

**B.Tech. Degree III Semester Examination
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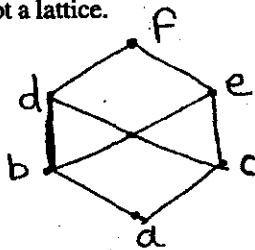
**IT/CS 303 DISCRETE MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURES
(1999 Admissions onwards)**

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

(All questions carry **EQUAL** marks)

- X (a) Define Lattice. Show that the poset with the Hasse diagram given below is not a lattice.



- (b) Show that the posets (A, \leq) and (A', \leq') whose Hasse diagrams are shown below are not isomorphic.

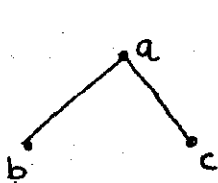


Fig. 1

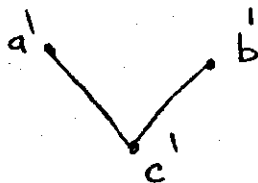
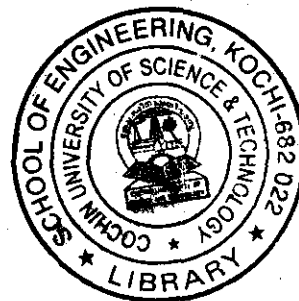


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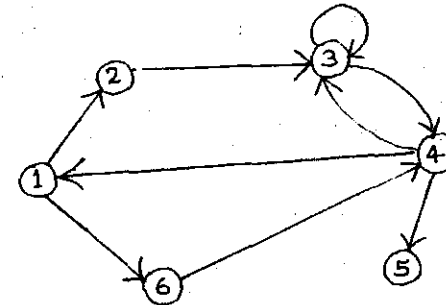
- I Prove the following:

- (i) $\neg(p \leftrightarrow q) \equiv ((p \wedge \neg q) \vee (q \wedge \neg p))$
- (ii) $\neg(p \rightarrow q) \equiv (p \wedge \neg q)$
- (iii) $1 + 2^n < 3^n$, For $n \geq 2$.

OR

- II (a) An Urn contains 15 balls, 8 of which are red and 7 are black. In how many ways can 5 balls be chosen that
- (i) 2 are red and 3 are black?
 - (ii) All 5 are red.
- (b) A woman has five pairs of gloves in a drawer. If she selects two gloves at random what is the probability that the gloves will be a matching pair?

- III (a) Let R be a relation whose digraph is as shown below:



Find (i) MR^2 and (ii) MR^*

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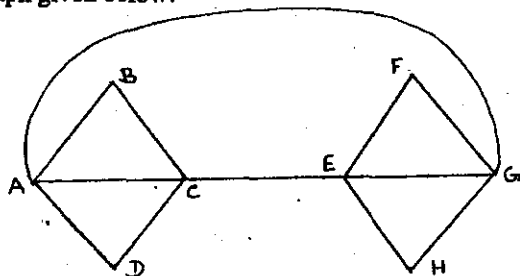
- (b) Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$. Determine whether the relation R whose matrix M_R is given is an equivalence relation.

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

OR

- IV. (a) Let $f: R \rightarrow R$ and $g: R \rightarrow R$ where R is the set of real numbers. Find $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$ where $f(x) = x^2 - 2$ and $g(x) = x + 4$.
- (b) Let $f: R \rightarrow R$ be given by $f(x) = x^3 - 2$, find f^{-1} .
- (c) Let $A = B = R$, the set of real numbers. Let $f: A \rightarrow B$ be given by the formula $f(x) = 2x^3 - 1$ and let $g: B \rightarrow A$ given by $g(y) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}}$ show that f is a bijection between A and B .

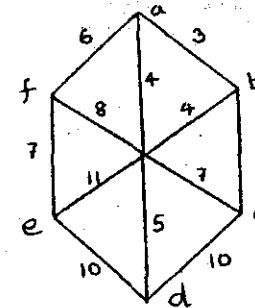
- V. (a) Define the following and illustrate them through examples: Euler path, Euler circuit and Hamiltonian path.
- (b) Use Fleury's algorithm to construct an Euler circuit for the graph given below:



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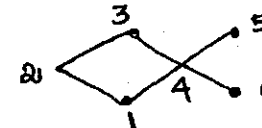
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- VI. (a) Find a minimal spanning tree for the connected graph given below using Kruskal's method.



- (b) Define proper coloring and chromatic number of a graph G .
- VII. (a) Define a group. Give an example of a group which is not abelian.
- (b) Let $(A, *)$ be a group and B a subset of A . If B is a finite set, then prove that $(B, *)$ is a subgroup of $(A, *)$ if $*$ is closed operation on B .
- OR
- VIII. (a) Define a Monoid. Give an example.
- (b) If F is a homomorphism from a commutative semigroup $(S, *)$ onto a semigroup $(T, *)$, then $(T, *)$ is also commutative.

- IX. (a) Let $S = \{a, b, c\}$ and $A = P(S)$. Draw the Hasse diagram of the poset A with the partial order \subseteq (set inclusion).
- (b) Determine all maximal and minimal elements of the poset given below:



OR

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