

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Let $M' \xrightarrow{u} M \xrightarrow{v} M'' \rightarrow 0$ be a sequence of A -modules and homomorphisms then show that the sequence $M' \xrightarrow{u} M \xrightarrow{v} M'' \rightarrow 0$ is exact \Leftrightarrow for all A -modules N , the sequence $0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}(M'', N) \xrightarrow{\bar{v}} \text{Hom}(M, N) \xrightarrow{\bar{u}} \text{Hom}(M', N)$ is exact.
17. For any A -module M , then show that the following statements are equivalent :
- M is a flat A -module
 - $M_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is flat $A_{\mathfrak{p}}$ -module for each prime ideal \mathfrak{p} .
 - M_m is a flat A_m -module for each maximal ideal m .
18. Let $A \subseteq B$ be integral domains, B integral over A . Then show that B is a field if and only if A is a field.
19. State and prove Hilbert's Basis theorem.
20. State and prove structure theorem for Artin rings.

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SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Define A -module homomorphism.
2. Define quotient ring.
3. Define tensor product.
4. State local property.
5. Define primary ideal in ring.
6. State Going-up theorem.

7. Define Artinian.
8. Define Noetherian ring.
9. Define Artin ring.
10. Define fractional ideal.

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

11. (a) Show that every ring $A \neq 0$ has at least one maximal ideal.

Or

- (b) If a, b be ideals in a ring A such that $r(a), r(b)$ are coprime then show that a, b are coprime.

12. (a) Let $x_1 \in M, y_1 \in N$ be such that $\sum x_1 \oplus y_1 = 0$ in $M \otimes N$. Then show that there exist finitely generated submodules M_0 of M and N_0 of N such that $\sum x_1 \otimes y_1 = 0$ in $M_0 \otimes N_0$.

Or

- (b) Let M be an A -module. Then show that the following are equivalent :

- (i) $M = 0$
- (ii) $M_{\mathfrak{p}} = 0$ for all prime ideals \mathfrak{p} of A .
- (iii) $M_m = 0$ for all maximal ideals of A .

13. (a) State and prove Going — down theorem.

Or

- (b) Prove that B is a local ring and $m = \text{Ker}(g)$ is its maximal ideal.

14. (a) Prove that in a Noetherian ring A every ideal is a finite intersection of irreducible ideals.

Or

- (b) Prove that in a Noetherian ring every irreducible ideal is primary.

15. (a) Prove that in an Artin ring has only a finite number of maximal ideals.

Or

- (b) Let A be an integral domain. Then prove that A is a Dedekind domain \Leftrightarrow every non-zero fractional ideal of A is invertible.