

- Q1. (a) For the statement  $p \rightarrow \neg(q \wedge \neg r)$ , write its contrapositive, converse and inverse. Then write your final answer without the connective ' $\rightarrow$ ' and apply De Morgan's law where necessary. (6 marks)

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Contrapositive:  $\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$  ✓  
 $(q \wedge \neg r) \rightarrow \neg p$  ✓  
 $\equiv \neg(q \wedge \neg r) \vee \neg p$   
 $\equiv \neg q \vee r \vee \neg p$  ✓

Converse:  $q \rightarrow p$   
 $\neg(q \wedge \neg r) \rightarrow p$   
 $\equiv (q \wedge \neg r) \vee \cancel{p}$  ✓

Inverse:  $\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$   
 $\neg p \rightarrow (q \wedge \neg r)$  ✓  
 $\equiv \cancel{\neg p} \vee (q \wedge \neg r)$  ✓

(b) Let  $A \equiv (p \leftrightarrow q) \vee (\neg q \rightarrow r)$ .

- (i) Construct a truth table for the expression  $A$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Write the Principal Disjunctive Normal Form (PDNF) and Principal Conjunctive Normal Form (PCNF) of  $A$ . Hence deduce the PDNF and PCNF of  $\neg A$ . (6 marks)

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{P} \checkmark \\ \text{P} \bar{q}r, \bar{P}qr, \text{P} \bar{q}\bar{r}, \text{P}q\bar{r}, \\ \text{P} \bar{q}r, \bar{P}q\bar{r}, \text{P} \bar{q}\bar{r}, \bar{P}q\bar{r} \end{array}$$

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(i)

	$p$	$q$	$r$	$\neg q$	$p \Rightarrow q$	$\neg q \rightarrow r$	$A$	
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	PDNF
0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	
0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	PDNF
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	PDNF
1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	PDNF
1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	
1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	
	✓	✓	✓	✓				

(ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{PDNF of } A &\equiv \bar{p}\bar{q}\bar{r} + \bar{p}\bar{q}\bar{r} + \bar{p}\bar{q}r + p\bar{q}r \\ \text{PDNF of } \neg A &\equiv \bar{p}\bar{q}r + p\bar{q}r + p\bar{q}\bar{r} + pqr \\ \text{PCNF of } A &\equiv (p+q+r)(\bar{p}+\bar{q}+\bar{r})(\bar{p}+\bar{q}+r)(\bar{p}+q+\bar{r}) \\ \text{PCNF of } \neg A &\equiv (p+q+r)(\bar{p}+\bar{q}+r)(\bar{p}+\bar{q}+\bar{r})(\bar{p}+q+\bar{r}) \end{aligned}$$

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(c) Verify the following equivalence by using the laws of Logical Equivalence.

$$(p \wedge q) \vee [p \wedge (\sim(\sim p \vee q))] \equiv p$$

(5 marks)

1. (c) $(p \wedge q) \vee [p \wedge (\sim(\sim p \vee q))] \equiv p$
LHS : $(p \wedge q) \vee [p \wedge (\underbrace{p \wedge \sim q}_{P})] \checkmark \equiv ((p \wedge q) \vee [(p \wedge p) \wedge (p \wedge \sim q)])$
$\equiv (p \wedge q) \vee [t \wedge (p \wedge \sim q)]$
$\equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge \sim q) \checkmark$
$\equiv p \wedge (q \vee \sim q)$
$\equiv p \wedge t \checkmark$
$\equiv p \checkmark$

