Unit IV

7. (a) If $r \ge 3$, then show that :

$$U_{2^r} = \{ \pm 3^i : 0 \le i \le 2^{r-2} \}$$

- (b) Prove that the group U_n is cyclic for every $n = 1, 2, 4, p^r$ or $2p^r$, where p is a prime and r is a positive integer.
- **8.** (a) Let x be any primitive roots modulo p^2 , then prove that x is a primitive root modulo p^e for all $e \ge 2$.
 - (b) Show that the cubic polynomial $x^3 1$ has nine roots in \mathbb{Z}_{63} .

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Unit I

- 1. (a) Suppose that gcd(a, m) = 1, then prove that $a^{\phi(m)} \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$. Deduce that $\frac{1}{5}n^5 + \frac{1}{3}n^3 + \frac{7}{15}n$ is an integer for every integer n.
 - (b) Prove that if n is composite, then $2^n 1$ is also composite. Is the converse true?
- 2. (a) Show that there are infinitely many primes of the form 4k + 1.
 - (b) State and prove Wilson's theorem.

Unit II

- 3. (a) Find all integers that give remainder 1,2, 3 when divided by 3, 4, 5 respectively.
 - (b) State Hurwitz theorem and prove that the constant in Hurwitz is the least possible.

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- **4.** (a) If gcd(a, m) = 1, then prove that $ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$ has exactly one solution. Using this solve linear Diophantine equation 9x + 16y = 35.
 - (b) Prove that π is irrational.

Unit III

- 5. (a) Prove that every prime of the form 4n + 1 can be written as a sum of two squares.
 - (b) Let p be an odd prime and gcd (a, p) = 1. Then prove that a is a quadratic residue or non-residue of p accordingly as : $a^{(p-1)/2} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$, $a^{(p-1)/2} \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$ Find all quadratic residue and non-residue for p = 13.
- **6.** (a) Prove that G(2) = 4.
 - (b) Define Jacobi Symbol. Suppose that P and Q is odd and P, Q > 0, then prove that :

$$\left(\frac{P}{Q}\right)\left(\frac{Q}{P}\right) = \left(-1\right)^{(P-1)(Q-1)/4}$$

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