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## Class $12^{\text {th }}$

Relations \& Functions

| Q.1) | Show that the relation $R$ in set $Z$ given by $R\{(a, b): 2$ divides $a-b\}$ is an Equivalence relation. |
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| Sol.1) | We have, $R=\{(a, b): 2$ divide $a-b\}$ <br> Symmetric : <br> let $(a, b) \in R$ <br> $\Rightarrow a-b$ is divisible by 2 <br> $\Rightarrow a-b=2 \lambda \quad$...... $\{\lambda \in Z\}$ <br> $\Rightarrow b-a=-2 \lambda$ which is also divisible by 2 $\Rightarrow(b, a) \in$ <br> $\therefore \quad \mathrm{R}$ is Symmetric <br> Reflexive: <br> for each $a \in Z$ <br> $\Rightarrow a-a=0$ which is divisible by 2 $\Rightarrow(a, a) \in R$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is Reflexive <br> Transitive : <br> let $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$ $\Rightarrow a-b=2 \lambda \text { and } b-c=2 k \quad \ldots . .\{\lambda, k \in Z\}$ <br> Now, $a-c=(a-b)+(b-c)$ $\Rightarrow a-c=2 \lambda+2 k$ <br> $\Rightarrow a-c=2(\lambda+k)$ which is also divisible by 2 $\Rightarrow(a, c) \in R$ <br> $\therefore \quad R$ is transitive <br> since $R$ is Symmetric, Reflexive and transitive <br> $\therefore R$ is an Equivalence relation ans. |
| Q.2) | Show that the relation R in the set $\mathrm{A}, A=\{x \in z: 0 \leq x \leq 12\}$ given by $R=\{(a, b):(a-b)$ is multiple of 4$\}$ is an equivalence relation. Find the set of all the elements in set $A$ which are related to 1. |
| Sol. 2) | We have, $R=\{(a, b):\|a-b\|$ is multiple of 4$\}$ Symmetric : <br> let $(a, b) \in R$ <br> $\Rightarrow\|a-b\|$ is multiple of 4 $\Rightarrow\|a-b\|=4 \lambda \quad \ldots \ldots .(\lambda \in z)$ <br> $\Rightarrow\|b-a\|=4 \lambda$ which is multiple by 4 $\Rightarrow(b, a) \in R$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is Symmetric <br> Reflexive: $\text { for each } a \in A$ <br> we have, $\|a-a\|=0$ which is multiple of 4 $\Rightarrow(a, a) \in R$ <br> $\therefore R$ is Reflexive <br> Transitive : |

