

Ring Theory

Ring:- let R be a non-empty set. $(R, +, \cdot)$ is said to be a ring if

(i) $(R, +)$ is commutative group:-

(i) $\forall a \in R, \forall b \in R \Rightarrow a + b \in R$

(ii) $a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c, \forall a, b, c \in R$

(iii) $\exists e \in R$ s.t. $a + e = e + a = a, \forall a \in R$

(iv) for each $a \in R \exists b \in R$ s.t. $a + b = b + a = e$

(v) $a + b = b + a, \forall a, b \in R$

(b) (R, \cdot) is semi-group:-

(i) $\forall a \in R, \forall b \in R \Rightarrow a \cdot b \in R$

(ii) $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c, \forall a, b, c \in R$

(c) left and right distribution law:-

(i) $a \cdot (b + c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c, \forall a, b, c \in R$

(ii) $(a + b) \cdot c = a \cdot c + b \cdot c, \forall a, b, c \in R$

Q: show that $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is Ring.

Soln:- (A) $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is commutative group

$(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is cyclic group then $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is commutative.

(B) (\mathbb{Z}, \cdot) is semigroup

(i) let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $a \cdot b \in \mathbb{Z}$

(ii) $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = abc = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$

$\Rightarrow a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c, \forall a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$

(c) left and right distribution

(i) $a \cdot (b + c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c$

(ii) $(a + b) \cdot c = a \cdot c + b \cdot c, \forall a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$

then $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is Ring.

Similarly $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$, $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$, $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$, $(\mathbb{Z}_n, +, \cdot)$ are Ring.

Ques^o- Show that $(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Solⁿ^o $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} = \{(a, b) \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

(A) $(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, +)$ is commutative group

(i) let $x = (a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ and $y = (c, d) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{s.t. } x+y &= (a, b) + (c, d) \\ &= (a+c, b+d) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x+y \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Rightarrow x+y \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, \forall x, y \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

$\left[\begin{array}{l} a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and} \\ (\mathbb{Z}, +) \text{ is group} \\ \text{then } a+c \in \mathbb{Z} \end{array} \right.$

(ii) $x + (y+z) = (x+y) + z = x+y+z$
 $\forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

(iii) $e = (0, 0) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ s.t.

$$x+e = (a, b) + (0, 0) = (a+0, b+0) = (a, b) = x, \forall x \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

(iv) let $x = (a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $a \in \mathbb{Z}$, $b \in \mathbb{Z}$

$a \in \mathbb{Z}$, and \mathbb{Z} is a group then $-a \in \mathbb{Z}$

Similarly $-b \in \mathbb{Z}$ then $-x = (-a, -b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{s.t. } x = (-a, -b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{s.t. } x + (-x) = (-x) + x = (0, 0)$$

(v) let $x = (a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ and $y = (c, d) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{s.t. } x+y = (a, b) + (c, d)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow x+y &= (a+c, b+d) \\ &= (c+a, d+b) \\ &= (c, d) + (a, b) \\ &= y+x \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x+y = y+x, \forall x, y \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

then $(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, +)$ is commutative group.

(B) $(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, \cdot)$ is Semigroup

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product

(i) let $x = (a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

& $y = (c, d) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{s.t. } x \cdot y = (a, b) \cdot (c, d) \\ = (a \cdot c, b \cdot d)$$

($a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is ring then $a \cdot c \in \mathbb{Z}$ similarly $b \cdot d \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

(ii) $x \cdot (y \cdot z) = (x \cdot y) \cdot z = x \cdot y \cdot z$

$\forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

c) left and Right distribution law :-

① $x \cdot (y + z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$

② $(x + y) \cdot z = x \cdot z + y \cdot z, \forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

then $(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Similarly, $(\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$

$(\mathbb{Z}_n \times \mathbb{Z}_n, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$

$(\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$ are Rings.

Ques No. :- Show that $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Solⁿ $M_n(\mathbb{R}) = \{ [a_{ij}]_{n \times n} \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \}$

Case 1 :- If $n = 1$ then

$$M_1(\mathbb{R}) = \{ [a_{ij}]_{1 \times 1} \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$\approx \mathbb{R}$$

Case 2 :- If $n \geq 2$ then

$$M_n(\mathbb{R}) = \{ [a_{ij}]_n \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

Now, let $n = 2$, then $M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

Show that $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), +, \cdot)$ is ring

(A) $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), +)$ is Commutative group :-

(i) let $x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$, $a_1, b_1, c_1, d_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

and $y = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ $a_2, b_2, c_2, d_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

s.t. $x+y = \begin{bmatrix} a_1+a_2 & b_1+b_2 \\ c_1+c_2 & d_1+d_2 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

$\Rightarrow x+y \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(ii) $x+(y+z) = x+y+z = (x+y)+z$, $\forall x, y, z \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(iii) $0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ s.t. $x+0 = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $= \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = x$
 $\Rightarrow x+0 = x$, $\forall x \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(iv) let $x = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ then $-x = \begin{bmatrix} -a & -b \\ -c & -d \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t. $x+(-x) = (-x)+x = 0$

(v) let $x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ and $y = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ s.t.

$x+y = \begin{bmatrix} a_1+a_2 & b_1+b_2 \\ c_1+c_2 & d_1+d_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_2+a_1 & b_2+b_1 \\ c_2+c_1 & d_2+d_1 \end{bmatrix}$ $\left[\begin{array}{l} a_1 \in \mathbb{R}, a_2 \in \mathbb{R} \\ \text{and } \mathbb{R} \text{ is abelian} \\ \text{group w.r.t. addition.} \end{array} \right.$
 then $x+y = y+x$, $\forall x, y \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ then $a_1+a_2 = a_2+a_1$

then $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), +)$ is commutative group.

(B) $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), \cdot)$ is Semigroup:-

let $x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ and $y = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t. $x \cdot y = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 a_2 + b_1 c_2 & a_1 b_2 + b_1 d_2 \\ c_1 a_2 + d_1 c_2 & c_1 b_2 + d_1 d_2 \end{bmatrix}$

i) $x \cdot (y \cdot z) = xyz = (x \cdot y) \cdot z$ $\forall x, y, z \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(C) left and right distribution law

(i) $x \cdot (y+z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$

(ii) $(x+y) \cdot z = x \cdot z + y \cdot z$, $\forall x, y, z \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

then $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), +, \cdot)$ is Ring.

Similarly $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +, \cdot)$ is Ring.

Note $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +)$ is abelian group but not cyclic.

(i) $(M_n(\mathbb{Z}), +)$ is cyclic?

Ans Need Not

(1) if $n=1$ then $M_1(\mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}$ and $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is cyclic.
then $(M_1(\mathbb{Z}))$ is cyclic.

(2) if $n \geq 2$ then $M_n(\mathbb{Z})$ is not cyclic.

Q.No. $(M_n(\mathbb{Z}_p), +, \cdot)$ is cyclic? Need not

Soln

$$M_n(\mathbb{Z}_p) = \{ [a_{ij}]_{n \times n} \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{Z}_p \}$$

Case 1 $n=1$ then

$$M_1(\mathbb{Z}_p) = \{ [a_{ij}]_{1 \times 1} \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{Z}_p \} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p$$

And \mathbb{Z}_p is cyclic. Hence $M_1(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ is cyclic.

Case 2

$n \geq 2$ then

$M_n(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ is not cyclic

Q. $(M_2(\mathbb{R}), +)$ is cyclic?

Solⁿ No;

$$M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \{ A = [a_{ij}]_{2 \times 2} \mid a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is ^{not} abelian, not cyclic.

(\because it does not satisfy the commutative prop.)

i.e.

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ab &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ba &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$ab \neq ba$$

$\therefore M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is not abelian \Rightarrow not cyclic.

Gaussian Integers:-

$\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a+ib \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is called set of Gaussian Integers.

