



Beijing-Dublin International College



SEMESTER I FINAL EXAMINATION - 2018/2019

BDIC2002J Discrete Mathematics

Time Allowed: 95 minutes

Instructions for Candidates

All questions carry equal marks. The distribution of marks in the right margin shown as a percentage gives an approximate indication of the relative importance of each part of the question.

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I have read and clearly understand the Examination Rules of both Beijing University of Technology and University College Dublin. I am aware of the Punishment for Violating the Rules of Beijing University of Technology and/or University College Dublin. I hereby promise to abide by the relevant rules and regulations by not giving or receiving any help during the exam. If caught violating the rules, I accept the punishment thereof.

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Instructions for Invigilators

Non-programmable calculators are permitted.
No rough-work paper is to be provided for candidates.

The Full Score of All Items of the Exam Paper

Item	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Full
Full score	14	14	14	14	14	14	16	100

Obtained score

Question 1: Suppose that R is a binary relation on the set A such that R is reflexive and transitive. Denote \circ to be the composition of two relations. Prove that $R \circ R = R$

Obtained score

Question 2: Let a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be arbitrary n positive integers. Prove that two integers $i \geq 0, k \geq 1$ exist such that $a_{i+1} + a_{i+2} + \dots + a_{i+k}$ is divisible by n (i.e. $a_{i+1} + a_{i+2} + \dots + a_{i+k} = mn$ for some positive integer m).

Obtained score

Question 3: Prove the following tautological implication using Conclusion Premise (CP) rule

$$A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow C), (C \wedge D) \rightarrow E, \neg F \rightarrow (D \wedge \neg E) \Rightarrow A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow F)$$

Obtained score

Question 4: Compute the Prenex Normal Form of

$$(\forall y C(y) \rightarrow \forall z D(y, z)) \rightarrow \exists x (A(x) \rightarrow B(x, y))$$

Obtained score

Question 5: Let $(G, *)$ be a group such that

$$(a * b)^5 = a^5 * b^5$$

$$(a * b)^3 = a^3 * b^3$$

hold for any element a, b of G . Prove that G is a commutative group.

Obtained score

Question 6: Let $(G, *)$ be a group of order $n \geq 5$, such that $a * a = e$ holds for any element a of G . Prove that G has at least a subgroup of order four.

Obtained score

Question 7: Let G be a simple undirected graph which has six vertices and thirteen edges.

- (1) Prove that G is a Hamiltonian graph.
- (2) Prove that G is a non-planar graph.