

IIIT DELHI:

Q-1 What is compact set?

By giving union of closed set, it was asked why it can't be reducible to finite subcovering.

(\because open subcovering is reducible not closed) - Ans.

Q-2 Uniform continuity:

$$\frac{1}{x}, \sin \frac{1}{x}, x$$

Q-3 Prime Ideal and Maximal ideal result based question off to prove integral domain and field respectively.

Proving the same result with the help of Chinese Remainder Theorem.

Q-4 Number of Elements in Quotient Group.
 \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R} -

Q-5. Special property about conjugacy class of elements of S_n . ("if and only if" form result)
(Ans - same kind of cyclic decomposition have same conjugacy class.)

Q-6. A linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is s.t.:

$$T(x, y) = (0, y)$$

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IIT KHARAGPUR:

Q-1 Define \mathbb{Z}_n .

Q-2 When \mathbb{Z}_n will form group w.r.t. multiplication?

Q-3 Can we find subset of \mathbb{Z}_n for every n s.t. it forms a group w.r.t. multiplication?
(Ans - $U(n)$)

Q-4 Number of element in $U(n)$.

Q-5 When $U(n)$ will be cyclic?

Q-6 Generator of $U(n)$.

By giving a group $U(n)$ and asked to find generators of that group. Will there be more or not? (I gave one, then last one was asked.)

Q-7. Fundamental theorem of finite abelian group.

Q-8 By giving a number, it was asked how many abelian group will be there of that order upto isomorphism.

Written Test :

Q-1 Linear Algebra : Based on Cayley-Hamilton Theorem, Matrix Related

Q-2 Calculus (B.Sc. 1st sem) - area of curve.

Q-3 ODE : Solution by Laplace transformation.

Q-4 Topology

Q-5 Complex Analysis

Spiral

IIT DELHI:

Q-1 Let G be a group. H be a normal subgroup of G .
If $xy \in H$. Prove that $yx \in H$.

Q-2 Let G be a group. H be a subgroup of G s.t. $g \in G$ and $o(g) = n$,
and $g^m \in H$ where $\gcd(m, n) = 1$. Can we say $g \in H$?

Q-3 Prove that $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}) = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3})$

Q-4 Prove that roots of a ^{monic} $f(x) \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ can't belong to \mathbb{Q} .

Q-5 Why order of finite field is p^n . Detailed questions related it.

Q-6 How to find mapping from z -plane to w -plane?
(Find a mapping that maps ^{unit circle} to horizontal, vertical lines)

Q-7 what does $e^{i\theta}$ represent?

Q-8 Mobius Transformation.

Q-9 Under mobius transformation circles or straight lines mapped into what?

Q-10 Fixed point of mobius transformation.

Q-11 Discrete metric space.
(open ball, closed ball)

Q-12 Metric space definitions.

Written Test:

① Linear Algebra: Based on Cayley Hamilton theorem.

② Permutation/Combination: Inequality based solution (R.D. Sharma)

Spiral

- 1) Probability Theory : Baye's Theorem.
- 2) Based on definition of differentiability
- 3) Topology
- 4) Abstract Algebra - Symmetric group related.

IISER KOLKATA:

Q-1 Define prime Ideals and Maximal Ideals. Give relation between them.
(with Proof and example)

Q-2 Give an example of a non-zero prime ideal that is not maximal.
(Every Details about above two questions).

Q-3 Suppose G_1 and G_2 be two ~~finite~~ abelian groups s.t. H_1 and H_2 be their normal subgroups respectively. Also, $G_1 \cong G_2, H_1 \cong H_2$.
Can we conclude that $G_1/H_1 \cong G_2/H_2$.

(Answer : No
Example : Let $G_1 = G_2 = \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_4$
and $H_1 = \langle (0, 2) \rangle, H_2 = \langle (1, 0) \rangle$)

IIT Hyderabad :

Q-1 (a) Define eigenvalue.

(b) Define eigenvector. What is scalar 'c' when we define eigenvector.

Q-2 How many eigenvectors can be there for L.T. on finite dimensional vector space.

Prove the above result without considering matrix and hence determinant approach. i.e. Prove the above result ~~with~~ by just the help of linear operator T and eigenvector v (that's all we know).

Q-3 What kind of matrices are similar to identity matrix? (Answer: Only identity matrix)*

Q-4 Given matrices A and B with the same characteristic equation. Can we conclude that they define same linear transformation.

For example:
 $A = I_2$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, Both have same characteristic equation but do not similar.

Answer: NO
 (Because, apart from above condition matrices must be similar too)

(*) In fact, more can be said about *
 all scalar matrices are similar to itself.

IIT Gandhinagar

Q-1 Does every vector space has basis?

Q-2. Define finite dimensional vector space.

Q-3. How can we extract basis from given spanning set

Q-4 How will we get to know we have basis set if we don't know about dimension (in finite dimensional vector space).

i.e. we have given a linearly independent vector then how can we approach to basis
indirectly said ↑

Q-4 Let V be a finite dimensional vector space over a field F . 'W' be any subspace.

What condition should be imposed on a linear operator 'T' so that
 $\ker T = W$.

Q-5 Suppose f is continuous function on compact set in a metric space. What information can you conclude from here? i.e. what properties f will have?

Q-6 Suppose $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ is bounded set. And, f is continuous function on E . (E is bdd. but not closed) What condition should be imposed on E other than closedness so that f become bounded.

Q-6 Define alternating group.

Q-7 What do you mean by even permutation? Give an example of even permutation.

Q-8 Give proof of ~~the theorem~~ ^{the theorem},
 "Number of transpositions for an permutation is either even or odd when a permutation is expressed as product of transpositions."

Q-9 ~~Is~~ Is alternating group normal subgroup of S_n ?

Q-10 Give an example of subgroup (other than alternating group) s.t. subgroup of that group is normal in that group having index 2.

Q-11 Consider a group of order 14. Will there exist an ~~subgroup~~ ^{element} of order 7? And tell whether this subgroup will be normal or not?

(By sylow's theorem as well as by Cauchy's Theorem.)