Now, $O(\mathbb{Z}[i]) = \infty$

Ques: Show that $(\mathbb{Z}[i], +)$ is a ring

Soln: $\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a+ib \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

(A) $(\mathbb{Z}[i], +)$ is commutative group:-

(i) let $x = a_1 + ib_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

& $y = a_2 + ib_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

s.t. $x+y = (a_1+a_2) + i(b_1+b_2) \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

$\Rightarrow x+y \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

(ii) $x+(y+z) = x+y+z = (x+y)+z \quad \forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

(iii) $0 = 0+0i \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ s.t. $x+0 = (a_1+ib_1) + (0+0i)$
 $= a_1+0 + i(b_1+0)$
 $= a_1+ib_1$
 $= x, \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

(iv) let $x = a_1+ib_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i], a_1 \in \mathbb{Z}, b_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

then $-x = (-a_1) + i(-b_1) \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

s.t. $x+(-x) = -x+x = 0$

(v) let $x = a_1+ib_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i], a_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $b_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

and $y = a_2+ib_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i], a_2 \in \mathbb{Z}, b_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

s.t. $x+y = (a_1+ib_1) + (a_2+ib_2)$

$= (a_1+a_2) + i(b_1+b_2)$

$= (a_2+a_1) + i(b_2+b_1)$

$= (a_2+ib_2) + (a_1+ib_1)$

$x+y = y+x, \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

then $(\mathbb{Z}[i], +)$ is a commutative group

Q. 3) B) $(\mathbb{Z}[i], \cdot)$ is Semi-Group :-

Solⁿ (i) let $x = a_1 + ib_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$, $a_1, b_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $\& y = a_2 + ib_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$, $a_2, b_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{s.t. } x \cdot y = (a_1 + ib_1)(a_2 + ib_2) \\ = (a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2) + i(a_1 b_2 + b_1 a_2) \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$$

(ii) $x \cdot (y \cdot z) = x y z = (x \cdot y) \cdot z$, $\& x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

c) Left and Right distribution law :-

$$x \cdot (y + z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$$

$$(ii) (x + y) \cdot z = x \cdot z + y \cdot z, \& x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$$

then $(\mathbb{Z}[i], +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Gaussian Integer Modulo n :-

$$\mathbb{Z}_n[i] = \{a + ib \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}_n, b \in \mathbb{Z}_n\}$$

is called set of Gaussian integers Modulo n.

$$o(\mathbb{Z}_n[i]) = n^2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \downarrow n \\ n+in+n^2 \\ n \cdot n = n^2 \\ = n^2$$

Construction of $\mathbb{Z}_1[i]$

$$\mathbb{Z}_1[i] = \{a + ib \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}_1, b \in \mathbb{Z}_1\}$$

$$= \{0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_1[i] = \{0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow o(\mathbb{Z}_1[i]) = (1)^2 = 1$$

Construction of $\mathbb{Z}_2[i]$

$$\mathbb{Z}_2[i] = \{a + ib \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}_2, b \in \mathbb{Z}_2\} \text{ where } \mathbb{Z}_2 = \{0, 1\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2[i] = \{0, 1, i, 1+i\}$$

$$\Rightarrow O[Z_2[i]] = 2^2 = 4$$

Construction of $Z_3[i]$

$$Z_3[i] = \{a+ib \mid a \in Z_3, b \in Z_3\} \text{ where } Z_3 = \{0, 1, 2\}$$

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0, 1, 2, i, 2i, 1+i, 2+i \\ 1+2i, 2+i \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow O[Z_3[i]] = 3^2 = 9$$

H.w.

Q.No. Construct $Z_5[i]$

$$Z_5[i] = \{a+ib \mid a \in Z_5, b \in Z_5\} \text{ where } Z_5 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, i, 2i, 3i, 4i, 1+i, 1+2i, 1+3i, 1+4i, \\ 2+i, 2+2i, 2+3i, 2+4i, 3+i, 3+2i, 3+3i, 3+4i, \\ 4+i, 4+2i, 4+3i, 4+4i \end{array} \right\}$$

$$O[Z_5[i]] = 5^2 = 25$$

Q) Show that $(Z_n[i], +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Soln

$$Z_n[i] = \{a+ib \mid a \in Z_n, b \in Z_n\}$$

Similarly, for $(Z[i], +, \cdot)$

A Q.No.

$(Z_n[i], +)$ is cyclic group?

Soln

need not

(Ans on last page)

Q. Show that $(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, +, \cdot)$ is ring.

Soln $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} = \{ (a, 0) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q} \}$ — ①

① $(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, +)$ is commutative group.

1) let $x = (a, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$, $a \in \mathbb{Q}$

& $y = (b, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$, $b \in \mathbb{Q}$

s.t. $x + y = (a + b, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

$\Rightarrow x + y \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

2) $x + (y + z) = x + y + z = (x + y) + z$ $\forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

3) $e = (0, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ s.t.

$x + e = e + x = x$, $\forall x \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

4) let $x = (a, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$, $a \in \mathbb{Q}$

then $-a \in \mathbb{Q}$

$\Rightarrow -x = (-a, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

s.t. $x + (-x) = (-x) + x = (0, 0)$

5) let $x = (a, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ and $y = (b, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

s.t. $x + y = (a + b, 0 + 0) = (b + a, 0 + 0)$

$= (b, 0) + (a, 0)$

$= y + x$

$\Rightarrow x + y = y + x$ $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

then $(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, +)$ is abelian group.

② $(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, \cdot)$ is semigroup?

let $x = (a, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$, $a \in \mathbb{Q}$, and

$y = (b, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$, $b \in \mathbb{Q}$

s.t. $x \cdot y = (a \cdot b, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

$\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

$$x \cdot (y \cdot z) = xyz = (x \cdot y) \cdot z, \quad \forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$$

© Left and Right distribution Law:-

$$(1) \quad x \cdot (y+z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$$

$$(2) \quad (x+y) \cdot z = x \cdot z + y \cdot z, \quad \forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$$

then $(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, +, \cdot)$ is Ring.

Similarly, $(\mathbb{R} \times \{0\}, \mathbb{F} \times \{0\}, \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}, \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\} \times \{0\}, \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{F} \times \{0\})$ etc. are rings.

Commutative Ring:- A Ring $(R, +, \cdot)$ is said to be commutative if $ab = ba$ $\forall a, b \in R$

Q. $R = M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is commutative ring?

Solⁿ No, let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

$\&$ $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t. $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$B \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$A \cdot B \neq B \cdot A$ then $M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is a commutative Ring.

Q. $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}$ is commutative Ring.

Solⁿ:- $a \cdot b = b \cdot a$, $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ then

$\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}$ is commutative Ring.

Similarly, $\mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{F}, \mathbb{Z}_n, \mathbb{Z}[i], \mathbb{Z}_n[i]$ are commutative Ring.

Q. $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is commutative Ring?

Soln let $x = (a, b) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$, $a \in \mathbb{Q}$, $b \in \mathbb{R}$
 $\& y = (c, d) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$, $c \in \mathbb{Q}$, $d \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{S.t. } x \cdot y &= (a, b) \cdot (c, d) \\ &= (a \cdot c, b \cdot d) \\ &= (c \cdot a, d \cdot b) \\ &= ((c, d) \cdot (a, b)) \\ &= y \cdot x \end{aligned}$$

$$x \cdot y = y \cdot x \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$$

Similarly $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$, $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Z}_n \times \mathbb{Z}$,
 $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \mathbb{Z}[i]$, $\mathbb{Z}_n[i] \times \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}$ etc. are commutative
ring.

Boolean Ring :- A ring $(R, +, \cdot)$ is said to be Boolean
Ring if $a^2 = a \quad \forall a \in R$

For example :-

$$R = \mathbb{Z}_2 = \{0, 1\}$$

$$0^2 = 0 \quad \& \quad 1^2 = 1$$

$$\text{then } a^2 = a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}_2$$

then \mathbb{Z}_2 is Boolean Ring.

Q. Give the example of Boolean ring of order 4 and ∞ .

Soln $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 = \{(0,0), (0,1), (1,0), (1,1)\}$

$$(0,0)^2 = (0,0)$$

$$(0,1)^2 = (0,1)$$

$$(1,0)^2 = (1,0)$$

$$(1,1)^2 = (1,1)$$

$$\text{then } a^2 = a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$$

then $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ is Boolean Ring of order 4.

Now $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \dots$ is Boolean Ring of order ∞ .

Ring with unity:- A Ring $(R, +, \cdot)$ is said to be a ring with unity, if $\exists e \in R$ s.t. $a \cdot e = e \cdot a \quad \forall a \in R$

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z} / \mathbb{Q} / \mathbb{R} / \mathbb{F} / \mathbb{Z}[i]$ is ring with unity?

Soln $1 \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $a \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot a = a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}$

Then $R = \mathbb{Z} / \mathbb{Q} / \mathbb{R} / \mathbb{F} / \mathbb{Z}[i]$ is ring with unity 1.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is Ring with unity?

Soln $(1, 1) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

$$(a, b) \cdot (1, 1) = (a \cdot 1, b \cdot 1) \\ = (a, b)$$

$$\forall (a, b) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$$

then $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is ring with unity $(1, 1)$.

Similarly, $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{F}$, $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \mathbb{Z}[i]$,
is ring with unity $(1, 1)$.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ is ring with unity?

Soln $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} = \{(a, 0) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}\}$

$$(0, 0) \neq (1, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$$

$$\text{s.t. } (a, 0) \cdot (1, 0) = (a \cdot 1, 0) \\ = (a, 0)$$

$\Rightarrow (1, 0)$ is unity of $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

then $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ is ring with unity.

Similarly

$\mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{F} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \{0\}$
etc. are ring with unity $(1, 0)$.

Q)) $R = \mathbb{Z}_n$ is ring with unity?

Solⁿ - Need not.

(1) If $n=1$ then $\mathbb{Z}_1 = \{0\}$ is not ring with unity.

2. If $n > 1$ then $1 \in \mathbb{Z}_n$

s.t. $a \cdot 1 = a, \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}_n$

Then \mathbb{Z}_n is ring with unity.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z}_n \times \mathbb{Z}_n$ is ring with unity?

