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Third Semester, B.E. - Information Science and Engineering

Semester End Examination; Dec - 2017/Jan - 2018

Discrete Mathematical Structures

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.

UNIT - I

- 1 a. Define the following terms with an example for each. 6
 - i) Sum and Product Rule of Counting theory ii) Permutations and Combinations.
- b. In how many ways can we distributed 10 identical marbles among six children such that 7
 - i) No restriction ii) Each child is given a marble
 - iii) First child gets exactly 5 marbles.
- c. State Binomial theorem and determine the coefficient of $x^4 y^4 z^{20}$ in the expression 7
 $(4x - \frac{y}{2} + 3z + 5)^{30}$
- 2 a. Using membership table method verify for any three sets A, B, C 6
 $A - (B \cup C) = A - (B - C) = (A - B) - C.$
- b. Find the number of integers between 1 to 1000 which are: 7
 - i) Not divisible by 2 or 3 or 5 ii) Exactly divisible by one of 2,3,5.
- c. Two tickets are selected at random out of 50 tickets numbered 1, 2, 3.....50. What is the probability that the sum of the numbers of the tickets chosen is even? 7

UNIT - II

- 3 a. Prove law of syllogism and law of detachment to be tautological statements. 6
- b. Prove logical equivalence without using truth table. 6
 - i) $p \wedge (p \vee (p \wedge q)) \equiv p$ ii) $[(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r] \equiv (\neg p \vee q) \rightarrow r$
- c. Text the validity of the argument. If I study then I will not fail in Maths. If I don't play basketball, then I will study. But I failed in Maths. Therefore I must have played Basketball". 8
- 4 a. Negate the quantified statements and represent each with a unique universe. 6
 - i) All birds have wings ii) All real numbers are complex numbers
 - iii) Some integers are divisible by 5 iv) Some triangles are equilateral.
- b. Let, p(x): x is even q(x) : x is prime.
 Find the truth value of; 6
 - i) $\forall x p(x)$ ii) $\exists q(x)$ iii) $\forall x p(x) \wedge q(x)$
 - iv) $\exists_x p(x) \rightarrow \neg q(x)$ v) $\forall x p(x) \vee q(x)$ vi) $\exists_x p(x) \wedge q(x)$

- c. Express the argument in symbolic form and check its validity “No Engineering student is bad in studies. Anil is not bad in studies. Therefore Anil is an Engineering student”.

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UNIT - III

- 5 a. Prove by Mathematical Induction Principle that.

$$n! \geq 2^{n-1} \forall n \geq 1.$$

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- b. “If n is an odd integer then $n+11$ is an even integer”. Give a,

i) Direct proof ii) Indirect Proof iii) Proof by contradiction.

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- c. Let L_n denote n^{th} Lucas number and F_n denote n^{th} Fibonacci number then,

$$\text{Prove that } L_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n+1} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$

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[Hint $L_0 = 2, L_1 = 1$ and $L_n = L_{n-1} + L_{n-2} \forall n \geq 2$].

- 6 a. Let $|A| = m$ and $|B| = n$ find

i) How many functions are there from A and B

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ii) Among them how many are one-one

iii) Among them how many are onto.

- b. Find the number of ways of distributing 7 distinct objects into four labelled containers such that no container is left empty?

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- c. Consider the functions f and g defined by

$$f(x) = x^3 \quad \text{and} \quad g(x) = 3x + 5y \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1 & x \geq 1 \\ -2x+5 & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

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Find $f \circ g, g \circ f, f^2, g^2, f \circ g \circ h, h \circ g \circ f, h^2, g \circ h.$

UNIT - IV

- 7 a. Define an equation relation. Prove that if R is a relation defined as: $(a, b) \in R$, iff $a^2 = b^2$ on $A = \{-2, -1, 0, 1\}$ is an equivalence relation and also find the partition induced by R on A .

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- b. Prove the following statements:

i) If R and S are equivalence relations on A Then $R \cap S$ is also equivalence

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ii) If R and S are equivalence relations $R \cup S$ need not be an equivalence relation on A

- c. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and $R = \{(1, 2) (1, 3) (2, 4) (3, 2) (3, 3) (3, 4)\}$. Find R^2 and R^3 and write down their matrix and diagraphs.

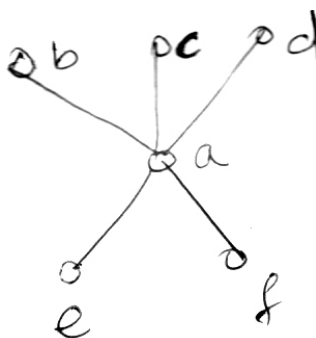
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- 8 a. Draw the Hasse's diagram representing the POSET (A, R)

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Where $A = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 20, 36, 50\}$ and “ R ” is “exactly divides” and Prove that R is a partially ordered relation.

- b. Define the following terms and find the same for the graph given representing a POSET (A, R)



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- i) Least
 - ii) Greatest
 - iii) LUB {a, e}
 - iv) GLB {a, f}.
- c. Write the steps involved in topological sorting algorithm.

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UNIT - V

- 9 a. If \circ is an operation on \mathbb{Z} defined by $x \circ y = x + y + 1$ Prove that (\mathbb{Z}, \circ) is an abelian group.
- b. Prove that the group $(\mathbb{Z}_4, +)$ is cyclic. Find all its generators.
- c. Define homomorphism, Isomorphism between two groups G_1 and G_2 with an example for each.

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- 10 a. Explain encoding and decoding of a message with usual notations.

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- b. An encoding function $E : \mathbb{Z}_2^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2^5$ is given by generator matrix

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- i) Find the associated parity check matrix H
 - ii) Use H to decode the received words 11101, 11011
- c. Prove that $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_2^m, wt(x + y) \leq wt(x) + wt(y)$.

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