

## Class 12<sup>th</sup> 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  $\phi$  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  $\phi$  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  $\phi$  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  $o$  :  $R \times R \rightarrow R$  defined by  $a * b = |a - b|$  and  $a o b = a$

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

(.) Show that  $o$  is associative but not commutative

(.) Show that  $a * (b o c) = (a * b) o (a * c)$

(.) Does 0 distributes over  $*$  ?

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

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

$$= 1 * 3$$

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

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

$$= 1 * 1$$

$$= |1 - 1|$$

$$= 0$$

clearly  $*$  is not Associate on R

(.) Consider  $a o b = a$

Commutative:  $a o b = a$

$$b o a = b$$

$$a o b \Rightarrow b o a$$

e.g.  $1 \circ 2 = 1$   
 $2 \circ 1 = 2$

clearly  $\circ$  is not commutative on  $R$

Associative :

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

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

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

$\therefore \circ$  is Associative on  $R$

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

LHS  $a * (b \circ c)$

$$= a * b$$

$$= |a - b|$$

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

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

$$= |a - b|$$

clearly LHS = RHS

(.)  $\circ$  distributes over when,

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

LHS  $a \circ (b * c)$

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

$$= a$$

RHS  $(a \circ b) \circ (a \circ c)$

$$= a \circ a$$

$$= |a - a|$$

$$= 0$$

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  $a$  &  $b$  construct the operation table.

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

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

here  $x = 4$

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

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

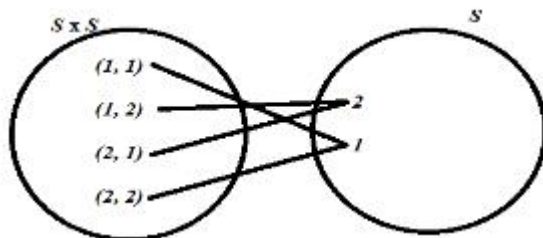
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|          |          | <b>b</b> |          |          |          |
|          | <b>*</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> |
| <b>a</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> |
|          | <b>2</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> |
|          | <b>3</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>1</b> |
|          | <b>4</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>4</b> |

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

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 * 1 &= 1 \\
 1 * 2 &= 2 & a * e &= a \text{ and } e * a = a \\
 2 * 1 &= 2 & \text{here } e &= 1, a = 1 \& 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{and } 2 * 2 &= 1 & a * b &= e \\
 & & \text{here } a &= 2 ; b = 2 \& e = 1 \\
 & & & (2 \text{ is the inverse of } 2 \text{ given})
 \end{aligned}$$



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

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

$\therefore$  0 is the identity element  
 Consider ,  $a * b = a + b - 6$   

$$\begin{array}{l|l}
 a * e = a & e * a = a \\
 a + e - 6 = a & e + a - 6 = a
 \end{array}$$

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

$\therefore 0$  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)  $* : R \times R \rightarrow R$

$$a * b = a + b$$

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

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

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

$$a * b = ab$$

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

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

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

$$a * b = a - b$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a * e = a \\ a - e = a \\ -e = 0 \\ e = 0 \in R \end{array} \right| \begin{array}{l} e * a = a \\ e - a = a \\ e = 2a \end{array}$$

but  $e$  can not be in terms of  $a$  or variable

$\therefore$  identity element does not exist

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

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

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

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 :

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

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = \pm x_2$$

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

$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$   
 $\therefore f$  is one-one function

ON-TO :

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  $\mathbb{R}_+$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= f(\sqrt{y - 4}) \\ &= (\sqrt{y - 4})^2 + 4 \\ &= y - 4 + 4 \\ f(x) &= y \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f$  is on-to function  
 $\therefore f$  is bijective  
 $\therefore f$  is invertible

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

Q.10) Let  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow S$ , 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,

$f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow S$

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

One-One :-

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

and  $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

$\therefore f$  is one-one function

On-To

let  $y = f(x)$

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

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

here  $a = 4, b = 12$  and  $c = 15 - y$

by quadratic formula,

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$f(x) = y$$

$\therefore f$  is on-to function

$\therefore f$  is bijective

$\therefore f$  is invertible

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

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