Solⁿ Need Not.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z}_n[i]$ is ring with unity?

Solⁿ need not

Similarly for \mathbb{Z}_n .

Zero-Divisor

Let $(R, +, \cdot)$ is a commutative ring, a non zero element $a \in R$ is said to be zero divisor if \exists an element $0 \neq b \in R$ s.t. $a \cdot b = 0$

Then we can say that

$(R, +, \cdot)$ zero divisors.

e.g. $R = \mathbb{Z}_{15}$

$0 \neq 3 \in \mathbb{Z}_{15}$, then $\exists 5 \in \mathbb{Z}_{15}$ s.t. $3 \cdot 5 = 0$ then 3 is zero divisor.

Hence \mathbb{Z}_{15} has zero divisors.

Q)) $R = \mathbb{Z}_5[i]$ has zero divisor?

Solⁿ $0 \neq (1+2i) \in \mathbb{Z}_5[i]$

$\& 0 \neq (1+3i) \in \mathbb{Z}_5[i]$

s.t. $(1+2i)(1+3i) = 0$

then $Z_5[i]$ has zero divisors.

Q. $R = Z_3[i]$ has zero divisors.

Soln No

Q. Show that Z_p has no zero divisors?

Soln let $a \in Z_p, b \in Z_p$ s.t. $a \cdot b = 0$

$$\Rightarrow p \mid 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p \mid a \cdot b \Rightarrow p \mid a \text{ or } p \mid b$$

if $p \mid a$ then $a = 0$ done

if $p \nmid a$ then $\gcd(p, a) = 1$

$$\Rightarrow p \mid b$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0 \text{ or } b = 0$$

hence Z_p has no zero divisors.

e.g. Z_2, Z_3, Z_5, \dots has no zero divisors. (prime has no zero divisor.)

Note if $n > 1$ and $n \neq p$ then Z_n has zero divisors.

Hint: if $n > 1$ and $n \neq p$ then $n = \underbrace{p_1^{\alpha_1}}_a \underbrace{p_2^{\alpha_2} \dots p_k^{\alpha_k}}_b$

$$\text{where } a = p_1^{\alpha_1} \neq 0$$

$$\text{and } b = p_2^{\alpha_2} \dots p_k^{\alpha_k} \neq 0$$

$$\text{s.t. } a \cdot b = n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \cdot b = 0$$

but neither $a = 0$ nor $b = 0$

hence Z_n has zero divisors.

e.g. $Z_4, Z_6, Z_8, Z_9, Z_{10}, Z_{12}$ etc. has zero divisors.

Q) 1) $R = \mathbb{Z}_9[i]$ has zero divisors?
 $i \in \mathbb{Z}_9[i], 1+i \in \mathbb{Z}_9[i]$
 $i(1+i) = 1 - 1 = 0$

2) $R = \mathbb{Z}_7[i]$ has zero divisors?

No. $1+i \in \mathbb{Z}_7[i]$
 $1+i \in \mathbb{Z}_7[i]$

$$(1+i)(1+i) = 1 - 1 = 0 \neq 0$$

{ zero divisors = 1
I.D.

Integral domain : A commutative ring with unity $(R, +, \cdot)$ is said to be an integral domain if $a \cdot b = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$ or $b = 0$ where $a \in R, b \in R$

OR

$0 \neq a \in R$ and $0 \neq b \in R$ then $a \cdot b \neq 0$

Q) $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}$ is an integral domain?

Soln

let $a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $a \cdot b = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0 \text{ or } b = 0$$

then \mathbb{Z} is an integral

Similarly $R = \mathbb{Q} / \mathbb{R} / \mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an integral domain.

X \mathbb{Q}

$\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is commutative ring with unity

Q) $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is an integral domain.

Solⁿ $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is commutative ring with unity.

$$\text{but } (1,0)(0,1) = (0,0)$$

$$\text{But } (0,1) \neq (1,0) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$$

$$\& (0,0) \neq (0,1) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$$

then $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is not integral domain.

Q. $R = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ is an integral domain?

Solⁿ No

Similarly $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$, $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$, $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$, $\mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}$, $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \mathbb{Z}[i]$

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is an integral domain?

Solⁿ

$$(1,0,0) \cdot (0,1,0) = (0,0,0)$$

$$\text{But } (1,0,0) \neq (0,0,0)$$

$$\& (0,1,0) \neq (0,0,0)$$

then $R = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is not integral domain.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ is an integral domain?

Solⁿ

$$\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} = \{ (a,0) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q} \}$$

$$\text{let } x = (a,0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}; a \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$y = (b,0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}; b \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$\text{s.t. } x \cdot y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a,0) \cdot (b,0) = (0,0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a \cdot b, 0) = (0,0)$$

$$\Rightarrow ab = 0 \quad (*)$$

$a \in \mathbb{Q}, b \in \mathbb{Q}$ and \mathbb{Q} is an integral domain.

then from equⁿ (*)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{let } x = (a,0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, a \in \mathbb{Q} \\ \& y = (b,0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}, b \in \mathbb{Q} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$a = 0 \text{ or } b = 0$$

Case I if $a=0$ then $x=(0,0)$

Case II if $b=0$ then $y=(0,0)$

Case III if $a=0$ & $b=0$ then $x=0$ & $y=0$

for case I, II, III, we get $x=0$ or $y=0$

Similarly $\mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{C} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}$, $\mathbb{Z}[i] \times \{0\}$ are integral domain.

Q. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$ is an integral domain?

$$x = (1, 0, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$$

$$\& y = (0, 1, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$$

$$\& \text{t. } x \cdot y = (1, 0, 0) \cdot (0, 1, 0) = (0, 0, 0)$$

then $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \{0\}$ is not integral domain.

Q.) $R = M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is an integral domain?

Soln $M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is non commutative ring then $M_2(\mathbb{R})$ is not integral domain.

Q. \mathbb{Z}_1 has no unity

Q.) $R = \mathbb{Z}_1$ is an integral domain?

Soln \mathbb{Z}_1 has no unity then \mathbb{Z}_1 is not integral domain

Q. \mathbb{Z}_n is an integral domain iff $n=p$.

Soln let $n=p$ then \mathbb{Z}_p is commutative ring with unity 1.

$$\text{let } a \in \mathbb{Z}_p \text{ and } b \in \mathbb{Z}_p \quad \& \text{t. } a \cdot b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p \mid 0 \Rightarrow p \mid a \cdot b \Rightarrow p \mid a \text{ or } p \mid b$$

if $p \mid a$ then $a=0$

if $p \mid b$ then $b=0$

then Z_p is an Integral domain.

conversly:- if $n \neq p$ then Z_n is not integral domain.

Case I if $n=1$ then Z_1 is not integral domain.

Case II if $n > 1$ and $n \neq p$ then

$$n = p_1^{x_1} p_2^{x_2} \dots p_k^{x_k}$$

$$n = a \cdot b$$

where $0 \neq a = p_1^{y_1} \in Z_n$ & $0 \neq b = p_2^{y_2} \dots p_k^{y_k} \in Z_n$

$$\text{s.t. } a \cdot b = 0$$

then Z_n is not integral domain.

Hence from case I, II. if $n \neq p$ then Z_n is not integral domain.

Hence Z_n is an integral domain if $n = p$.

for ex^o Z_3, Z_5, Z_7, \dots are integral domain and Z_4, Z_6, Z_8, \dots are not integral domain.

Q $R = Z_n[i]$ is an integral domain?

Solⁿ Need Not

Case I \circ - if $n \neq p$

then $Z_n[i]$ is not integral domain.

becoz $Z_n \subseteq Z_n[i]$ and Z_n is not integral domain if $n \neq p$ when $n > 1$

Case II \circ - if $n=1$ then $Z_1[i] = \{0\}$

has no unity then $Z_1[i]$ is not integral domain.

from case I & II we get

$Z_n[i]$ is not integral domain if $n \neq p$.

Case III \circ -

if $n=p$ then $Z_p[i]$ is need not be an integral domain.

e.g.

$$Z_5[i] = \{a+ib \mid a, b \in Z_5\}$$

$(2+i)(2+4i) = 0$ but
 $(2+i) \neq 0$ and $(2+4i) \neq 0$

$\mathbb{Z}_3[i] = \{a+ib \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_3\}$ is an integral domain
 because $0 \neq a \in \mathbb{Z}_3[i]$ and $0 \neq b \in \mathbb{Z}_3[i]$ then
 $a \cdot b \neq 0$

Note:- If $p \nmid q$ then $\mathbb{Z}_p[i]$ is an integral domain.

For example $4 \nmid 2-3$ then $\mathbb{Z}_4[i]$ is not integral domain.

(2) $4 \nmid 3-3$ then $\mathbb{Z}_3[i]$ is an integral domain.

(3) $4 \nmid 5-3$ then $\mathbb{Z}_5[i]$ is not integral domain.

