

B4.2-R3: DISCRETE STRUCTURES

NOTE:

1. Answer question 1 and any FOUR questions from 2 to 7.
2. Parts of the same question should be answered together and in the same sequence.

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

1.

- a) How many elements does each of these sets have?
 $P(\{a, b, \{a, b\}\})$, $P(\{\Phi, a, \{a\}, \{\{a\}\}\})$, $P(P(\Phi))$, $P(\Phi)$
 Here $P(A)$ represents power set of A .
- b) Let f be the function from $\{a, b, c\}$ to $\{1, 2, 3\}$ such that $f(a) = 2$, $f(b)=3$ and $f(c) = 1$. Is function f invertible and if it is what is its inverse?
- c) State the converse, contra positive and inverse of the following:
 "A positive integer is a prime only if it has no divisor other than 1 and itself."
- d) How many edges does a graph have if it has vertices of degrees 5, 2, 2,2,2,1?
- e) Find the duals of
 $x(y +0)$ and $\bar{x}.1 + (\bar{y} + z)$
- f) What is the coefficient of $x^3 y^2 z^3$ in $(x + y+ z)^9$.
- g) Write a grammar that generates the set $\{0^n 1^{2^n} \mid n = 0,1,\dots\}$

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2.

- a) Show that the relation R on $Z \times Z$ defined by $(a, b) R (c, d)$ if and only if $a + d = b + c$ is an equivalence relation. Write three equivalence classes.
- b) Let G be the set of all nonzero real numbers and let
 $a*b = ab/2$
 Show that $(G,*)$ is an abelian group.
- c) Show that among any group of five (not necessarily consecutive) integers, there are two with the same remainder when divided by 4.

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3.

- a) Consider the following truth table:-

P	Q	R	S
1	1	1	0
1	1	0	0
1	0	1	1
1	0	0	1
0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1
0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0

- b) Construct a Boolean Expression having this table as truth table. Simplify this expression. Also construct a circuit having P, Q, R as input and S as output.
- c) Solve the following recursive relations:
 $a_{n+1} - 1.5 a_n = 0 ; n \geq 0$
 $a_n = 5 a_{n-1} + 6 a_{n-2} ; n \geq 2 ; a_0 = a_1 = 3$
- d) Let $Q(x, y, z)$ be the statement " $x + y = z$ ". What are the truth values of the statements?
 $\exists \forall x \forall y \exists z Q(x, y, z)$ and $\exists z \forall x \forall y Q(x, y, z)$

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4.

- a) Construct a grammar for the language:
 $L = \{w \mid n_a(w) \geq n_b(w)\}$. Where $w \in (a+b)^*$ and $n_a(w)$ represents number of a's in w .
- b) Find a finite state machine that recognizes the language:
 $\{10^n \mid n \geq 0\} \cup \{10^n 10^m \mid n, m \geq 0\}$
- c) Prove that for any a, b in a Boolean algebra B
- $a + a \cdot b = a$
 - $a \cdot (a + b) = a$

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5.

- a) Show that in any simple connected planar graph, $e \geq 3f/2$ and $e \leq 3n-6$. Here n = number of vertices, e = no. of edges and f = no. of regions.
- b) Define a Hamiltonian graph. Define Euler Graph. Give an example of each.
- c) Give a simple condition on the weights of a graph that will guarantee that there is a unique minimum spanning tree for the graph.

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6.

- a) If a graph G is not connected, prove that complement of G is connected.
- b) Write the assumptions (if any) made in Floyd -Warshall algorithm. Use this algorithm for the graph whose weight matrix is given below:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & -3 & \infty \\ -3 & 0 & -7 & \infty \\ \infty & 10 & 0 & 3 \\ 5 & 6 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- c) Find the number of solutions of
 $e_1 + e_2 + e_3 = 17$
Where e_1, e_2 and e_3 are non negative integers with $2 \leq e_1 \leq 5, 3 \leq e_2 \leq 6$ and $4 \leq e_3 \leq 7$.

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7.

- a) Show that $((p \vee \neg q) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg q)) \vee q$ is a tautology, where p and q are Boolean Variables.
- b) Use generating function to find the number of k - combinations of a set with n elements. Assume that the Binomial theorem has already been established.
- c) Explain following:
- Simplification of machines
 - Pigeon hole principle
 - Partitioning of set

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