B.A/B.Sc	Semester-III	Credits:4
Course:3	ABSTRACT ALGEBRA	Hrs/Weak:5

Course Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, the student will be able to;

- acquire the basic knowledge and structure of groups, subgroups and cyclic groups.
- get the significance of the notation of a normal subgroups.
- get the behavior of permutations and operations on them.
- study the homomorphisms and isomorphisms with applications.
- Understand the ring theory concepts with the help of knowledge in group theory and to prove thetheorems.
- Understand the applications of ring theory in various fields.

UNIT I:(12 Hours)

GROUPS : Binary Operation – Algebraic structure – semi group-monoid – Group definition and elementary properties Finite and Infinite groups – examples – order of a group, Composition tables with examples.

UNIT II:(12 Hours)

SUBGROUP:Complex Definition – Multiplication of two complexes Inverse of a complex-Subgroup definition- examples-criterion for a complex to be a subgroups. Criterion for the product of two subgroups to be a subgroup-union and Intersection of subgroups. **Co-sets and Lagrange's Theorem:** Cosets Definition

- properties of Cosets-Index of a subgroups of a finite groups-Lagrange's Theorem.

UNIT III: (12 Hours)

NORMAL SUBGROUPS: Definition of normal subgroup – proper and improper normal subgroup – Hamilton group – criterion for a subgroup to be a normal subgroup – intersection of two normal subgroups – Sub group of index 2 is a normal sub group –quotient group – criteria for the existence of a quotient group.

UNIT IV: (12 Hours)

HOMOMORPHISM: Definition of homomorphism – Image of homomorphism elementary properties of homomorphism – Isomorphism – automorphism definitions and elementary properties—kernel of a homomorphism – fundamental theorem on Homomorphism and applications.

PERMUTATIONS: Definition of permutation – permutation multiplication – Inverse of a permutation – cyclic permutations – transposition – even and odd permutations – Cayley's theorem.

UNIT V:(12 Hours)

RINGS Definition of Ring and basic properties, Boolean Rings, divisors of zero and cancellation laws Rings, Integral Domains, Division Ring and Fields, The characteristic of a ring - The characteristic of an Integral Domain, The characteristic of a Field. Sub Rings.

Co-Curricular Activities (15 Hours)

Seminar/ Quiz/ Assignments/ Group theory and its applications / Problem Solving.

TEXT BOOK:

1. A text book of Mathematics for B.A. / B.Sc. by B.V.S.S. SARMA and others, published by S.Chand & Company, New Delhi.

REFERENCE BOOKS:

- 1. Abstract Algebra by J.B. Fraleigh, Published by Narosa publishing house.
- 2. Modern Algebra by M.L. Khanna.
- 3. Rings and Linear Algebra by Pundir & Pundir, published by Pragathi Prakashan.