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Q. $R = \{(a, b, c) \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is an integral domain.
 $= \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

Soln:- (Need Not)
 $x = (1, 0, 0) \in R$
 $y = (0, 1, 0) \in R$

s.t. $x \cdot y = (1, 0, 0)(0, 1, 0)$
 $= (0, 0, 0)$

then $R = \{(a, b, c) \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is ^{Need} not integral domain.

H.w. $R = \{a, b, c \mid a, b \in R \text{ and } c = 0\}$ is an integral domain.
 $= \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \{0\} \Rightarrow$ ANS Need Not

let $x = (1, 0, 0) \in R$

$y = (0, 1, 0) \in R$

$x \cdot y = (0, 0, 0)$

But $(1, 0, 0) \neq (0, 0, 0)$

or $(0, 1, 0) \neq (0, 0, 0)$

Sub-Ring

let S be a non empty subset of R . $(S, +, \cdot)$ is said to be subring of R if

- ① $\forall a \in S, \forall b \in S \Rightarrow a-b \in S$ \rightarrow it's subgroup.
- ② $\forall a \in S, \forall b \in S \Rightarrow a \cdot b \in S$

Subgroup \Rightarrow Subring \checkmark

But subring $\not\Rightarrow$ Subgroup
need not

OR $(S, +, \cdot)$ itself ring.

e.g. $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot), (\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$ itself Ring.

$\emptyset \neq \mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Q} \mid \mathbb{R} \mid \mathbb{C} \mid \mathbb{Z}[i]$

\mathbb{Z} is ring then $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is subring of $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{Z}[i], +, \cdot)$

Q.No. $\emptyset \neq \mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \mid \mathbb{C}$ and $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$ is ring then $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$ is subring of $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$

Soln Given $\emptyset \neq \mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{R} \mid \mathbb{C}$

also $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$ is ring

\mathbb{Q} is non empty subset of $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$ is said to be

$(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot) / (\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$ ① $\forall a \in \mathbb{Q}, \forall b \in \mathbb{Q} \Rightarrow a-b \in \mathbb{Q}$

② $\forall a \in \mathbb{Q}, \forall b \in \mathbb{Q} \Rightarrow a \cdot b \in \mathbb{Q}$

Q.No. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

Soln $M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ then $\emptyset \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(i) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ c_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1, c_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

& $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ c_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_2, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

s.t. $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & 0 \\ c_1 - c_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1 - a_2 \in \mathbb{R}, c_1 - c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

(ii) $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ c_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ c_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 a_2 & 0 \\ c_1 a_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1 a_2 \in \mathbb{R}, c_1 a_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

then $(S, +, \cdot)$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Q.No. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbb{Z} \right\}$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$?

Soln $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ then $\emptyset \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{Z})$

i.e. then S is non empty subset of $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$

(i) let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

& $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

s.t. $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1 - a_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

(ii) $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

then $(S, +, \cdot)$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$

C.S.I.R
 $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

Soln
 $M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ then $\emptyset \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(i) let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

$A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 - b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_1 - b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

(ii) $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, 0 \in \mathbb{R}$

then $(S, +, \cdot)$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Q. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid 0 \neq b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

$M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ then $\emptyset \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(i) let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

$A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 - b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, b_1 - b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

(ii) $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \notin S (\because b \neq 0)$

then $(S, +, \cdot)$ is not subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Q. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & a+b \\ a+b & b \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is subring of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

(इसमें नतीजा है कि 1st और 4th एन्ट्री +
 2nd & 3rd position पर
 है।)

Soln $M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ then $\phi \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(i) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_1+b_1 \\ a_1+b_1 & b_1 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

$B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & a_2+b_2 \\ a_2+b_2 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_2, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

s.t.

$$A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & (a_1 + b_1) - (a_2 + b_2) \\ (a_1 + b_1) - (a_2 + b_2) & b_1 - b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & (a_1 - a_2) + (b_1 - b_2) \\ (a_1 - a_2) + (b_1 - b_2) & b_1 - b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow A - B \in S$

(ii) $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_1 + b_1 \\ a_1 + b_1 & b_1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & a_2 + b_2 \\ a_2 + b_2 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \notin S$

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

s.t. $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \notin S$

It is subgroup (\because 1st prop. satisfied) but not subgroup.

then $(S, +)$ is not subgroup of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Note $(S, +)$ is subgroup of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

H.W.
Q.
S.M.P.

$S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & a-b \\ a-b & b \end{bmatrix} / a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is subgroup of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

(1st & 4th = 2nd & 3rd position)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0-0 \\ 0-0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S \text{ then } \emptyset \neq S \subseteq M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

① let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_1-b_1 \\ a_1-b_1 & b_1 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_1, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & a_2-b_2 \\ a_2-b_2 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \in S, a_2, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

s.t.

$$A-B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1-a_2 & (a_1-a_2) - (b_2-b_1) \\ (a_1-a_2) + (b_2-b_1) & b_1-b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A-B \in S$$

② $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_1-b_1 \\ a_1-b_1 & b_1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & a_2-b_2 \\ a_2-b_2 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S, B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in S$$

it is subgroup and also subgroup.

H.P.

Q.No. $S = \{ (a, b, c) \mid a+b=c, a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z} \}$ is subring of $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$?

1st \neq

$$x = (a_1, b_1, c_1) \quad x = (1, 0, 1) \in S$$

$$y = (a_2, b_2, c_2) \quad y = (0, 1, 1) \in S$$

$$x \cdot y = (a_1 \cdot a_2, b_1 \cdot b_2, c_1 \cdot c_2) \quad x \cdot y = (0, 0, 1) \notin S$$

it is not subring

$x = (1, 0, 1) \in S$ and $y = (0, 1, 1) \in S$ s.t.

$x \cdot y = (1, 0, 1) \cdot (0, 1, 1) = (0, 0, 1) \notin S$
 then S is not subring of $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

Q. $S = \{ (a, b, c) \mid a+b+c=1, a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z} \}$ is subgp. of $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$?

Soln $\&$ also S is subgp. of $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

it is not subgroup (\because Additive identity not hold)

\Rightarrow subgroup \Rightarrow subring

\Rightarrow it is not subring

$(0, 0, 0) \notin S$ because $0+0+0 \neq 1$

then $(S, +)$ is not subgp. of $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

Q. show that $S = \{0\}$ and $S = R$ are always subring of R .

(अथवा $(R, +)$ आ (R, \cdot) के प्रप. होल सिकरि | आ at least two subring exist)
Group is condition ~~के~~ case ~~के~~ at least one ~~के~~ के ~~के~~ के

Soln

Case 1 let $S = \{0\}$

① let $a \in S$ & $b \in S \Rightarrow a - b = 0 \in S$
 ($a=0$) ($b=0$)

② let $a \in S, b \in S \Rightarrow a \cdot b = 0 \cdot 0 \Rightarrow 0 \in S$

then $S = \{0\}$ is subring of R .

Case II $\phi \neq R \subseteq R$ and $(R, +, \cdot)$ is ring then $S = R$ is subring of R .

Hence $S = \{0\}$ and $S = R$ are always ~~subgroup~~ subring of R .

Note Minimum element required for Group = 1
" " " " Ring = 1
" " " " I.D = 2
" " " " field = 2

For Example

- ① $S = \{0\}$ and $S = \mathbb{Z}$ are subring of \mathbb{Z}
- ② $S = \{0\}$ " $S = \mathbb{R}$ " " " \mathbb{R}
- ③ $S = \{0\}$ " $S = \mathbb{Z}_n$ " " " \mathbb{Z}_n

Q.No. Show that $m\mathbb{Z}$ is subring of \mathbb{Z} .

Solⁿ $m\mathbb{Z} = \{m \cdot a \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

$0 \in m\mathbb{Z}$ then $\phi \neq m\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$

① let $x \in m\mathbb{Z}$ then $x = m \cdot a_1, a_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

& $y \in m\mathbb{Z}$ " $y = m \cdot a_2, a_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

s.t. $x - y = m a_1 - m a_2 = m(a_1 - a_2) = m a_3 \in m\mathbb{Z}$,

where $a_3 = a_2 - a_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

$\Rightarrow x - y \in m\mathbb{Z}$

② $x \cdot y = (m \cdot a_1)(m \cdot a_2) = m \cdot (m a_1 a_2) = m a^1 \in m\mathbb{Z}$

where $a^1 = m a_1 a_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

$\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in m\mathbb{Z}$

then $m\mathbb{Z}$ is subring of \mathbb{Z}

for Example:-

$\{0\}, \mathbb{Z}, 2\mathbb{Z}, 3\mathbb{Z}, \dots$ are subrings of \mathbb{Z} .

Subring of Z_n

iff $m|n$ then

$$R = Z_{10} = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$$

$S = \langle m \rangle = mZ_n$ is

$$\langle 2 \rangle = \{0, 2, 4, \dots, 8\} = \{2 \cdot a \mid a \in Z_{10}\} = 2Z_{10}$$

Subgroup of Z_n . Now

$$\langle 5 \rangle = 5Z_{10}$$

mZ_n how $m|n$

Show that $S = mZ_n = \{m \cdot a \mid a \in Z_n\}$ is subring of Z_n .

