

# CS2336 DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

## Exam 3

January 06, 2020 (10:10–12:30)

**Answer all questions. Total marks = 105. Maximum Score = 105/100. Large portion of marks may be deducted for incomplete proofs.**

1. (15%) Let  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  be three sets. It is known that the following are true.

- $|A| = 12$ ;
- $|A - C| = 5$ ;
- $|B \cup C| = 27$ ;
- $|(A \cup B) - C| = 15$ ;
- $|(B - C) - A| = 10$ .

Find  $|C|$ . (Hint: Draw a Venn diagram to help.)

2. Let  $\mathbb{Q}^+$  denote the set of positive rational numbers. Consider the function  $f : \mathbb{Q}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^+$  with

$$f(x) = 2/x.$$

(a) (10%) Determine if  $f$  is one-one. Explain your answer.

(b) (10%) Determine if  $f$  is onto. Explain your answer.

3. (15%) Let  $S = \{x, y, z\}$ . Construct a binary relation  $R$  on  $S$  such that  $R$  is not reflexive, not symmetric, not antisymmetric, **but** transitive.

(Note: You may describe  $R$  with a directed graph.)

4. (35%)

(a) (15%) Draw two non-isomorphic simple undirected graphs  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ , each with 6 vertices, and the degrees of these vertices are 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3, respectively.

(b) (20%) Show that  $H_1$  and  $H_2$  are non-isomorphic.

5. Let  $G$  be a simple undirected graph with 4 vertices. It is known that  $G$  and its complement are isomorphic.

(15%) Draw  $G$ .

6. (Challenging)

It is known that in a class with  $N \geq 3$  students, the following conditions hold:

- For any two students  $x$  and  $y$ , they are either friends or enemies, but not both.
- For any two students  $x$  and  $y$ , there always exists one, and only one, common friend.

(5%) Show that  $N$  is odd, and there is a student who is a friend with all other students.