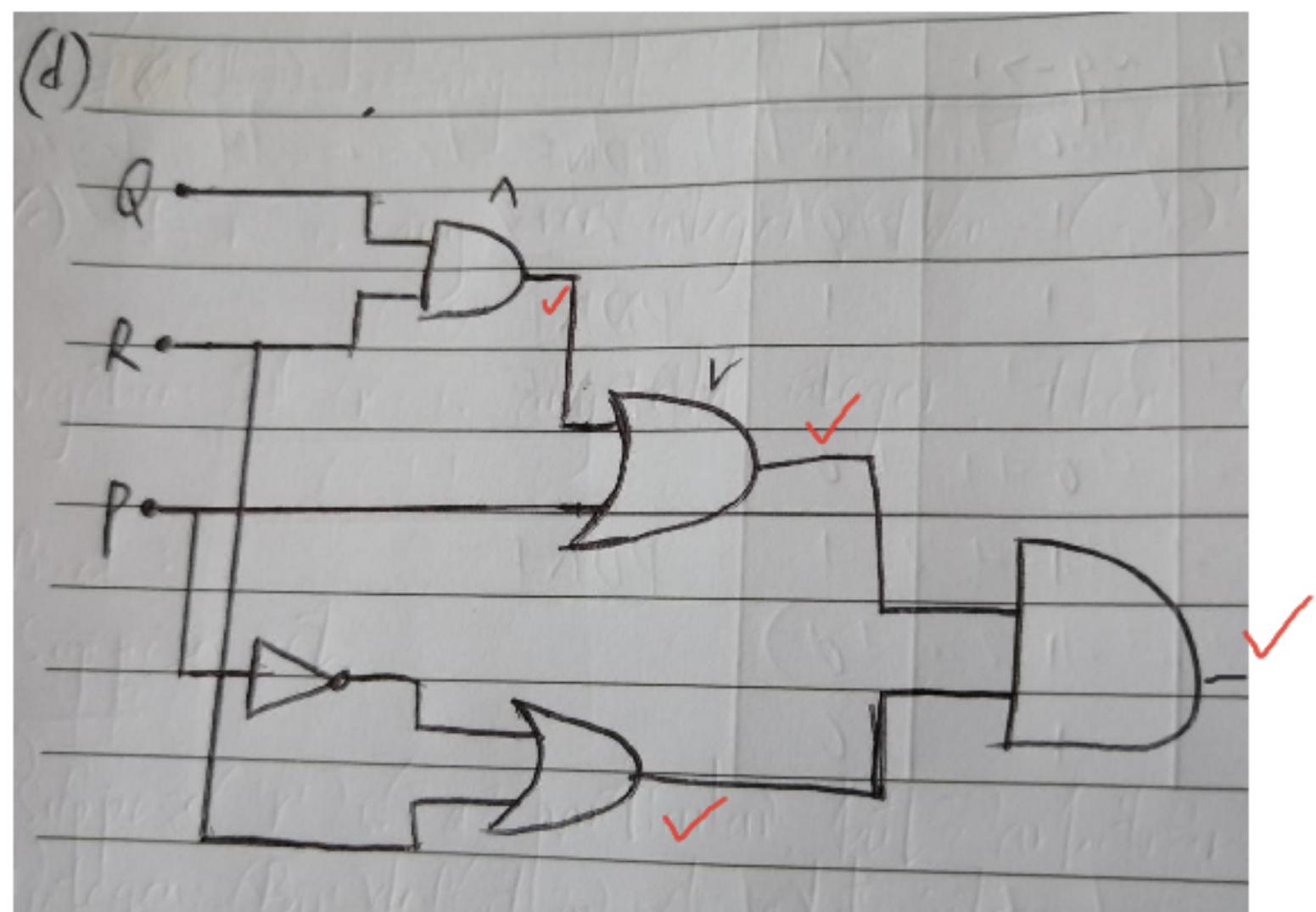
Logical Equivalences

Given any statement variables  $p, q$ , and  $r$ , a tautology  $t$  and a contradiction  $c$ , the following logical equivalences hold:

- 1. Commutative laws:  $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$        $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$
- 2. Associative laws:  $(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$        $(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$
- 3. Distributive laws:  $p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$        $p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$
- 4. Identity laws:  $p \wedge t \equiv p$        $p \vee c \equiv p$
- 5. Negation laws:  $p \vee \sim p \equiv t$        $p \wedge \sim p \equiv c$
- 6. Double negation laws:  $\sim(\sim p) \equiv p$
- 7. Idempotent laws:  $p \wedge p \equiv p$        $p \vee p \equiv p$
- 8. De Morgan's laws:  $\sim(p \wedge q) \equiv \sim p \vee \sim q$        $\sim(p \vee q) \equiv \sim p \wedge \sim q$
- 9. Universal bound laws:  $p \vee t \equiv t$        $p \wedge c \equiv c$
- 10. Absorption laws:  $p \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv p$        $p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$
- 11. Negation of  $t$  and  $c$ :  $\sim t \equiv c$        $\sim c \equiv t$

(d) Design a circuit for  $[(Q \wedge R) \vee P] \wedge (\neg P \vee R)$ .

(5 marks)



- Q2. (a) Determine the truth value of each of the following statements if the universe of each variable consists of all the integers. Give a reason to your answer if the statement is true and provide a counterexample for the false statement.