① Since mZ_n is subgroup of Z_n then $\forall a \in mZ_n$,
 $\forall b \in mZ_n$ s.t. $a - b \in mZ_n$.

② Let $x \in mZ_n$ then $x = ma_1, a_1 \in Z_n$

& $y \in mZ_n$ then $y = ma_2, a_2 \in Z_n$

s.t. $x \cdot y = m(m \cdot a_1 a_2) = m \cdot a' \in mZ_n$, where $a' = ma_1 a_2$
 $\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in mZ_n$.

Hence mZ_n is subring of Z_n .

($m|n$ but $0 \nmid n$, consider $n=10$ like $\{0\}, S = \{0\}$)

Subring of Z_{10}
 $S_1 = \{0\}$ but $0 \times 10 = 0 \Rightarrow S = \{0\} = \langle 0 \rangle = \langle 10 \rangle$
 $S_2 = 2Z_{10} = \langle 2 \rangle$
 $S_3 = 5Z_{10} = \langle 5 \rangle$
 $S_4 = \dots$

Note No. of subring in $Z_n =$ No. of subgp. of $Z_n = \tau(n)$

Q. Find all subring of Z_{12} .

Soln No. of subring in $Z_{12} = \tau(12) = \tau(2^2 \times 3^1)$
 $= (2+1)(2)$
 $= 6$

divisor of 12 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12

$$S_1 = \langle 1 \rangle = 1Z_{12} = Z_{12}$$

$$S_2 = \langle 2 \rangle = 2Z_{12} = \{0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$$

$$S_4 = \langle 4 \rangle = 4\mathbb{Z}_{12} = \{0, 4, 8\}$$

$$S_5 = \langle 6 \rangle = 6\mathbb{Z}_{12} = \{0, 6\}$$

$$S_6 = \langle 12 \rangle = 0\mathbb{Z}_{12} = \{0\}$$

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z}_{49}$, How many subring of order 7.

Soln # of subring in $\mathbb{Z}_{49} = \tau(49) = \tau(7^2) = (2+1) = 3$

say ~~$S = \langle a \rangle$~~ $S_1 = \langle 1 \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_{49}$

$$S_2 = \langle 7 \rangle = 7\mathbb{Z}_{49} = \{0, 7, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42\}$$

$$S_3 = \langle 49 \rangle = \langle 0 \rangle = \{0\}$$

$$o(S_1) = 49, o(S_2) = 7, o(S_3) = 1$$

then \mathbb{Z}_{49} has unique subring of order 7.

(subring in case \mathbb{Z}_{p^2} = $(2+1)$ in case of prime)

Q.No. How many subrings in \mathbb{Z}_{p^2q} , where p and q are prime numbers.

Soln If $p \neq q$ are distinct element then $\tau(p^2q) = (2+1)(1+1) = 6$

Case 1 If $q = p$

then # of subring in $\mathbb{Z}_{p^3} = (3+1) = 4$

Case 2

If $q \neq p$

then # of subring in $\mathbb{Z}_{p^2q} = (2+1)(1+1) = 3 \cdot 2 = 6$

Sum of two subrings :-

(S: Ring नहीं बनता)

let A and B are two subring of R . The sum of two subrings is denoted by $A+B$ and defined by

$$A+B = \{a+b \mid a \in A, b \in B\}$$

For example :-

$2\mathbb{Z}$ and $4\mathbb{Z}$ are subring of \mathbb{Z}

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{then } 2\mathbb{Z} + 4\mathbb{Z} &= \{a+b \mid a \in 2\mathbb{Z}, b \in 4\mathbb{Z}\} \\
 &= \{2x+4y \mid x, y \in \mathbb{Z}\} \\
 &= \{\text{gcd}(2,4) \cdot k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \\
 &= \{2 \cdot k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} = 2\mathbb{Z}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q.No. Sum of two subring of R is subring of R ?

Solⁿ Need Not

$$S_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \text{ is subring of } M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\& S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid b \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \text{ is also subring of } M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\text{But } S_1 + S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \text{ is not subring of } M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\text{because } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S_1 + S_2$$

$$\& B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S_1 + S_2 \quad \& \cdot \quad A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \notin S_1 + S_2$$

Hence sum of two subring of R is ^{not} subring of R .

Q. If $a \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $S = a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is subring of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

$$\text{where } S = a\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a \cdot m \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}[i]\}$$

Solⁿ $S = a\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a \cdot m \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}[i]\}$

$$\text{Let } x \in S \& y \in S \text{ then } x = am_1 \& y = am_2, m_1, m_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{i} \quad x - y &= am_1 - am_2 \\
 &= a(m_1 - m_2) = am' \in S, \text{ where } m' = m_1 - m_2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{ii} \quad x \cdot y &= (am_1) \cdot (am_2) \\
 &= am_1 m_2 \\
 &= am' \in S, \text{ where } m' = m_1 m_2
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, S is subring of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$

Q.No. How many subring of $\mathbb{Q} | \mathbb{R} | \mathbb{C} | \mathbb{Z}[i]$ -
Solⁿ infinite

Q.No. Unity of Ring and subring is same?
Solⁿ Need Not

e.g. let $R = \mathbb{Z}_{10}$ is Ring with unity 1.

& $S = \text{subring of } \mathbb{Z}_{10} = 2\mathbb{Z}_{10} = \{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}$

Now $6 \in 2\mathbb{Z}_{10}$ is ~~unity~~ Now $6 \in 2\mathbb{Z}_{10}$ s.t. $a \cdot 6 = a$, $\forall a \in 2\mathbb{Z}_{10}$
 then 6 is unity of $2\mathbb{Z}_{10}$.

But $6 \neq 1$

$\Rightarrow 6 \neq 1$

then the unity of Ring & subring need not be same.

Idempotent Element! - An element $a \in R$ is said to be idempotent element of R if $a^2 = a$

Q.No. Find Idempotent Elements of \mathbb{Z} .

Solⁿ $\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$

$0^2 = 0$ if $a \neq 0$ and 1 then $a^2 = a$ in \mathbb{Z}

$1^2 = 1$ then a is not idempotent element of \mathbb{Z} .

Hence 0 and 1 are idempotent elements of \mathbb{Z}

then \mathbb{Z} has exactly two idempotent elements.

Q. How many idempotent Elements in \mathbb{Z}_8 .

Solⁿ $\mathbb{Z}_8 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$

$0 \in \mathbb{Z}_8, 0^2 = 0$

$1 \in \mathbb{Z}_8, 1^2 = 1$

Hence Z_8 has exactly two idempotent elements
say 0 & 1.

Q. how many idempotent in Z_{30}

Solⁿ $Z_{30} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 29\}$

$$\begin{array}{ll} 0^2 = 0 & (15)^2 = 15 \\ 1^2 = 1 & (16)^2 = 16 \\ 6^2 = 6 & (21)^2 = 21 \\ 10^2 = 10 & (25)^2 = 25 \end{array}$$

Hence Z_{30} has exactly 8 idempotent elements.

Q.No. If $a \in R$ is an idempotent element of R then
 $1-a$ is also idempotent element of R

unity

Let $a \in R$ and a is an idempotent element of R

$$\text{then } a^2 = a \text{ --- (1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } (1-a)^2 &= 1^2 + a^2 - 2a \\ &= 1 + a - 2a \\ &\Rightarrow (1-a)^2 = 1-a \end{aligned}$$

then $(1-a)$ is also idempotent element of R .

e.g. $0 \in Z_6$ is an idempotent element then $1-0=1$ is
also idempotent.

$3 \in Z_6$ " " " " $1-3 = -2 = 4$ is
idempotent.

Note 0-
in Z_6 $2^2 = 4$ [Means prime divisor]

$$\text{in } Z_8, 2^2 = 2^1 = 2$$

$$\text{in } Z_1 = 2^0 = 1$$

No. of idempotent element in $Z_n = 2^d$, where d is the no. of prime divisor of n .

e.g. Z_{30}

$$d = 2, 3, 5 = 3$$

$$2^3 = 8$$

(ii) No. of idempotent element in $Z_{20} = 2, 5 = 2$

$$d^2 = 2^2 = 4$$

Say 0, 1, 5, 16

(iii) No. of idempotent element in $Z_{10} = 2^2 = 4$

Say 0, 1, 5, 6

Q. If R is an integral domain then R has exactly two idempotent elements.

Solⁿ let R is an integral domain and a is an idempotent element of R then

$$a^2 = a$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - a = 0 \Rightarrow a(a-1) = 0 \quad (*)$$

Since R is an integral domain then from eqn $(*)$, we get $a=0$ or $a-1=0$

If $a=0$ then 0 is idempotent element of R .

If $a-1=0$ then $a=1$ " " " R .

