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Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Aug./Sept.2020

Discrete Mathematical Structures

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Let p and q be primitive statements for which the conditional $p \rightarrow q$ is false. Determine the truth value of the following compound propositions $p \wedge q$, $\neg p \vee q$, $q \rightarrow p$, $\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$ (07 Marks)
- b. Show that SVR is a tautology implied by $(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \rightarrow S)$ using rules of inference. (07 Marks)
- c. Define Converse, Inverse and Contra positive with an illustration. (06 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Define tautology. Show that for any proposition p, q, r the compound propositions $[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)] \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$ is a tautology. (06 Marks)
- b. Prove the following logical equivalence $\{(p \rightarrow q) \wedge [\neg q \wedge (r \wedge \neg q)]\} \leftrightarrow \neg(q \vee p)$ (07 Marks)
- c. Find whether the following argument is valid or not.
If a triangle has 2 equal sides, then it is isosceles
If a triangle is isosceles, then it has 2 equal angles
A certain ΔABC does not have 2 equal angles
 \therefore The ΔABC does not have 2 equal sides. (07 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Prove by mathematical induction that, for all integer $n \geq 1$.
 $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{1}{2}n(n+1)$ (08 Marks)
- b. The Fibonacci numbers are designed recursively by $F_0 = 0, F_1 = 1, F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2}$ for $n \geq 2$. Evaluate F_2 to F_{10} . (04 Marks)
- c. Find the number of permutations of the letters of the word MASSASAUGA. In how many of these, all 4 A's are together? How many of them begin with S? (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Prove by mathematical induction that $1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + \dots + (2n-1)^2 = \frac{1}{3}n(2n-1)(2n+1)$ for all integers $n \geq 1$. (08 Marks)
- b. The Lucas number's are defined recursively by $L_0 = 2, L_1 = 1$ and $L_n = L_{n-1} + L_{n-2}$ for $n \geq 2$. Evaluate L_2 to L_{10} (06 Marks)
- c. There are four bus routes between the places A and B, three bus routes between the places B and C. Find the number of ways a person can make a round trip from A to C via B, if he does not use a route more than once. (06 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. 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 $f(0), f(-1), f(5/3), f^{-1}(-1), f^{-1}(-3), f^{-1}(6), f^{-1}([-5, 5])$. (07 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.

- b. ABC is an equilateral triangle, whose sides are of length 1 cm each. If we select 5 points inside the triangle, prove that atleast two of these points are such that the distance between them is less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cm. (06 Marks)
- c. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and R be a relation on A defined by xRy if and only if "x divides y", written x/y . Write down R as a set of order pairs, draw the diagraph of R and determine indegree and outdegree of the vertices of the graph. (07 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. State pigeon hole principle. A bag contains 12 pairs of socks (each pair in different color). If a person drawn the socks one by one at random, determine atleast how many draws are required to get atleast one pair of matched socks. (05 Marks)
- b. Let f, g, h be functions from \mathbb{Z} to \mathbb{Z} defined by $f(x) = x - 1$, $g(x) = 3x$, $h(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is even} \\ 1 & \text{if } x \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$. Determine $(f \circ (g \circ h))(x)$ and $((f \circ g) \circ h)(x)$ and verify that $f \circ (g \circ h) = (f \circ g) \circ h$. (07 Marks)
- c. Let, $R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 4), (2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4)\}$ be relation, verify that R is a partial ordering relation or not. If yes, draw the Hasse diagram for R. (08 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Determine the number of positive integers n such that $1 \leq n \leq 100$ and n is not divisible by 2, 3 or 5. (07 Marks)
- b. Find the number of derangements of 1, 2, 3, 4 and list them. (05 Marks)
- c. The number of virus affected files in a system is 1000 (to start with) and this increases by 250% every two hours. Use a recurrence relation to determine the number of virus affected files in the system after one day? (08 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. In how many ways can the 26 letters of the English alphabet be permuted so that none of the patterns CAR, DOG, FUN or BYTE occurs? (08 Marks)
- b. An Apple, a Banana, a Mango and an Orange are to be distributed to four boys B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4 . The boys B_1 and B_2 do not wish to have Apple, the boy B_3 does not want Banana or Mango and B_4 refuses orange. In how many ways the distribution can be made so that no boy is displeased? (07 Marks)
- c. Solve the recurrence relation
 $a_n - 6a_{n-1} + 9a_{n-2} = 0$ for $n \geq 2$, given that $a_0 = 5, a_1 = 12$. (05 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Define Isolated vertex, complete graph, Trail path with example. (06 Marks)
- b. Explain Konigsberg bridge problem. (07 Marks)
- c. Using the mergesort method, sort the list
 7, 3, 8, 4, 5, 10, 6, 2, 9 (07 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. If $G(V, E)$ is a simple graph, prove that
 $2|E| \leq |V|^2 - |V|$ (06 Marks)
- b. Prove that a tree with n vertices has $n - 1$ edges. (06 Marks)
- c. Obtain the prefix code represented by the following labeled complete binary tree shown in Fig.Q10(c) and also find the code for the words abc, cdb, bde. (08 Marks)

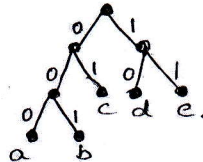


Fig.Q10(c)