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|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { let }(a, b) \in R \text { and }(b, c) \in R \\ & \Rightarrow\|a-b\|=4 \lambda \text { and }\|b-c\|=4 k \quad \ldots . .\{\lambda, k \in Z\} \\ & \Rightarrow(a-b)= \pm 4 \lambda \text { and }(b-c)=-4 k \\ & \text { Now, }(a-c)=(a-b)+(b-c) \\ & \Rightarrow(a-c)= \pm 4 \lambda \pm 4 k \\ & \Rightarrow(a-c)= \pm 4(\lambda+k) \\ & \Rightarrow\|a-c\|=\|\lambda+k\| \text { which is multiple of } 4 \\ & \Rightarrow(a, c) \in R \end{aligned}$ $\therefore R \text { is transitive }$ <br> $\therefore R$ is an Equivalence relation <br> The elements which related to 1 are 1,5, 9 $\therefore$ required set is $\{1,5,9\} \quad$ ans. |
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| Q.3) | Let R be a relation on the set " A " of ordered pairs defined by $(x, y) R(u, v)$ if and only if $x v=y u$. Show that $R$ is an equivalence relation. |
| Sol.3) | Given : A $\rightarrow$ set of ordered pairs $(x, y) R(u, v) \Rightarrow x v=y u$ <br> Symmetric: $\text { let }(x, y) R(u, v)$ $\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow x v=y u \\ & \Rightarrow v x=u y \\ & \Rightarrow u y=v x \Rightarrow(4, v) R(x, y) \end{aligned}$ <br> (Rough work) $((u, v) R(x, y))$ $(u y=v x)$ <br> $\therefore \quad \mathrm{R}$ is Symmetric <br> Reflexive : $\begin{array}{l\|l}  & \text { for each }(\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{y}) \in \mathrm{A} \\ \Rightarrow \quad x y=y x & \text { \{Rough work\} } \\ \Rightarrow(x, y) R(x, y) & \{(x, y) R(x y)\} \\ \therefore \quad \mathrm{R} \text { is Reflexive } & \{x y=y x\} \end{array}$ <br> Transitive : $\begin{aligned} & \text { let }(x, y) R(u, v) \text { and }(u, v) R(a, b) \\ \Rightarrow & x v=y u \text { and } u b=v a \\ \Rightarrow & x v=y u \text { and } v=\frac{u b}{a} \quad \ldots . .\{\operatorname{Rough}(x, y) R(a, b), x b=y a\} \\ \Rightarrow & x\left(\frac{u b}{a}\right)=y u \\ \Rightarrow & x b=y a \\ \Rightarrow & (x, y) R(a, b) \end{aligned}$ <br> $\therefore \quad \mathrm{R}$ is transitive <br> since $R$ is Symmetric, Reflexive as well as transitive <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is an Equivalence relation ans. |
| Q.4) | If $R_{1}$ and $R_{2}$ are equivalence relations in set A , show that $R_{1} \cap R_{2}$ is also on equivalence relation. |
| Sol.4) | Given :- $R_{1}$ and $R_{2}$ are equivalence relations Symmetric: |

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|  | $\begin{aligned} & \quad \text { let }(a, b) \in R_{1} \cap R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow(a, b) \in R_{1} \text { and }(a, b) \in R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow(b, a) \in R_{1} \text { and }(b, a) \in R_{2} \quad \ldots . .\{\because R \text { and } R \text { are symmetric relations }\} \\ & \Rightarrow(b, a) \in R_{1} \cap R_{2} \\ & \therefore \quad R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { is Symmetric } \\ & \text { Reflexive : } \\ & \text { for each } a \in A \\ & \text { we have, }(a, a) \in R_{1} \text { and }(a, a) \in R_{2} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots .\left\{R 1 \text { and } R_{2} \text { are reflexive }\right\} \\ & \Rightarrow(a, a) \in R_{1} \cap R_{2} \\ & \therefore \quad R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { is Reflexive } \\ & \text { Transitive : } \\ & \text { let }(a, b) \in R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { and }(b, c) R_{1} \cap R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow(a, b) \in R_{1} \text { and }(a, b) \in R_{2} \text { and }(b, c) \in R_{1} \&(b, c) \in R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow(a, b) \in R_{1} \text { and }(b, c) \in R_{1} \quad \mid(a, b) R \text { and }(b, c) \in R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow(a, c) \in R \\ & \Rightarrow(a, c) \in R_{1} \cap R_{2} \quad \ldots(a, c) \in R_{2} \\ & \Rightarrow \quad\left(R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { is transitive } \quad \& R_{2} \text { are transitive }\right\} \\ & \text { since } R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { is Symmetric, Reflexive as well as transitive } \\ & \therefore R_{1} \cap R_{2} \text { is an Equivalence relation ans. } \end{aligned}$ |
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| Q.5) | $R$ is a relation on set $N$ given by $a R b \leftrightarrow b$ is divisible by $a ; a$. $b \in N$ check whether R is Symmetric , reflexive and transitive. |
| Sol.5) | We have, $a R b \leftrightarrow b$ is divisible by $a$ Symmetric: $\begin{aligned} & 2 R 6 \Rightarrow 6 \text { is divisible by } 2 \quad \ldots \ldots\left\{\frac{6}{2}=3\right\} \\ & \text { but } 6 R 2 \Rightarrow 2 \text { is not div by } 6 \end{aligned}$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is not symmetric <br> Reflexive : for each $a \in N$ <br> $a$ is always divisible by a $\Rightarrow a R a$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is Reflexive <br> Transitive : <br> let $a R b$ and $b R c$ <br> $\Rightarrow b$ is divisible by a and c is div by b <br> $\Rightarrow \quad b=a \lambda$ and $c=b k \quad \ldots .\{\lambda, k \in N\}$ <br> $\Rightarrow c=(a \lambda) k$ $\ldots\{\ldots b=a \lambda\}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{c}{a}=\lambda k$ <br> clearly c is div by a <br> $\Rightarrow a R c$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is transitive ans. |
| Q.6) | $R$ be relation in $P(x)$, where $x$ is a non-empty set, given by ARB if only if $A C B$, where A \& B are subsets in $P(x)$. Is R is an equivalence relation on $P(x)$ ? Justify |