(i)  $\forall x \forall y (x + y = y + x)$  (2 marks)

(ii)  $\forall x \exists y (4xy = 12)$  (2 marks)

### 1) Commutative laws:

■  $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

■  $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$

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(a) (i) True ✓ because addition is commutative and for all the integers  $x, y$ , we have  $x+y=y+x$ .

(ii) False ✓  
let  $x=8, y=3$   
 $4xy = 4(8)(3)$   
 $= 96 \neq 12$  ✓

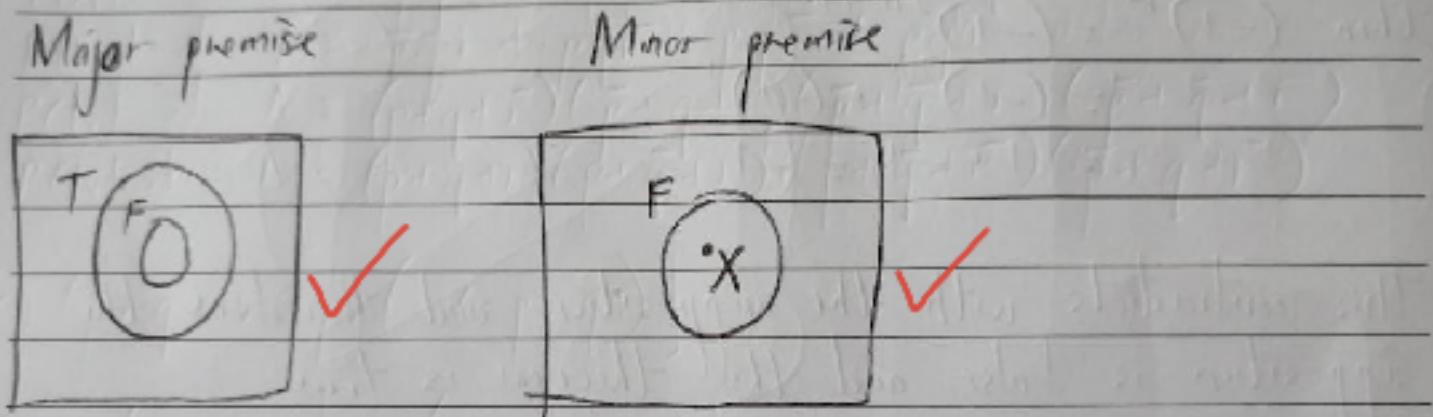
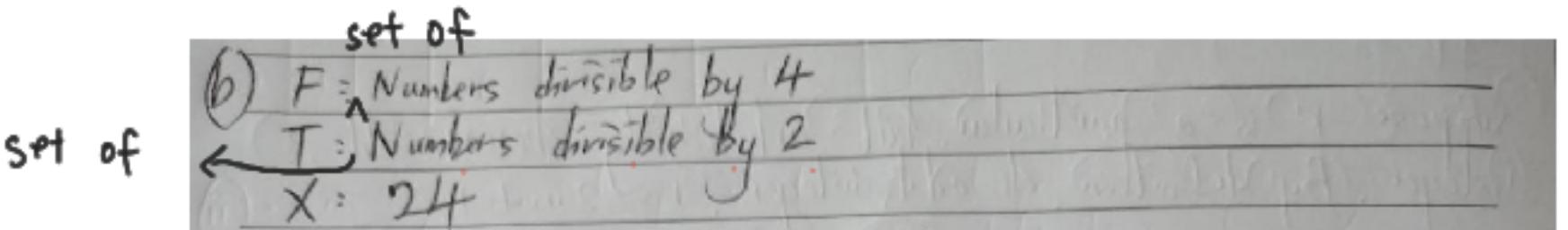
(b)

Use diagram to test the validity of the following argument.

