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**Air University**  
(Mid-Term Examination: Fall-2024)

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Subject: Discrete Structures  
Course Code: MA-216  
Class: BS-CYS  
Semester: I  
Section: A, B (Morning)

Total Marks: 50  
Date:  
Time:  
Duration: 2 Hours  
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**Note:**

- All questions must be attempted. Understanding the question is part of the examination.
- This examination carries 25% weight towards the final grade.
- Scientific calculator is allowed.

Q. No. 1 (CLO-1) (PLO-2)		15 Marks
a ✓	Demonstrate (show) that $(p \rightarrow \sim q) \rightarrow \sim(p \leftrightarrow q)$ is a Tautology or contingency by using truth table.	5
b ✓	Show that the distributive laws are equivalent by constructing a membership table.	5
c ✓	Find the cartesian product of $A, B$ , and $C$ where $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ , $B = \{0, 1\}$ , $C = \{-3, -5\}$ .	5
Q. No. 2 (CLO-2) (PLO-3)		15 Marks
a	Apply the series of logical equivalences steps to prove that: $\sim(p \vee (\sim p \wedge q))$ and $(\sim p \wedge \sim q)$ are logically equivalent. (Note: Do not make use of truth table).	8
b ✓	Apply a direct proof strategy to show that "if $m$ and $n$ are perfect square then $mn$ is also a perfect square."	7
Q. No. 3 (CLO-4) (PLO-3)		20 Marks
a ✓	Apply the Binary Search algorithm to search for "9" in the list 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11.	10
b ✓	Execute the Bubble Sort algorithm to sort the list of elements 3, 2, 4, 1, 5, 6 showing the lists into increasing order.	10

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$$A \vee (B \wedge C) \rightarrow (A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee C)$$