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|  | your answer. |
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| Sol.6) | Let ARB $\Rightarrow A \subset B$ <br> then it is not necessary that $B$ is a subset of $A$ <br> i.e. $B \not \subset A$ $\Rightarrow B R A$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is not symmetric and hence R is not an equivalence relation $\text { eg. } x=\{1,2,3\}$ $P(x)=\{\{1\}\{2\}\{3\}\{1,2\}\{2,3\}\{1,3\}\{1,2,3\}\}$ <br> clearly $\{2\} \subset\{1,2\}$ <br> between $\{1,2\} \subset\{2\}$ <br> $\therefore R$ is not symmetric ans. |
| Q.7) | Show that the relation $R$ defined in the set $A$ of all triangles as $R-\left\{\left(T_{1}, T_{2}\right): T_{1}\right.$ is similar to $\left.T_{2}\right\}$ is equivalence relation. <br> Consider three right angle triangles $T_{1}$ with sides $3,4,5, T_{2}$ with sides $5,12,13$ and $T_{3}$ with sides 6,8 , 10. Which triangles among $T_{1}, T_{2}$ and $T_{3}$ are related ? |
| Sol.7) | A $\rightarrow$ set of are triangles $R=\left\{\left(T_{1}, T_{2}\right): T_{1} \sim T_{2}\right\}$ <br> Symmetric: <br> let $\left(T_{1}, T_{2}\right) \in R$ $\Rightarrow T_{1} \sim T_{2}$ $\Rightarrow T_{2} \sim T_{1}$ $\Rightarrow\left(T_{2}, T_{1}\right) \in R$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is symmetric <br> Reflexive : for each triangle $T \in A$ $(T, T) \in R$ <br> since every triangle is similar to itself <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is reflexive <br> Transitive : $\begin{aligned} & \quad \text { let }\left(T_{1}, T_{2}\right) \in R \text { and }\left(T_{2} \sim T_{3}\right) \in R \\ & \Rightarrow T_{1} \sim T_{2} \text { and } T_{2} \sim T_{3} \\ & \Rightarrow T_{1} \sim T_{3} \\ & \left.\Rightarrow T_{1}, T_{3}\right) \in R \\ & \therefore R \text { is transitive } \end{aligned}$ <br> and hence $R$ is an equivalence relation $\begin{aligned} & T_{1}: 3,4,5 \\ & T_{2}: 5,12,13 \\ & T_{3}: 6,8,10 \end{aligned}$ <br> clearly sides of triangles $T_{1}$ and $T_{3}$ are in equal proportion i.e $\frac{3}{6}=\frac{4}{8}=\frac{5}{10}$ $\therefore \mathrm{T}_{1} \sim \mathrm{~T}_{3}$ <br> $\Rightarrow \mathrm{T}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{T}_{3}$ are related to each other <br> ans. |
| Q.8) | Check whether the relation R in R (real no's) define by $R=(a, b): a \leq b^{3}$ is reflexive, symmetric or transitive. |