Since R is an integral domain then R is a commutative ring with unity.

Hence 0 and 1 are members of R .

$\Rightarrow R$ has exactly two idempotent elements.

For Example:-

$R = \mathbb{Q} | \mathbb{R} | \mathbb{C} | \mathbb{Z}[i] | \mathbb{Z}_3[i]$ is an integral domain then R has exactly two idempotent elements.

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Z}_p$, how many idempotent elements in R ?

Solⁿ $R = \mathbb{Z}_p$ is an integral domain then R has exactly two idempotent elements.

Note converse of above statement need not be true.

$R = \mathbb{Z}_9$ has exactly two idempotent elements But \mathbb{Z}_9 is not integral domain.

Q: How many idempotent elements in $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$?

Solⁿ Let $(x, y) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ is an idempotent element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$.

$$\text{Then } (x, y)^2 = (x, y)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2, y^2) = (x, y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{x^2 = x}_{x \in \mathbb{Q}} \text{ and } \underbrace{y^2 = y}_{y \in \mathbb{R}}$$

$\Rightarrow x$ is an idempotent element of \mathbb{Q} &
 y " " " " " " \mathbb{R}

Now $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$

↓ Idempotent Element
0, 1 0, 1

$\Rightarrow (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0), (1, 1)$ are idempotent elements of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$

Hence $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}$ has exactly 4 idempotent elements.

H.w.

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}_{10}$, Find all idempotent elements.

(ii) $R = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Z}_7$ [i] \times ϕ , Find all idempotent elements.

Ans (i) & ii) = 8

Solⁿ we know that \mathbb{Q} has exactly two idempotent elements

In \mathbb{Z}_{10} , No. of prime divisors of \mathbb{Z}_{10} are 2 and 5.

$$2^d = 2^2 = 4$$

idempotents are 0, 1, 5 and 6

then $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}_{10}$ has 8 idempotent elements.
 $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 8$

Solⁿ we know that $\mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{Q}}$ has exactly two idempotent elements.

also \mathbb{Z}_7 is an integral domain and we know that integral domain has exactly two idempotent elements.

then $R = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Z}_7 \times \mathbb{Q}$ has exactly $2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$
2 2 2

Elements.

Nilpotent Elements! An element $a \in R$ is said to be nilpotent element of R if $a^n = 0$, for some $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ or $n \in \mathbb{N}$

Q. Find all Nilpotent elements of \mathbb{Z}

Solⁿ $\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$

$0 \in \mathbb{Z}$, s.t. $0^1 = 0$ then 0 is Nilpotent element of \mathbb{Z} .

$0 \neq x \in \mathbb{Z}$ then $x^n \neq 0$ because \mathbb{Z} is an integral domain.

then \mathbb{Z} has exactly one element is Nilpotent - say 0,
Nilpotent element.

Similarly $\mathbb{Q}[X]/(X^2)$ has exactly one nilpotent element.

Q.No. If R is an integral domain then R has exactly one nilpotent element.

Soln. Let R is an integral domain and $x \in R$ is nilpotent element of R then $x^n = 0$, for some n

$$\Rightarrow x x^{n-1} = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Since R is an integral domain then from eqn (1), we get

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x^{n-1} = 0$$

If $x = 0$ then 0 is nilpotent element of R

Now if $x \neq 0$ then $\underbrace{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdots x}_{n \text{ times}} \neq 0$

But from (1) $\Rightarrow x^n = 0$ then supposition is wrong. Hence $x \neq 0$ is not possible.

Hence only 0 is nilpotent element of R .

Hence R has exactly one nilpotent element.

For Example:-

$$R = \mathbb{Z}[X]/(X^2) \cong \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\} / \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\} \cong \mathbb{Z} \times \{0\}$$

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Z}_6$ then How many nilpotent elements?

Soln

$$\mathbb{Z}_6 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

$0^1 = 0$, then 0 is nilpotent element

$1^n \neq 0$ " " " " " "

$2^n \neq 0$ " " " " " "

$3^n \neq 0$ " " " " " "

$4^n \neq 0$ " " " " " "

$5^n \neq 0$ " " " " " "

then \mathbb{Z}_6 has only one nilpotent element. say 0

Note \mathbb{Z}_6 has exactly one Nilpotent element but \mathbb{Z}_6 is not integral domain.

Hence converse of above statement need not be true.
for e.g. \mathbb{Z}_6 has exactly one Nilpotent element but \mathbb{Z}_6 is not integral domain.

Q. Find all Nilpotent element of \mathbb{Z}_8 .

$$\mathbb{Z}_8 = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 7\}$$

$$0^1 = 0$$

$1^n \neq 0$ then 1 is not possible similarly $3^n \neq 0, 5^n \neq 0, 7^n \neq 0$

$$2^3 = 8 = 0 \text{ then } 2 \text{ is nilpotent}$$

$$4^2 = 16 = 0 \text{ " } 4 \text{ " "}$$

$$6^3 = 216 = 0 \text{ " } 6 \text{ " "}$$

then 0, 2, 4, 6 are Nilpotent element of \mathbb{Z}_8 .

NOTE - If $n > 1$ then $n = p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2} \dots p_k^{\alpha_k}$

then # of nilpotent element in $\mathbb{Z}_n = p_1^{\alpha_1-1} p_2^{\alpha_2-1} \dots p_k^{\alpha_k-1}$

for e.g.

$$\begin{aligned} \# \text{ of nilpotent elements in } \mathbb{Z}_{10} &= 2^{1-1} \cdot 5^{1-1} \\ &= 2^0 \cdot 5^0 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\# \text{ of Nilpotent element in } \mathbb{Z}_{20} = 2^{2-1} \cdot 5^{1-1} = 2 \text{ say } 0, 10$$

H.w.

Q.No. Find all Nilpotent element of $\mathbb{Z}_{1024} = \mathbb{Z}_{2^{10}}$

of nilpotent element in $\mathbb{Z}_{2^{10}}$

$$= 2^{10-1} = 2^9$$

$$\text{i.e. } 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, \dots, 1022$$

\mathbb{Z}_8
 $2^3 = 8$
2, 4, 6
of Nilpotent element
2, 4, 6
2, 4, 6
2, 4, 6

Q.No. Find Nilpotent element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$

Solⁿ let $(x, y) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$ is nilpotent element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$

then $\exists n$ s.t. $(x, y)^n = (0, 0)$

$$\Rightarrow (x^n, y^n) = (0, 0) \Rightarrow x^n = 0 \text{ and } y^n = 0$$

$\Rightarrow x$ is nilpotent element of \mathbb{Q} and y is nilpotent element of \mathbb{Z} .

Now $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$
Nilpotent Element
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $0 \quad 0$

then nilpotent element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z} = (0, 0)$

H.w. $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}$ has exactly one nilpotent element.

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Z}_8 \times \mathbb{R}$, find all Nilpotent Element of R .
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $0 \quad 0, 2, 4, 6 \quad 0$

\mathbb{Q} has exactly one nilpotent element

\mathbb{Z}_8 " " 4 "

\mathbb{R} " " 1 "

then All Nilpotent element of R is

$$(0, 0, 0), (0, 2, 0), (0, 4, 0), (0, 6, 0).$$

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Z}_p$, how many nilpotent elements.

Solⁿ \mathbb{Z}_p is an integral domain then \mathbb{Z}_p has exactly one nilpotent element say 0.

Imp. Q.No. If R is commutative ring, and a , and b are nilpotent element of R then $a+b$ is also nilpotent element of R .

Soln Let a is nilpotent element of R then $\exists n$ s.t. $a^n = 0$ — (i)

& b " " " " R " m " $a^m = 0$ — (ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{s.t. } (a+b)^{n+m} &= \binom{n+m}{0} a^{n+m} b^0 + \binom{n+m}{1} a^{n+m-1} b^1 + \dots \\ &\quad + \binom{n+m}{m} a^n b^m + \dots + \binom{n+m}{n+m} a^0 b^{n+m} \\ &= 0 + 0 + 0 + \dots + 0 + \dots + 0 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b)^{n+m} = 0$$

$\Rightarrow a+b$ is also nilpotent element of R

e.g. 2 is nilpotent element of Z_8

4 is " " " "

& Z_8 is commutative then $2+4=6$ is also nilpotent element.

Note:- If R is non commutative then above Result need not be true.

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ s.t. $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

then A is nilpotent element of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

& $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$ s.t. $B^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ then B is nilpotent element of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$.

s.t.

$$A+B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R}) \text{ s.t. } (A+B)^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

then $A+B$ is not nilpotent element of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$.

Q.No: If R is commutative Ring and a, b is nilpotent element of R then $a \cdot b$ is also nilpotent element of R . It is need not be true if R is non commutative Ring.

Soln Let R is commutative and a is nilpotent element of R
 then $a^n = 0$ — (1), for some n

Now $b \in R$ s.t.

$$(a \cdot b)^n = a^n b^n \quad (\because R \text{ is commutative})$$

$$= 0 \cdot b^n = 0 \quad (\text{from eqn (1)})$$

$$\Rightarrow (ab)^n = 0$$

$\Rightarrow a \cdot b$ is also nilpotent.

