

Class 12th

Relations & Functions

- Q.1) $*$: $P(x) \times P(x) \rightarrow P(x)$ defined by $A * B = (A - B) \cup (B - A)$ for all $A, B \in P(x)$
Show that ϕ is the identity element and all the elements of $P(x)$ are invertible with $A^{-1} = A$.

Sol.1) We have,

$$A * B = (A - B) \cup (B - A)$$

(1) To show ϕ is the identity element, we have to show

$$A * \phi = A \text{ and } \phi * A = A$$

consider, $A * \phi$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (A - \phi) \cup (\phi - A) \\ &= A \cup \phi \\ &= A \end{aligned}$$

consider, $\phi * A$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\phi - A) \cup (A - \phi) \\ &= \phi \cup A \\ &= A \end{aligned}$$

clearly ϕ is the identity element

$$(2) A * B = \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow (A - B) \cup (B - A) = \phi$$

this is possible only when $B = A$

$$\text{since, } (A - A) \cup (A - A) = \phi \cup \phi = \phi = E$$

\therefore all element of $P(x)$ are invertible with $A = A$ i.e. $B = A$ ans.

- Q.2) Consider the binary operation $*$: $R \times R \rightarrow R$ and \circ : $R \times R \rightarrow R$ defined by $a * b = |a - b|$ and $a \circ b = a$

(.) Show that $*$ is commutative but not Associative

(.) Show that \circ is associative but not commutative

(.) Show that $a * (b \circ c) = (a * b) \circ (a * c)$

(.) Does 0 distributes over $*$?

- Sol.2) $a * b = |a - b|$ and $a \circ b = a$

(.) consider $a * b = |a - b|$

commutative $a * b = |a - b|$

$$\begin{aligned} b * a &= |b - a| \\ &= |a - b| \\ &= a * b \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore *$ is commutative on R

Associative $(a * b) * c = |a - b| * c$

$$= ||a - b| - c|$$

$$a * (b * c) = a * |b - c|$$

$$= |a - |b - c||$$

$$\neq (a * b) * c$$

$$e.g \quad (1 * 2) * 3 = |1 - 2| * 3$$

$$= 1 * 3$$

$$= |1 - 3| = 2$$

$$1 * (2 * 3) = 1 * |2 - 3|$$

$$= 1 * 1$$

$$= |1 - 1|$$

$$= 0$$

clearly $*$ is not Associate on R

(.) Consider $a \circ b = a$

Commutative: $a \circ b = a$

$$b \circ a = b$$

$$a \circ b \Rightarrow b \circ a$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{e.g.} \quad 1 \circ 2 &= 1 \\ 2 \circ 1 &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

clearly \circ is not commutative on R

Associative :

$$\begin{aligned} (a \circ b) \circ c &= a \circ c = a \\ a \circ (b \circ c) &= a \circ b = a \end{aligned}$$

clearly $(a \circ b) \circ c = a \circ (b \circ c)$

$\therefore \circ$ is Associative on R

(.) To prove $a * (b \circ c) = (a * b) \circ (a * c)$

$$\text{LHS } a * (b \circ c)$$

$$= a * b$$

$$= |a - b|$$

$$\text{RHS } (a * b) \circ (a * c)$$

$$= |a - b| \circ |a - c|$$

$$= |a - b|$$

clearly LHS = RHS

(.) \circ distributes over when,

$$a \circ (b * c) = (a \circ b) * (a \circ c)$$

$$\text{LHS } a \circ (b * c)$$

$$= a \circ a \circ |b - c|$$

$$= a$$

$$\text{RHS } (a \circ b) (a \circ c)$$

$$= a \ a$$

$$= |a - a|$$

$$= 0$$

clearly LHS \neq RHS

$\therefore \circ$ does not distributes over ans.

- Q.3) Let $*$ be a binary operation on set z (integers) defined by $a * b = 2a + b - 3$. Find
(i) $(3 * 4) * 2$ (ii) $(2 * 3) * 4$

Sol.3) We have $a * b = 2a + b - 3$

$$(i) (3 * 4) * 2$$

$$= (6 + 4 - 3) * 2$$

$$= 7 * 2$$

$$= 14 + 2 - 3$$

$$= 13 \quad \text{ans.}$$

$$(ii) (2 * 3) * 4$$

$$= (4 + 3 - 3) * 4$$

$$= 4 * 4$$

$$= 8 + 4 - 3$$

$$= 9 \quad \text{ans.}$$

Q.4) Let $*$ be a binary operation on set A where $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

(i) write the total number of binary operations

(ii) If $a * b = \text{HCF of } a \text{ \& } b$ construct the operation table.

