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**BTECH**  
**(SEM III) THEORY EXAMINATION 2023-24**  
**DISCRETE STRUCTURES & THEORY OF LOGIC**

TIME: 3HRS

M.MARKS: 70

**Note: 1.** Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.

**SECTION A**

**1. Attempt all questions in brief.**

**2 x 7 = 14**

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Determine the greatest lower bound and least upper bound of the set $\{2, 3, 6\}$ , if they exist, in the Poset $(D_{24}, /)$ .	2	1
b.	Express power set of each of these sets. 1) $\{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\}$ 2) $\{a, \{a\}\}$	2	1
c.	Investigate whether the function $f(x) = x^2 - 1$ is injective or not for $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .	2	2
d.	Express $E(x, y, z) = xy + y'z$ into its complete sum-of-products form.	2	2
e.	Construct inverse of the following statement "If I wake up early in the morning, then I will be healthy."	2	3
f.	Show that identity element is unique in a group.	2	4
g.	Compare Euler circuit and Hamiltonian circuit.	2	5

**SECTION B**

**2. Attempt any three of the following:**

**7 x 3 = 21**

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Construct the Hasse Diagram for $(P(S), \subseteq)$ where $P(S)$ is a power set defined on set $S = \{a, b, c\}$ . Determine whether it is a Lattice or not.	7	1
b.	Solve the following Boolean functions using K-map: (i) $F(A, B, C, D) = \sum (m_0, m_1, m_2, m_4, m_5, m_6, m_8, m_9, m_{12}, m_{13}, m_{14})$ (ii) $F(A, B, C, D) = \sum (0, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 13, 15)$	7	2
c.	Show the validity of the following argument: hypotheses: "It is not sunny this afternoon and it is colder than yesterday. We will go swimming only if it is sunny. If we do not go swimming, then we will take a canoe trip. If we take a canoe trip, then we will be home by sunset." conclusion: "We will be home by sunset."	7	3
d.	Let $G = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$ with the binary operation multiplication be an algebraic structure, where $i = \sqrt{-1}$ then determine whether $G$ is an Abelian group. Also if $G$ is cyclic Group, then determine the generator of $G$ .	7	4
e.	Explain Pigeon hole principle. Describe generalized form of Pigeon hole principle. If 6 colors are to paint 37 homes. Show that at least 7 of them will be of same color.	7	5



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**SECTION C**

**3. Attempt any one part of the following:**

7 x 1 = 7

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Let R be a binary relation on the set of all strings of 0 and 1 such that $R = \{(a,b): a \text{ and } b \text{ have same number of 0's}\}$ . Show that whether R is reflexive, symmetric, transitive or a partial order relation.	7	1
b.	Show that $(D_{42}, /)$ is lattice. Compare the distributive and complemented lattice with example.	7	1

**4. Attempt any one part of the following:**

7 x 1 = 7

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Solve the following Boolean function using K-map: $F(A,B,C) = (1,2,5,7)$ and $D(0,4,6)$ using SOP.	7	2
b.	If $f: R \rightarrow R$ , $g: R \rightarrow R$ and $h: R \rightarrow R$ defined by $f(x) = 3x^2 + 2$ , $g(x) = 7x - 5$ and $h(x) = 1/x$ . Compute the following composition functions. (i) $(f \circ g \circ h)(x)$ (ii) $(g \circ g)(x)$ (iii) $(g \circ h)(x)$	7	2

**5. Attempt any one part of the following:**

7 x 1 = 7

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Test the validity of the following argument. "If there was a ball game, then traveling was difficult. If they arrived on time, then traveling was not difficult. They arrived on time. Therefore, There was no ball game."	7	3
b.	Describe $\exists$ and $\forall$ Quantifiers with example. "There is someone who got an A in the course" convert this sentence into predicate logic using quantifiers. Prove the following argument. All man are mortal. Socrates is a man. Therefore, Socrates is mortal.	7	3

**6. Attempt any one part of the following:**

7 x 1 = 7

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Describe Algebraic structure, semigroup, monoid and group. Also explain the relationship among them.	7	4
b.	Consider group $G = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ under multiplication modulo 7. (a) Construct the multiplication table of G. (b) Compute $2^{-1}$ , $3^{-1}$ , $6^{-1}$ (c) Compute the orders and subgroups generated by 2 and 3. (d) Is G cyclic?	7	4

**7. Attempt any one part of the following:**

7 x 1 = 7

Q no.	Question	Marks	CO
a.	Compare bipartite and complete graph with example. Draw $K_{3,4}$ and $K_5$ . Explain why these two graphs are not planar.	7	5
b.	Show that $K_{3,3}$ satisfies in equality $ E  \leq 3 V  - 6$ , but it is non-planar. ( $V$ =No. of Vertices, $E$ =No. of Edges, $R$ =No. of Regions)	7	5