

RELATION-EXERCISE

- In the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$, a relation R is defined by $R = \{(x, y) : x, y \in A \text{ and } x < y\}$. Then R is-
(1) Reflexive (2) Symmetric
(3) Transitive (4) None of these
- For real numbers x and y , we write $x R y \Leftrightarrow x - y + \sqrt{2}$ is an irrational number. Then the relation R is-
(1) Reflexive (2) Symmetric
(3) Transitive (4) none of these
- Let L denote the set of all straight lines in a plane. Let a relation R be defined by $\alpha R \beta \Leftrightarrow \alpha \perp \beta$, $\alpha, \beta \in L$. Then R is-
(1) Reflexive (2) Symmetric
(3) Transitive (4) none of these
- Let R be a relation defined in the set of real numbers by $a R b \Leftrightarrow 1 + ab > 0$. Then R is-
(1) Equivalence relation (2) Transitive
(3) Symmetric (4) Anti-symmetric
- Two points P and Q in a plane are related if $OP = OQ$, where O is a fixed point. This relation is-
(1) Reflexive but symmetric
(2) Symmetric but not transitive
(3) An equivalence relation
(4) none of these
- Let $A = \{2, 3, 4, 5\}$ and let $R = \{(2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4), (5, 5), (2, 3), (3, 2), (3, 5), (5, 3)\}$ be a relation in A . Then R is-
(1) Reflexive and transitive
(2) Reflexive and symmetric
(3) Reflexive and antisymmetric
(4) none of these
- Let L be the set of all straight lines in the Euclidean plane. Two lines ℓ_1 and ℓ_2 are said to be related by the relation R if ℓ_1 is parallel to ℓ_2 . Then the relation R is-
(1) Reflexive (2) Symmetric
(3) Transitive (4) Equivalence
- Let $A = \{p, q, r\}$. Which of the following is an equivalence relation in A ?
(1) $R_1 = \{(p, q), (q, r), (p, r), (p, p)\}$
(2) $R_2 = \{(r, q), (r, p), (r, r), (q, q)\}$
(3) $R_3 = \{(p, p), (q, q), (r, r), (p, q)\}$
(4) none of these
- The relation R defined in $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ by $a R b$ if $|a^2 - b^2| \leq 5$. Which of the following is false-
(1) $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (2, 1), (1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$
(2) $R^{-1} = R$
(3) Domain of $R = \{1, 2, 3\}$
(4) Range of $R = \{5\}$
- Let N denote the set of all natural numbers and R be the relation on $N \times N$ defined by $(a, b) R (c, d)$ if $ad(b + c) = bc(a + d)$, then R is-
(1) Symmetric only
(2) Reflexive only
(3) Transitive only
(4) An equivalence relation
- Let $P = \{(x, y) : x^2 + y^2 = 1, x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ Then P is-
(1) reflexive (2) symmetric
(3) transitive (4) anti-symmetric
- If R be a relation ' $<$ ' from $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ to $B = \{1, 3, 5\}$ i.e. $(a, b) \in R$ iff $a < b$, then $R \cup R^{-1}$ is-
(1) $\{(1, 3), (1, 5), (2, 3), (2, 5), (3, 5), (4, 5)\}$
(2) $\{(3, 1), (5, 1), (3, 2), (5, 2), (5, 3), (5, 4)\}$
(3) $\{(3, 3), (3, 5), (5, 3), (5, 5)\}$
(4) $\{(3, 3), (3, 4), (4, 5)\}$
- Let R and S be two equivalence relations in a set A . Then-
(1) $R \cup S$ is an equivalence relation in A
(2) $R \cap S$ is an equivalence relation in A
(3) $R - S$ is an equivalence relation in A
(4) none of these