Sol.4) $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

(i) we know that no. of binary operation = n^{n^2}

$$\text{here } n = 4$$

$$\therefore \text{no. of binary operations} = 4^{4^2} = 4^{16} \quad \text{ans.}$$



(ii) $a * b = \text{HCF of } a \text{ \& } b$
operation table :

	b				
	*	1	2	3	4
a	1	1	1	1	1
	2	1	2	1	2
	3	1	1	3	1
	4	1	2	1	4

Q.5) Show that the number of binary operations on $\{1, 2\}$ having 1 as identity element and having 2 as inverse of 2 is exactly one

Sol.5) (.) We know that a binary operation on set S is a function from $S \times S$ to S .

(.) so a binary operation on set $s : \{1, 2\}$ is a function from $\{(1,1), (1,2), (2,1), (2, 2)\}$ to $\{1,2\}$

(.) let $*$ be the required binary operation

(.) If 1 is the identity element and 2 is the inverse of 2 , then

$$1 * 1 = 1$$

$$1 * 2 = 2$$

$$2 * 1 = 2$$

$$a * e = a \text{ and } e * a = a$$

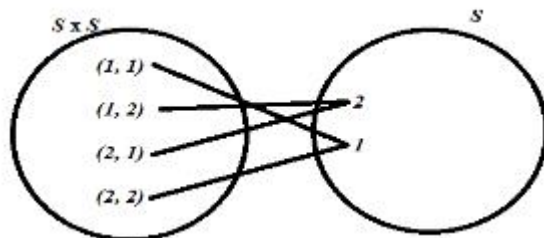
$$\text{here } e = 1, a = 1 \text{ \& } 2$$

$$\text{and } 2 * 2 = 1$$

$$a * b = e$$

$$\text{here } a = 2 ; b = 2 \text{ \& } e = 1$$

(2 is the inverse of 2 given)



Clearly $*$ can be defined in a unique way

\therefore Hence no. of required binary operations is 1 ans.

Q.6) Define a binary operation $*$ on the set $\{0,1,2,3,4,5\}$ as

$$a * b = \begin{cases} a + b & \text{if } a + b < 6 \\ a + b - 6 & \text{if } a + b \geq 6 \end{cases}$$

$$\{a + b - 6 \text{ if } a + b \geq 6\}$$

show that zero is the identity for thus operation and each element $a \neq 0$ of the set is invertible with $6 - a$ being the inverse of a .

Sol.6) Identity element :

Consider $a * b = a + b$

$$a * e = a \quad \left| \quad e * a = a$$

$$a + e = a \quad \left| \quad e + a = a$$

$$e = 0 \in A \quad \left| \quad e = 0 \in A$$

\therefore 0 is the identity element

Consider, $a * b = a + b - 6$

$$a * e = a \quad \left| \quad e * a = a$$

$$a + e - 6 = a \quad \left| \quad e + a - 6 = a$$



$$e = 6 \notin A \quad e = 6 \notin A$$

$\therefore 0$ is the identity element ans.

Inverse

Consider $a * b = a + b$

$$a * b = e$$

$$a + b = 0$$

$$b = -a \notin A$$

Consider,

$$a * b = a + b - 6$$

$$a * b = e$$

$$a + b - 6 = 0$$

$$b = 6 - a \in A ; (a \neq 0)$$

$\therefore 6 - a$ is the inverse of a . ans.

Q.7) Show that zero is the identity element for addition on R (real no's) and 1 is the identity element for multiplication on R but there is no identity element for subtraction on R and division on $R - \{0\}$.

Sol.7) (i) $* : R \times R \rightarrow R$

$$a * b = a + b$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a + e = a & e * a = a \\ e = 0 \in R & e = 0 \in R \end{array}$$

$\therefore 0$ is the identity element for addition on R

(ii) $* : R \times R \rightarrow R$

$$a * b = ab$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a * e = a & e * a = a \\ ae = a & ea = a \\ e = 1 \in R & e = 1 \in R \end{array}$$

$\therefore 1$ is the identity element for multiplication on R

(iii) $* : R \times R \rightarrow R$

$$a * b = a - b$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a * e = a & e * a = a \\ a - e = a & e - a = a \\ -e = 0 & e = 2a \\ e = 0 \in R & \text{but } e \text{ can not be in terms of } a \text{ or variable} \end{array}$$

\therefore identity element does not exist

(iv) $* : R - \{0\} \times R - \{0\} \rightarrow R - \{0\}$

$$a * b = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a * e = a & e * a = a \\ \frac{a}{e} = a & \frac{e}{a} = a \\ e = 1 \in R - \{0\} & e = a^2 \end{array}$$

but e cannot be a variable

\therefore identity element does not exist. ans.

Topic : Functions

Q.8) Let $f: R \rightarrow \left\{\frac{-4}{3}\right\} \rightarrow R$ defined as $f(x) = \frac{4x}{3x+4}$.

Show that f is invertible and find its inverse.



