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Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, July/August 2021 Discrete Mathematical Structures

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

1. a. Define the following with an example for each
 - i) Proposition
 - ii) Tautology
 - iii) Contradiction.

(06 Marks)
 - b. Establish the validity of the argument:

$$\begin{array}{l} p \rightarrow q \\ q \rightarrow (r \wedge s) \\ \neg r \vee (\neg t \vee u) \\ \neg r \vee (\neg t \vee u) \\ \hline p \wedge t \\ \hline \therefore U \end{array}$$

(09 Marks)
 - c. Determine the truth value of the following statements if the universe comprises of all non zero integers:
 - i) $\exists x \exists y [xy = 2]$
 - ii) $\exists x \forall y [xy = 2]$
 - iii) $\forall x \exists y [xy = 2]$
 - iv) $\exists x \exists y [(3x + y = 8) \wedge (2x - y) = 7]$
 - v) $\exists x \exists y [(4x + 2y = 3) \wedge (x - y = 1)]$

(05 Marks)
2. a. Using truth table, prove that for any three propositions p, q, r $[p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)] \Leftrightarrow [(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)]$. **(08 Marks)**
 - b. Prove that for all integers 'k' and 'l', if k and l both odd, then k + l is even and kl is odd by direct proof. **(06 Marks)**
 - c. If a proposition has truth value 1, determine all truth values arguments for the primitive propositions p, r, s for which the truth value of the following compound proposition is 1. $[q \rightarrow \{(\neg p \vee r) \wedge \neg s\}] \wedge \{\neg s \rightarrow (\neg r \wedge q)\}$ **(06 Marks)**
3. a. Prove by mathematical induction for every positive integer 8 divides $5^n + 2 \cdot 3^{n-1} + 1$. **(06 Marks)**
 - b. For the Fibonacci sequences F_0, F_1, F_2, \dots . Prove that $F_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \right]$. **(06 Marks)**
 - c. Find the coefficient of :
 - i) $x^9 y^3$ in the expansion of $(2x - 3y)^{12}$
 - ii) x^{12} in the expansion $x^3(1 - 2x)^{10}$

(08 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.



- 4 a. Prove that $4n < (n^2 - 7)$ for all positive integers $n \geq 6$. (06 Marks)
b. How many positive integers 'n' can we form using the digits 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 7 if we want 'n' to exceed 5,000,000. (08 Marks)
c. Find the number of distinct terms in the expansion of $(w + x + y + z)^{12}$. (06 Marks)
- 5 a. i) Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x - 5, & \text{for } x > 0 \\ -3x + 1, & \text{for } x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

Determine: $f\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)$, $f^{-1}(3)$, $f^{-1}([-5, 5])$ (04 Marks)
ii) Prove that if 30 dictionaries contain a total of 61,327 pages, then at least one of the dictionary must have at least 2045 pages. (02 Marks)
b. Prove that if $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow C$ are invertible functions then $g \circ f: A \rightarrow C$ is an invertible function and $(g \circ f)^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$. (06 Marks)
c. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$. Define a relation R on $A \times A$ by $(x_1, y_1) R (x_2, y_2)$ if and only if $x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2$.
i) Determine whether R is in equivalence relation on $A \times A$.
ii) Determine equivalence classes $[(1, 3)]$, $[(2, 4)]$. (08 Marks)
- 6 a. Let $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$
i) How many functions are there from A to B ? How many of these are one-to-one? How many are onto?
ii) How many functions are there from B to A ? How many of these are one-to-one? How many are onto? (06 Marks)
b. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12\}$. On A define the relation R by aRb if and only if "a divides b".
i) Prove that R is a partial order on A
ii) Draw the Hasse diagram
iii) Write down the matrix of relation. (08 Marks)
c. Define partition of a set. Give one example Let $A = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$. Consider the partition $P = \{\{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{e\}\}$ of A . Find the equivalent relation inducing this partition. (06 Marks)
- 7 a. Out of 30 students in a hostel; 15 study History, 8 study Economics and 6 study Geography. It is known that 3 students study all these subjects. Show that 7 or more students study none of these subjects. (06 Marks)
b. Five teachers T_1, T_2, T_3, T_4, T_5 are to made class teachers for five classes C_1, C_2, C_3, C_4, C_5 one teacher for each class. T_1 and T_2 do not wish to become the class teachers for C_1 or C_2 , T_3 and T_4 for C_4 or C_5 and T_5 for C_3 or C_4 or C_5 . In how many ways can the teachers be assigned work without displeasing any teacher? (08 Marks)
c. Solve the recurrence relation $a_n - 6a_{n-1} + 9a_{n-2} = 0$ for $n \geq 2$. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. Solve the recurrence relation $a_0 - 3a_{n-1} = 5 \times 3^n$ for $n \geq 1$ given that $a_0 = 2$. (06 Marks)
b. Let a_n denote the number of n-letter sequences that can be formed using letters A, B and C, such that non terminal A has to be immediately followed by B. Find the recurrence relation for a_n and solve it. (06 Marks)
c. Find the number of permutations of English letters which contain exactly two of the pattern car, dog, pun, byte. (08 Marks)

- 9 a. Define a complement of a simple graph. Let G be a simple graph of order n . If the size of G is 56 and size of \bar{G} is 80, what is n ? (06 Marks)
- b. Prove that in every graph, the number of vertices of odd degree is even. (08 Marks)
- c. Prove that a connected graph G remains connected after removing an edge e from G if and only if e is a part of some cycle in G . (06 Marks)

- 10 a. Define graph isomorphism and isomorphic graphs. Determine whether the following graphs are isomorphic or not. (06 Marks)

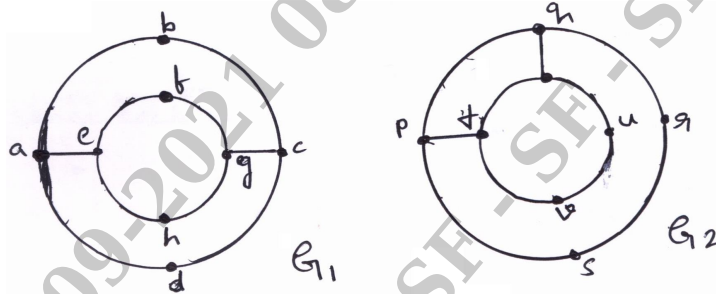


Fig.Q.10(a)

- b. Prove that a tree with 'n' vertices has $n - 1$ edges. (06 Marks)
- c. Define optimal prefix code. Obtain the optimal prefix code for the string ROAD is GOOD. Indicate the code. (08 Marks)