- 14. Statement-1 :** In the set $N \times N$ consider relation R defined as $(a, b) R (c, d) \Leftrightarrow ad = bc$; then R is equivalence relation.
- Statement-2 :** Relation R is reflexive, symmetric & transitive.
- (1) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (2) Statement-1 is false, Statement-2 is true
- (3) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is false
- (4) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1.
- 15. Statement-1 :** Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $B = \{a, b, c, d\}$,
 $C = \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma\}$
 $R = \{(1, a) (1, c) (2, d)\}$ and
 $S = \{(a, \alpha) (a, \gamma) (c, \beta)\}$
 then $SOR = \{(1, \alpha) (1, \gamma) (1, \beta)\}$
- Statement-2 :** $R \subseteq A \times B$, $S \subseteq B \times C$ and $SOR \subseteq A \times C$.
- (1) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (2) Statement-1 is false, Statement-2 is true
- (3) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is false
- (4) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1.
- 16. Statement-1 :** Let $a, b \in I$
 $R_1 \rightarrow aR_1b \Leftrightarrow a + b$ is an even integer then R_1 is an equivalence relation.
 $R_2 \rightarrow aR_2b \Leftrightarrow a - b$ is an even integer, then R_2 is an equivalence relation.
 $R_3 \rightarrow aR_3b \Leftrightarrow a < b$, then R_3 is not an equivalence relation.
- Statement-2 :** A relation which is reflexive, symmetric and transitive is called an equivalence relation.
- (1) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (2) Statement-1 is false, Statement-2 is true
- (3) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is false
- (4) Statement-1 is true, Statement-2 is true; Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1.
- 17.** Let $R = \{(1, 3), (4, 2), (2, 4), (2, 3), (3, 1)\}$ be a relation on the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$. The relation R is- **[AIEEE - 2004]**
- (1) transitive
- (2) not symmetric
- (3) reflexive
- (4) a function
- 18.** Let $R = \{(3, 3), (6, 6), (9, 9), (12, 12), (6, 12), (3, 9), (3, 12), (3, 6)\}$ be relation on the set $A = \{3, 6, 9, 12\}$. The relation is- **[AIEEE - 2005]**
- (1) reflexive and transitive only
- (2) reflexive only
- (3) an equivalence relation
- (4) reflexive and symmetric only
- 19.** Let W denote the words in the English dictionary. Define the relation R by : $R = \{(x, y) \in W \times W : \text{the words } x \text{ and } y \text{ have at least one letter in common}\}$. Then R is- **[AIEEE - 2006]**
- (1) reflexive, symmetric and not transitive
- (2) reflexive, symmetric and transitive
- (3) reflexive, not symmetric and transitive
- (4) not reflexive, symmetric and transitive
- 20.** Consider the following relations :-
 $R = \{(x, y) : x, y \text{ are real numbers and } x = wy \text{ for some rational number } w\}$;
 $S = \left\{ \left(\frac{m}{n}, \frac{p}{q} \right) : m, n, p \text{ and } q \text{ are integers such that } n, q \neq 0 \text{ and } qm = pn \right\}$.
- Then : **[AIEEE - 2010]**
- (1) R is an equivalence relation but S is not an equivalence relation
- (2) Neither R nor S is an equivalence relation
- (3) S is an equivalence relation but R is not an equivalence relation
- (4) R and S both are equivalence relations

21. Let $R = \{(3, 3), (5, 5), (9, 9), (12, 12), (5, 12), (3, 9), (3, 12), (3, 5)\}$ be a relation on the set $A = \{3, 5, 9, 12\}$. Then, R is :-

[JEE-Main 2013 (Online)]

- (1) reflexive, transitive but not symmetric.
- (2) symmetric, transitive but not reflexive.
- (3) an equivalence relation
- (4) reflexive, symmetric but not transitive

22. Let $R = \{(x, y) : x, y \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } x^2 - 4xy + 3y^2 = 0\}$, where \mathbb{N} is the set of all natural numbers. Then the relation R is :

[JEE-Main 2013 (Online)]

- (1) reflexive and transitive.
- (2) symmetric and transitive
- (3) reflexive but neither symmetric nor transitive
- (4) reflexive and symmetric.

23. For any two real numbers a and b , we define aRb if and only if $\sin^2 a + \cos^2 b = 1$. The relation R is :-

[JEE-Main 2014]

- (1) Reflexive but not symmetric
- (2) Symmetric but not transitive
- (3) Transitive but not reflexive
- (4) An equivalence relation

24. Consider the following two binary relations on the set $A = \{a, b, c\}$:

$$R_1 = \{(c, a), (b, b), (a, c), (c, c), (b, c), (a, a)\} \text{ and}$$

$$R_2 = \{(a, b), (b, a), (c, c), (c, a), (a, a), (b, b), (a, c)\}. \text{ Then}$$

[JEE-Main 2018 (Online)]

- (1) R_1 is not symmetric but it is transitive.
- (2) both R_1 and R_2 are transitive
- (3) R_2 is symmetric but it is not transitive
- (4) both R_1 and R_2 are not symmetric

25. Let \mathbb{N} denote the set of all natural numbers. Define two binary relations on \mathbb{N} as

$$R_1 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : 2x + y = 10\}$$

$$\text{and } R_2 = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : x + 2y = 10\}. \text{ Then :}$$

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- (1) Both R_1 and R_2 are symmetric relations
- (2) Range of R_1 is $\{2, 4, 8\}$
- (3) Both R_1 and R_2 are transitive relations.
- (4) Range of R_2 is $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

ANSWER KEY

Exercise

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Ans.	3	1	2	3	3	2	4	4	4	4
Que.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Ans.	2	3	2	4	4	4	2	1	1	3
Que.	21	22	23	24	25					
Ans.	1	3	4	3	4					