Note:- it is need not be true if R is non commutative

Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ then A is nilpotent element of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Now $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t.

$$A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

But $A \cdot B$ is not nilpotent element of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$.

Q.No. If $a \cdot b$ is Nilpotent element of R then $b \cdot a$ is also nilpotent element of R .

Soln let $a \cdot b$ is nilpotent element of R then $\exists n$ s.t.

$$(ab)^n = 0 \text{ — (1)}$$

Case I if R is commutative

$$\text{Now } (ba)^n = (ab)^n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (ba)^n = 0$$

then ba is also nilpotent element of R .

Case II \circ - if R is non commutative

$$(ba)^{n+1} = \underbrace{(ba)(ba)\dots(ba)}_{(n+1) \text{ times}}$$

$$= b \underbrace{(ab)(ab)\dots(ab)}_{(n+1) \text{ times}} a$$

$$= b(ab)^n a = b \cdot 0 \cdot a \quad (\text{from 1})$$

$$(ba)^{n+1} = 0$$

then ba is nilpotent element of R .

From case I & II

ba is always nilpotent element of R if ab is nilpotent element of R .

Units

Statement - An element $a \in R$ is said to be unit element of R if R has multiplicative inverse of a .

The set of all units of R is denoted by $\underline{U(R)}$ and defined

$$\boxed{U(n) \rightarrow \text{unit group}} \quad \text{by } U(R) = \{a \in R \mid a^{-1} \text{ is exist in } R\}$$

Q.No. Find $U(\mathbb{Z})$

Soln $U(\mathbb{Z}) = \{1, -1\} = \mathbb{Z}^*$

Q.No. $U(\mathbb{Z}[i]) = ?$

(2) $U(\mathbb{Q}) = ?$

(3) $U(\mathbb{R}) = ?$

(4) $U(\mathbb{C}) = ?$

(5) $U(\mathbb{Z}[i]) = ?$

Soln (i) $U(\mathbb{Z}[i]) = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}[i] \mid x^{-1} \text{ is exist in } \mathbb{Z}[i]\}$
 $= \{1, -1, i, -i\} = \mathbb{Z}[i]^*$

(ii) $U(\mathbb{Q}) = \{x \in \mathbb{Q} \mid x^{-1} \text{ is exist w.r.t. multiplication in } \mathbb{Q}\}$
 $= \{x \mid 0 \neq x \in \mathbb{Q}\}$
 $= \mathbb{Q} - \{0\} = \mathbb{Q}^*$

Similarly

$$U(R) = R - \{0\} = R^*$$

$$U(\mathbb{F}) = \mathbb{F} - \{0\} = \mathbb{F}^*$$

$$(5) U(\mathbb{Z}_{15}) = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{Z}_{15} \mid x^{-1} \text{ is exist w.r.t. Multiplication modulo } 15 \right\}$$

$$= \{ x \in \mathbb{Z}_{15} \mid \gcd(x, 15) = 1 \}$$

$$= \{ x \mid 1 \leq x \leq 15 \text{ and } \gcd(x, 15) = 1 \}$$

$$U(\mathbb{Z}_{15}) = \{ 1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14 \}$$

$$= \mathbb{Z}_{15}^*$$

Note - If $n > 1$ then # of units in $\mathbb{Z}_n = \phi(n)$

Q.No. $R = \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$, find $U(\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q})$?

Soln

$$\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q} = \{ (a, b) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}, b \in \mathbb{Q} \}$$

$(1, 1) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is the unity of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$.

Let $(x_1, y_1) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$ is unit element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$ then \exists

$(x_2, y_2) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}$

$$\text{s.t. } (x_1, y_1)(x_2, y_2) = (1, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x_1 x_2, y_1 y_2) = (1, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 x_2 = 1, y_1 y_2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 \text{ is unit in } \mathbb{Q}.$$

$$\& y_1 \text{ is unit in } \mathbb{Q}.$$

$$\Rightarrow (x_1, y_1)^{-1} = (x_1^{-1}, y_1^{-1})$$

Now

$$U(\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{Q}) = \{ (x, y) \mid x^{-1} \text{ is exist in } \mathbb{Q} \& y^{-1} \text{ is exist in } \mathbb{Q} \}$$

$$= \{ (x, y) \mid 0 \neq x \in \mathbb{Q}, 0 \neq y \in \mathbb{Q} \}$$

$$= \{ (x, y) \mid x \in \mathbb{Q}^*, y \in \mathbb{Q}^* \}$$

$$= \mathbb{Q}^* \times \mathbb{Q}^*$$

$$= U(\mathbb{Q}) \times U(\mathbb{Q})$$

Similarly

$$U(\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R}) = U(\mathbb{Q}) \times U(\mathbb{R})$$

$$= \mathbb{Q}^* \times \mathbb{R}^*$$

Imp. Find unit of $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

Soln

$$\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} = \{(a, 0) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}\}$$

Let $(x, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ is the unity of $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

Let $(y, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ is the unit element of $\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$

then $\exists (y, 0) \in \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}$ s.t.

$$(x, 0)(y, 0) = (1, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x \cdot y, 0 \cdot 0) = (1, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cdot y = 1$$

$\Rightarrow x^{-1}$ is exist in \mathbb{Q} .

~~$U(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\})$~~ Now $U(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}) = \{(x, 0) \mid (x, 0)^{-1} \text{ is exist in } \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}\}$

$$= \{(x, 0) \mid x^{-1} \text{ is exist in } \mathbb{Q}\}$$

$$= \{(x, 0) \mid 0 \neq x \in \mathbb{Q}\}$$

$$= \{(x, 0) \mid x \in \mathbb{Q}^*\}$$

$$= \mathbb{Q}^* \times \{0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow U(\mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}) = \mathbb{Q}^* \times \{0\} = U(\mathbb{Q}) \times \{0\}$$

Note:

$$\mathbb{Q}^* \times \{0\} = \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} - \{(0, 0)\}$$

H.w.

$$U(\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{F}) = ?$$

$$U(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}) = ?$$

Ans: $\mathbb{Q} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{F} = \{(a, b, c) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}, b \in \mathbb{R}, c \in \mathbb{F}\}$

a^{-1} exist in $\mathbb{Q}, 0 \neq a$

b^{-1} " " $\mathbb{R}, 0 \neq b$

c^{-1} " " $\mathbb{F}, 0 \neq c$

$$= \{(a, b, c) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}^*, b \in \mathbb{R}^*, c \in \mathbb{F}^*\}$$

$$= \mathbb{Q}^* \times \mathbb{R}^* \times \mathbb{F}^*$$

$$= U(\mathbb{Q}) \times U(\mathbb{R}) \times U(\mathbb{F})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
U(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\}) &= \{ (x, y, 0) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} \mid (x, y, 0)^{-1} \text{ exist in } \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{Q} \times \{0\} \} \\
&= \{ (x, y, 0) \mid x^{-1} \text{ exist in } \mathbb{R} \text{ \& } y^{-1} \text{ exist in } \mathbb{Q} \} \\
&= \{ (x, y, 0) \mid 0 \neq x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ \& } 0 \neq y \in \mathbb{Q} \} \\
&= \{ (x, y, z) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^*, y \in \mathbb{Q}^* \} \\
&= \mathbb{R}^* \times \mathbb{Q}^* \times \{0\} \\
&= U(\mathbb{R}) \times U(\mathbb{Q}) \times \{0\}
\end{aligned}$$

H.P.

Note: If $R_1, R_2, R_3, \dots, R_n$ are commutative ring with unity
then $U(R_1 \times R_2 \times \dots \times R_n) = U(R_1) \times U(R_2) \times \dots \times U(R_n)$

Ideal

Left Ideal :- Let I is non empty subgp of R ,
 $(R, +, \cdot)$ is an ideal of R .

- if ① $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow a - b \in I$
② $\forall a \in I, \forall r \in I \Rightarrow r \cdot a \in I$

Right ideal :- $(R, +, \cdot)$ is an ideal of $(R, +, \cdot)$

- ① $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow a - b \in I$
② $\forall a \in I, \forall r \in I \Rightarrow a \cdot r \in I$

Q.No. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is Right ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

(i) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

s.t. $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & b_1 - b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

(ii) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $X = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t. $A \cdot X = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 a + b_1 c & a_1 b + b_1 d \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

then S is right ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

H.w.
Q. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is left ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

(i) $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is left ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$?

Solⁿ (i) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

s.t. $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & b_1 - b_2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

(ii) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $X = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

s.t.

$$X \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a a_1 + 0 & a b_1 + 0 \\ c a_1 & d b_1 \end{bmatrix} \notin S$$

then S is not left ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$

Solⁿ
(ii)

Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ b_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ b_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

s.t. $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ b_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ b_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 - a_2 & 0 \\ b_1 - b_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$

(ii) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ b_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$ and $X = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$

$$X \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ b_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} aa_1 + bb_1 & 0 \\ ca_1 + db_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S$$

then S is left ideal of $M_2(\mathbb{R})$.