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| Sol.8) | Symmetric : $\begin{aligned} & (1,2) \in R \\ & \text { as1 } \leq 2^{3} \\ & \text { but }(2,1) \notin R \\ & \text { since2 } \ddagger 13 \end{aligned}$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is not symmetric <br> Reflexive : $\frac{1}{2} \in R$ $\operatorname{but}\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)^{2} \notin R$ $\text { as } \frac{1}{2} \neq\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{3}$ <br> $\therefore R$ is not reflexive <br> Transitive: $(9,4) \in R \operatorname{and}(4,2) \in R$ $\text { as } 9 \leq 4^{3} \text { and } 4 \leq 2^{3}$ $\operatorname{but}(9,2) \notin R$ $\text { since } 9 \not \leq 2^{3}$ |
| Q.9) | Show that the relation $R$ in the set $\{1,2,3\}$ given by $R=\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3),(1,2),(2,3)\}$ is reflexive neither symmetric nor transitive. |
| Sol.9) | We have, $\begin{aligned} & A=\{1,2,3\} \\ & R=\{(1,1),(2,2),(3,3),(1,2),(2,3)\} \\ & \text { since }(1,2) \in R \\ & \text { but }(2,1) \notin R \\ & \therefore R \text { is not Symmetric } \\ & (1,2) \in R \text { and }(2,3) \in R \\ & \text { but }(1,3) \notin R \end{aligned}$ <br> $\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is not transitive for each $a \in A$ $(a, a) \in R$ i.e. $(1,1),(2,2),(3,3) \in R$ $\therefore R$ is reflexive ans. |
| Q.10) | Determine whether each of the following relations are reflexive, symmetric and transitive <br> (i) Relation in set $\mathrm{A}=\{1,2,3, \ldots \ldots \ldots . .13,14\}$ defined by $R=(x, y): 3 \mathrm{x}-y=0$. <br> (ii) Relation in N defined as $R=(x, y): y=x+5 ; x<4$. <br> (iii) Relation in set A $=\{1,2,3,4,5,6\}$ defined as $R=(x, y)$ : $y$ is divisible by $x$. <br> (iv) Relation in $Z$ defined as $R=(x, y): x-y$ is an integer. <br> (v) Relation in R (real nos) defined as $R=(a, b): a \leq b^{2}$. |
| Sol.10) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (i) } R=\{(1,3),(2,6),(3,9),(4,12)\} \quad \ldots \ldots . .(y=3 \mathrm{x}) \\ & \text { clearly }(1,3) \in R \text { but }(3,1) \notin R \\ & \therefore \text { not symmetric } \\ & 1 \in A \text { but }(1,1) \notin R \\ & \therefore \text { not reflexive } \end{aligned}$ |

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$(1,3) \in R$ and $(3,9) \in R$ but $(1,9) \notin R$
$\therefore$ not transitive
(ii) $R=\{(1,6),(2,7),(3,8)\} \quad \ldots . .\{\ldots y=x+5$ and $x<4\}$

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(iii) $R=\{(1,1),(1,2),(1,3),(1,4),(1,5),(1,6),(2,2),(2,4),(2,6),(3,3),(3,6),(4,4),(5,5),(6,6)\} \ldots\{\ldots y$ is divisible by $x\}$
clearly for each $a \in A$
$(a, a) \in R$ i.e. $(1,1),(2,2),(3,3),(4,4),(5,5),(6,6) \in R$
$\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is reflexive
$(1,2) \in R$
$\operatorname{but}(2,1) \notin R$
since 1 in not divisible by 2
$\therefore R$ is not transitive
for each $(a, b)$ and $(b, c) \in R$
clearly $(a, c) \in R$
$\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is transitive
(iv) Symmetric let $(x, y) \in R$
$\Rightarrow x-y=\lambda \quad$..... where $\lambda \rightarrow$ integer
$\Rightarrow y-x=-\lambda$ which is also an integer
$\Rightarrow(y, x) \in R$
$\therefore \mathrm{R}$ is Symmetric
Reflexive and transitive (Do yourself)
(v) give same examples as in case of $a \leq b^{3}$

It is neither symmetric, nor reflexive, nor transitive.