Sol.8) We have

$$f: R - \left\{\frac{-4}{3}\right\} \rightarrow R$$

$$\text{and } f(x) = \frac{4x}{3x+4} \quad \dots\dots (1)$$

ONE-ONE :-

$$\text{let } x_1, x_2 \in R - \left\{\frac{-4}{3}\right\} (\text{domain})$$

$$\text{and } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x_1}{3x_1+4} = \frac{4x_2}{3x_2+4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 12x_1x_2 + 16x_1 = 12x_1x_2 + 16x_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x_1 = 16x_2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore f$ is one-one function

ON-TO :-

$$\text{let } y = f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{4x}{3x+4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3xy + 4y = 4x$$

$$\Rightarrow x(3y - 4) - 4y$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-4y}{3y-4}$$

for each $y \in R$ (co-domain), there exists an element x in domain such that

$$f(x) = f\left(\frac{-4y}{3y-4}\right)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{4\left(\frac{-4y}{3y-4}\right)}{3\left(\frac{-4y}{3y-4}\right)+4} \quad \dots\dots\{\text{from eq. (1)}\}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{-16y}{3y-4}}{\frac{-12y+12y-16}{3y-4}}$$

$$= \frac{-16y}{-16} = y$$

$$\therefore f(x) = y$$

$\therefore f$ is on-to function

$\therefore f$ is bijective function

$\therefore f$ is invertible function

$$\text{and } f^{-1} = \frac{-4y}{3y-4}$$

$$\text{and } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-4x}{3x-4} \quad \text{ans.}$$

Q.9) Consider $f: R_+ \rightarrow [4, \infty]$ given by $f(x) = x^2 + 4$. Show that f is bijective. Also find the inverse.

Sol.9) We have

$$f: R_+ \rightarrow [4, \infty]$$

$$\text{and } f(x) = x^2 + 4$$

One-One :

$$\text{let } x_1, x_2 \in R_+$$

$$\text{and } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1^2 + 4 = x_2^2 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1^2 = x_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = \pm x_2$$

$$\text{but } x_1 \neq x_2 \quad \dots\dots\{\therefore x_1, x_2 \in R_+\}$$



$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore f$ is one-one function

ON-TO :

$$\text{let } y = f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x^2 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = y - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{y - 4}$$

for each $y \in [4, \infty]$, there exists an element x in R_+ such that

$$f(x) = f(\sqrt{y - 4})$$

$$= (\sqrt{y - 4})^2 + 4$$

$$= y - 4 + 4$$

$$f(x) = y$$

$\therefore f$ is on-to function

$\therefore f$ is bijective

$\therefore f$ is invertible

$$\text{and } f^{-1} = \sqrt{y - 4}$$

$$\text{and } f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x - 4} \quad \text{ans.}$$

Q.10) Let $f : N \rightarrow S$, where S is the range of f . $f(x) = 4x^2 + 12x + 15$. Show f is invertible and find its inverse.

Sol.10) We have,

$$f : N \rightarrow S$$

$$f(x) = 4x^2 + 12x + 15$$

One-One :-

$$\text{let } x_1, x_2 \in N \quad (\text{domain})$$

$$\text{and } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x_1^2 + 12x_1 + 15 = 4x_2^2 + 12x_2 + 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x_1^2 - 4x_2^2 + 12x_1 - 12x_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(x_1^2 - x_2^2) + 12(x_1 - x_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(x_1 + x_2)(x_1 - x_2) + 12(x_1 - x_2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x_1 - x_2)[4x_1 + 4x_2 + 12] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 - x_2 = 0 \text{ and } 4x_1 + 4x_2 + 12 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2 \text{ but } 4x_1 + 4x_2 + 12 \neq 0 \quad \dots\dots\{. \cdot x_1, x_2 \in N\}$$

$\therefore f$ is one-one function

On-To

$$\text{let } y = f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 4x^2 + 12x + 15$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 12x + (15 - y) = 0 \quad \{\text{quadratic equation}\}$$

$$\text{here } a = 4, b = 12 \text{ and } c = 15 - y$$

by quadratic formula,

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 4(4)(15 - y)}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 240 + 16y}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{16y - 96}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm 4\sqrt{y - 6}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 4(4)(15 - y)}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{y - 6}}{2}$$



$$x = \frac{-3+\sqrt{y-6}}{2} \text{ but } x \neq \frac{-3-\sqrt{y-6}}{2} \dots \{x \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

for each $y \in S$ (co-domain), there exists
on element x in \mathbb{N} (domain) such that

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= f\left(\frac{-3+\sqrt{y-6}}{2}\right) \\ &= 4\left[\frac{-3+\sqrt{y-6}}{2}\right]^2 + 12\left[\frac{-3+\sqrt{y-6}}{2}\right] + 15 \\ &= 4\left(\frac{9+y-6-6\sqrt{y-6}}{4}\right) + 6(-3 + \sqrt{y-6}) + 15 \\ &= 3 + y - 6\sqrt{y-6} - 18 + 6\sqrt{y-6} + 15 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = y$$

$\therefore f$ is on-to function

$\therefore f$ is bijective

$\therefore f$ is invertible

$$\text{and } f^{-1} = \frac{-3+\sqrt{y-6}}{2}$$

$$\text{and } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-3\sqrt{x-6}}{2} \quad \text{ans.}$$