Note:- If R is commutative ring then every left ideal of R is right ideal of R .

Ideal:-

Let I is non empty subgroup of R , $(I, +, \cdot)$ is said to be an ideal of R if

- (i) $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I$ s.t. $a - b \in I$
- (ii) $\forall a \in I, \forall x \in R$ s.t. $xa \in I$ and $ax \in I$

Q.No. $I = \mathbb{Z}$ is an ideal of \mathbb{Q} ?

Soln $2 \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $\frac{1}{3} \in \mathbb{Q}$

$$\text{But } 2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3} \notin \mathbb{Z}$$

then \mathbb{Z} is not ideal of \mathbb{Q} .

Similarly, \mathbb{Z} is not ideal of $\mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ and $\mathbb{Z}[i]$
 \mathbb{Q} is " " " \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}

Q.No. Show that $I = m\mathbb{Z}$ is an ideal of \mathbb{Z} .

Soln $\mathbb{Z} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$

$$\& m\mathbb{Z} = \{m \cdot a \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

(i) $I = m\mathbb{Z}$ is subgroup of \mathbb{Z} then $\forall a \in m\mathbb{Z}, \forall b \in m\mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow a - b \in m\mathbb{Z}$$

(ii) Let $x \in m\mathbb{Z}$ then $x = m \cdot a$ and $a \in \mathbb{Z}$

and $\forall x \in Z$ s.t. $\gamma \cdot x = \gamma \cdot m \cdot a = m \gamma \cdot a = m \cdot a' \in mZ$

$\Rightarrow \gamma \cdot x \in mZ$

where $a' = \gamma \cdot a \in Z$

Since Z is commutative then $x \cdot \gamma = \gamma \cdot x \in mZ$
then $x \cdot \gamma \in mZ$

Hence mZ is an ideal of Z

Note - Every subgp. of Z is an ideal of Z
Hence Z has infinite no. of ideals.

e.g. $\{0\}, Z, 2Z, \dots$ are ideals of Z .

Q.No. If I is an ideal of R then I is subring of R .

Soln let I is an ideal of R then

(i) $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow a - b \in I$

(ii) $\forall a \in I, \forall \gamma \in I \Rightarrow \gamma \cdot a \in I$ and $a \cdot \gamma \in I$

Now Since I is an ideal of R then $\emptyset \neq I \subseteq R$
from (i) we get

(i)' $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow a - b \in I$

(ii)' $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow b \in R$, because $I \subseteq R$
s.t. $a \cdot b \in I$

then I is subring of R . Note but converse of above statement cannot true.

e.g. Z is subring of $Z[i]$

But Z is not ideal of $Z[i]$

because $2 \in Z, i \in Z[i]$, but $2i \notin Z$

Q.No. show $I = \{0\}$ and $I = R$ is always ideal of R .

Soln Case 1: let $I = \{0\}$

(i) $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I \Rightarrow a - b = 0 - 0 = 0 \in I \Rightarrow a - b \in I$

(ii) $\forall a \in I, \forall \gamma \in I \Rightarrow a \cdot \gamma = \gamma \cdot a = 0 \in I$

$\Rightarrow \gamma \cdot a = a \cdot \gamma \in I$
 then $I = \{0\}$ is an ideal of R .

Case II Let $I = R$ ① $\forall a \in I, \forall b \in I$
 $\Rightarrow a - b \in R$
 $\Rightarrow a - b \in I$

② $\forall a \in I = R, \forall h \in R$

s.t. $h \cdot a \in R$ (By closure prop. because)
 $\& a \cdot h \in R$ (R is Ring)

then $I = R$ is an ideal of R
 from Case I & II, $I = \{0\}$ & $I = R$ are always an ideal of R .

For Example:-

- ① $I = \{0\}$ & $I = \mathbb{Q}$ are ideal of \mathbb{Q}
- ② $I = \{0\}$ & $I = \mathbb{Z}[i]$ " " " $\mathbb{Z}[i]$
- ③ $I = \{0\}$ " $I = \mathbb{R}$ " " " \mathbb{R}

Q. If I is an ideal of R and $1 \in I$ then $I = R$

Soln

let I is an ideal of R and $1 \in I$

since I is an ideal of R then $I \subseteq R$ — ①

Now Let $x \in R$ s.t. $x \cdot 1 \in I$

$\Rightarrow x \in I$

$\Rightarrow x$ is subset of I ($\because I$ is an ideal of R)

$\Rightarrow R \subseteq I$ — ②

from ① and ②, we get.

$$R = I$$

Q. Let $I = \{0, a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$ be an ideal of R then

- ① $I \subseteq R$
- ② $R \subseteq I$
- ③ $I = R$

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Soln I is an ideal of R and $1 \in I$ then $I = R$

Q. Show that $I = m\mathbb{Z}_n = \langle m \rangle$ is an ideal of \mathbb{Z}_n .

Soln $I = \langle m \rangle = m\mathbb{Z}_n = \{m \cdot a \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}_n\}$

(i) $\langle m \rangle = m\mathbb{Z}_n$ is subring of \mathbb{Z}_n then

$$\forall x \in m\mathbb{Z}_n, \forall y \in m\mathbb{Z}_n \Rightarrow x - y \in m\mathbb{Z}_n$$

(ii) Let $x \in m\mathbb{Z}_n$ then $x = m \cdot a$, $a \in \mathbb{Z}_n$

$$\& y \in \mathbb{Z}_n \text{ s.t. } x \cdot y = m \cdot a \cdot y = m a' \in m\mathbb{Z}_n, \text{ where } a' = ay \in \mathbb{Z}_n$$

$$\Rightarrow x \cdot y \in m\mathbb{Z}_n$$

Since \mathbb{Z}_n is commutative Ring then $x \cdot y = y \cdot x$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot x \in m\mathbb{Z}_n$$

then $m\mathbb{Z}_n$ is an ideal of \mathbb{Z}_n .

Note Every subring of \mathbb{Z}_n is an ideal of \mathbb{Z}_n .

then $\#$ of ideals in $\mathbb{Z}_n = \tau(n)$

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z}_{40}$, find No. of ideals in \mathbb{Z}_{40}

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Soln } \# \text{ of ideals in } \mathbb{Z}_{40} &= \tau(40) = 2^3 \cdot 5^1 \\ &= (3+1)(1+1) \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{say } I_1 &= \{0\} & I_6 &= \langle 10 \rangle \\ I_2 &= \langle 2 \rangle & I_7 &= \langle 20 \rangle \\ I_3 &= \langle 4 \rangle & I_8 &= \mathbb{Z}_{40} \\ I_4 &= \langle 5 \rangle \\ I_5 &= \langle 8 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Q. How many ideals in \mathbb{Z}_{100} of order 25

Ans \mathbb{Z}_{100} has unique subgp. of order 25 then \mathbb{Z}_{100} has unique ideal of order 25.

Becoz every subgp. of \mathbb{Z}_n is an ideal of \mathbb{Z}_n .

Q. $R = \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$, how many ideals of order p in \mathbb{Z}_{p^2} ?

Solⁿ \mathbb{Z}_{p^2} has unique subgp. of order p .

then \mathbb{Z}_{p^2} has unique ideal of order p .

H.P.

Q. if $a \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $\mathcal{I} = \langle a \rangle = \{a \cdot k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}[i]\} = a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

Solⁿ $\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a + ib \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ — ①

and $\mathcal{I} = \langle a \rangle = a\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

① Let $x \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $x = a \cdot k_1, k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

& $y \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ " $y = a \cdot k_2, k_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

s.t. $x - y = a(k_1 - k_2)$

$= a \cdot k' \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$, where $k' = k_1 - k_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

② Let $x \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$

then $x = a \cdot k_1, k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$

and $h \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ s.t. $x \cdot h = a \cdot k_1 \cdot h = a \cdot k' \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ where $k' = k_1 \cdot h$

$\Rightarrow x \cdot h \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$

Since $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is commutative

then $x \cdot h = h \cdot x \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$

$\Rightarrow h \cdot x \in a\mathbb{Z}[i]$

then $a\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

e.g. ① $i \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $\mathcal{I} = \langle i \rangle = i\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

(ii) $1+i \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $I = \langle 1+i \rangle = (1+i)\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

(iii) $2+3i \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ then $I = \langle 2+3i \rangle = (2+3i)\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

Note: $i\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z}[i]$
 $i\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{i \cdot a \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}[i]\}$
 $-i\mathbb{Z}[i]$ and $i\mathbb{Z}[i]$

such that $i(-i) \in i\mathbb{Z}[i]$, because $i\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[i]$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \in i\mathbb{Z}[i]$$

$$\text{then } i\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z}[i]$$

Similarly $-i\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z}[i]$
 $-i\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z}[i]$