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Computer Science Engineering

MA 6566 — DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

(Regulation 2013)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

1. Give the contrapositive statement of the statement "If there is rain, then I buy an umbrella".
2. Construct the truth table for $P \rightarrow \sim Q$.
3. Find the sequence whose generating function is $\frac{1}{1-9x^2}$.
4. How many ways the letters in the word "Committee" can be arranged?
5. How many edges are there in a graph with 10 vertices each of degree 3?
6. Give an example of self complementary graph.
7. Prove that identity element in a group is unique.
8. Prove that every cyclic group is abelian.
9. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ and R be a relation defined as $x, y \in R$ if and only if $x - y$ is divisible by 3. Find the elements of the relation R .
10. Show that the absorption laws are valid in a Boolean algebra.

PART B — (5 × 16 = 80 marks)

11. (a) (i) Obtain the principal conjunctive normal form and principal disjunctive normal form of $(\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow R)$ by using equivalences. (8)
- (ii) Use rules of inferences to obtain the conclusion of the following arguments :
- “Babu is a student in this class, knows how to write programmes in JAVA. ‘Everyone who knows how to write programmes in JAVA can get a high-paying job’. Therefore, ‘someone in this class can get a high-paying job’.” (8)

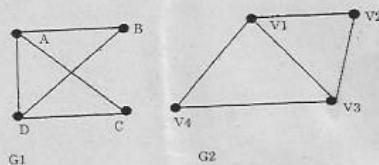
Or

- (b) (i) Show that $((P \vee Q) \wedge \neg(\neg P \wedge (\neg Q \vee \neg R))) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg R)$ is a tautology by using equivalences. (8)
- (ii) Show that $R \rightarrow S$ is logically derived from the premises $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow S), \neg R \vee P$ and Q . (8)
12. (a) (i) Find the number of integers between 1 and 250 that are divisible by any of the integers 2, 3, 5 and 7. (8)
- (ii) Use generating function to solve the recurrence relation $S(n+1) - 2S(n) = 4^n$ with $S(0) = 1, n \geq 0$. (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Using mathematical induction show that $\sum_{r=0}^n 3^r = \frac{3^{n+1} - 1}{2}$. (8)
- (ii) There are six men and five women in a room. Find the number of ways four persons can be drawn from the room if
- (1) they can be male or female,
 - (2) two must be men and two women,
 - (3) they must all are of the same sex. (8)

13. (a) (i) Establish the isomorphism for the following graphs. (8)



- (ii) Prove that a graph G is disconnected if and only if the vertex set V is partitioned into two non-empty subsets U and W such that there exists no edge in G whose one vertex is in U and one vertex is in W . (8)

Or

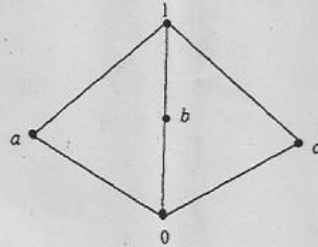
- (b) (i) Show that K_n has a Hamiltonian cycle for $n > 3$. What is the maximum number of edge disjoint cycles possible in K_n ? Obtain all the edge disjoint cycles in K_7 . (8)
- (ii) Prove that maximum number of edges in a bipartite graph with n vertices is $\frac{n^2}{4}$. (8)
14. (a) (i) Show that $(Q^+, *)$ is an abelian group, where $*$ is defined by $a * b = \frac{ab}{2}, \forall a, b \in Q^+$. (8)
- (ii) Let $f: (G, *) \rightarrow (G', \Delta)$ be a group homomorphism. Then prove that
- (1) $[f(a)]^{-1} = f(a^{-1}) \forall a \in G$.
 - (2) $f(e)$ is an identity of G' , when e is an identity of G . (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Prove that the intersection of two normal subgroups of a group G is again a normal subgroup of G . (8)
- (ii) State and prove Lagrange's theorem in a group. (8)
15. (a) (i) Let $D_{30} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30\}$ and let the relation R be divisor on D_{30} .
Find
- (1) all the lower bounds of 10 and 15
 - (2) the glb of 10 and 15
 - (3) all upper bound of 10 and 15
 - (4) the lub of 10 and 15
 - (5) draw the Hasse diagram. (8)
- (ii) Prove that in a Boolean algebra $(a \vee b)' = a' \wedge b'$ and $(a \wedge b)' = a' \vee b'$. (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Examine whether the lattice given in the following Hasse diagram is distributive or not. (4)



- (ii) If $P(S)$ is the power set of a non-empty S , prove that $\{P(S), \cup, \cap, \setminus, \phi, S\}$ is a Boolean algebra. (12)

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