $G$  is a group of order  
 (a) 48.      (b) 18      (c) 6      (d) 24
- If  $G$  is a finite group of  $n$ , then for every  $a \in G$ , we have  
 (a)  $a^n = e$       (b)  $a^n = a^{-1}$       (c)  $a^n = a$       (d) None of these
- $\{1, -1\}$  is a sub group of the group under multiplication  
 (a)  $\{1, I, -i\}$       (b)  $\{1, -1, i, -i\}$       (c)  $\{1, 0, -1, i\}$       (d)  $\{-1, I, -I\}$
- If  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  are two identity element of group  $G$ , then  
 (a)  $e_1 = e_2$       (b)  $e_1 \neq e_2$       (c)  $e_1 = c e_2$       (d) None of these
- If  $G$  is a group, then for all  $a, b \in G$   
 (a)  $(ab)^{-1} = a^{-1}b^{-1}$       (b)  $(ab)^{-1} = b^{-1}a^{-1}$       (c)  $(ab)^{-1} = ab$       (d)  $(ab)^{-1} = ba$
- If  $G$  is a group, such that  $(ab)^n = a^n b^n$  for three consecutive integers  $n$  for all  $a, b \in G$ , then  $G$  is  
 (a) abelian      (b) non-abelian      (c) cyclic      (d) additive group

11. Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  where  $a, b, c, d$  are integers modulo 2, such that  $ad - bc \neq 0$ . Using matrix multiplications as the operation in  $G$ , then  $G$  is a group of order is,
- (a) 2                      (b) 3                      (c) 4                      (d) 6
12. If  $H_1$  and  $H_2$  are two subgroups of  $G$ , then following is also a group of  $G$
- (a)  $H_1 \cap H_2$                       (b)  $H_1 \cup H_2$                       (c)  $H_1 H_2$                       (d) None of these
13. If  $axa = b$ , then  $x$  is equal to
- (a)  $a^{-1}b$                       (b)  $a^{-1}b^{-1}$                       (c)  $a^{-1}b^{-1}b^{-1}$                       (d)  $a^{-1}ba^{-1}$
14. If  $G$  is a Group, for  $a \in G$ ,  $N(a)$  is the normalizer of  $a$ , then for all  $x \in N(a)$
- (a)  $xa = ax$                       (b)  $xa = e$                       (c)  $ax = e$                       (d)  $xa \neq ax$
15. If  $G$  is a group such that  $a^2 = e$  for all  $a \in G$ , then  $G$  is
- (a) abelian group                      (b) non abelian group                      (c) ring                      (d) field
16. If  $G$  is a group and  $a \in G$ , such that  $a^2 = a$ , then 'a' is equal to
- (a) identity element                      (b) inverse                      (c) zero element                      (d) None of these
17. If  $H, K$  are two subgroups of  $G$ , then  $HK$  is a subgroup of  $G$ , iff
- (a)  $HK = 1$                       (b)  $HK = KH$                       (c)  $HK = H^{-1}K^{-1}$                       (d) None of these
18. For all  $a, b \in G$ , the equation  $a*x = b$  and  $y*a = b$  have unique solution for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $G$ , the solutions are
- (a)  $x = a*b$  and  $y = ba$                       (b)  $x = ab^{-1}$  and  $y = a^{-1}*b$   
(c)  $x = a^{-1}*b$  and  $y = b*a^{-1}$ .                      (d)  $x = b*a^{-1}$  and  $y = a^{-1}*b$
19. If  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ , then which of the following correct
- (i)  $H^{-1} = H$                       (ii)  $h \in H \Rightarrow h^{-1} \in H$                       (iii)  $H^{-1} \neq H$                       (iv)  $h^{-1} \in H^{-1}$  then  $h \in H$
- (a) (i), (ii)                      (b) (ii), (iii), (iv)                      (c) (i), (ii), (iv)                      (d) (i), (iv)
20. If  $H$  and  $K$  are two finite subgroups with order 6 and 5 of a group  $G$ , then  $O(H \cap K)$  is,
- (a) 1                      (b) 6                      (c) 5                      (d) 30

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