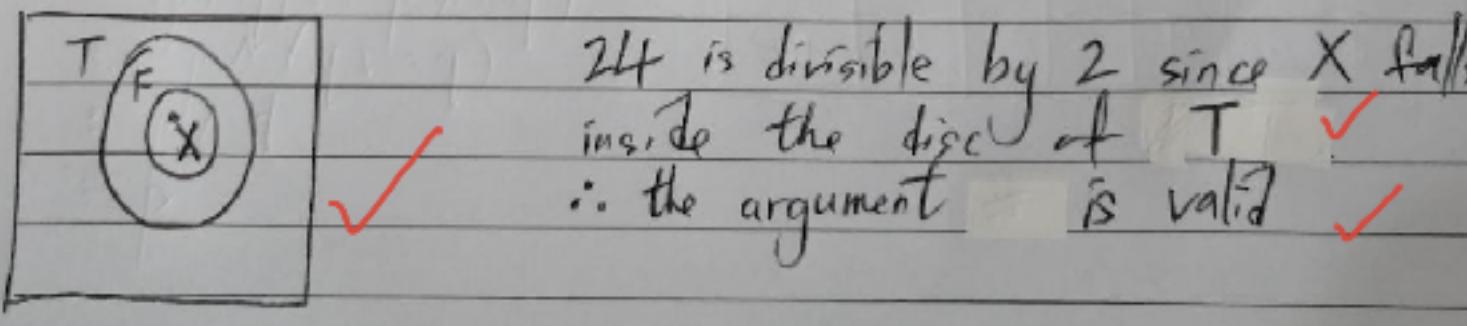
Major premise (All numbers divisible by 4 are divisible by 2.)

Minor premise

24 is divisible by 4.) Conclusion Therefore,  
24 is divisible by 2. ) (5 marks)



Possible conclusion:



(c) Prove the following statement.

"If  $r$  is any even integer, then  $(-1)^r = 1$ "

(5 marks)

Proof: ✓

Suppose  $r$  is a particular but arbitrarily chosen even integer. By definition of even integer,  $r = 2m$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  ✓

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } (-1)^r &= (-1)^{2m} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \cancel{(-1)}^{2m} \quad \checkmark \\ &= 1 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} &= [(-1)^2]^m \\ &= (1)^m \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, if  $r$  is any even integer, then  $(-1)^r = 1$

- (d) Find the greatest common divisor of 2020 and 888 by using Euclidean algorithm. Hence determine the least common multiple of 2020 and 888.

(8 marks)

$$2 \text{ (d)} \quad \gcd(2020, 888)$$

$$= \gcd(888, 244)$$

$$= \gcd(244, 156)$$

$$= \gcd(156, 88)$$

$$= \gcd(88, 68)$$

$$= \gcd(68, 20)$$

$$= \gcd(20, 8)$$

$$= \gcd(8, 4)$$

$$= \gcd(4, 0) \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 4 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2020 = 888(2) + 244 \quad \checkmark$$

$$888 = 244(3) + 156$$

$$244 = 156(1) + 88$$

$$156 = 88(1) + 68$$

$$88 = 68(1) + 20$$

$$68 = 20(3) + 8$$

$$20 = 8(2) + 4$$

$$8 = 4(2) + 0$$

$$\text{lcm}(2020, 888)$$

$$= 2020 \times 888$$

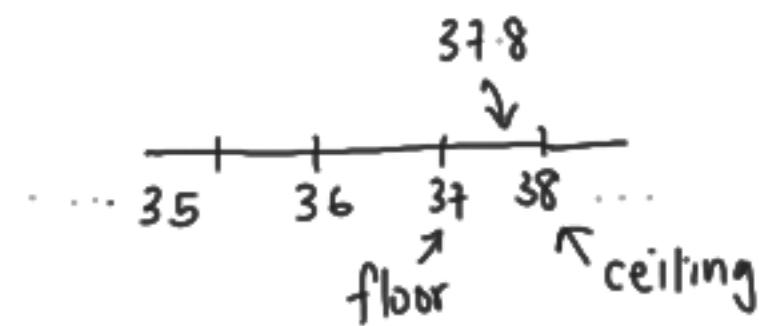
$$= \gcd(2020, 888)$$

$$= 1793760$$

$$4$$

$$= 448440 \quad \checkmark$$

- (e) Use binary representation to compute  $\lfloor 37.8 \rfloor + 15_{10}$ . Leave your answer in binary digit. (3 marks)



$$37_{10} = 100101_2$$

$$15_{10} = \dots_2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 100101_2 \\ + 1111_2 \quad \checkmark \\ \hline 110100_2 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 37 \\ 2 \overline{)18} - 1 \\ 2 \overline{)9} - 0 \\ 2 \overline{)4} - 1 \\ 2 \overline{)2} - 0 \\ 1 - 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 2 \overline{)15} \\ 2 \overline{)7} - 1 \\ 2 \overline{)3} - 1 \\ 1 - 1 \end{array}$$

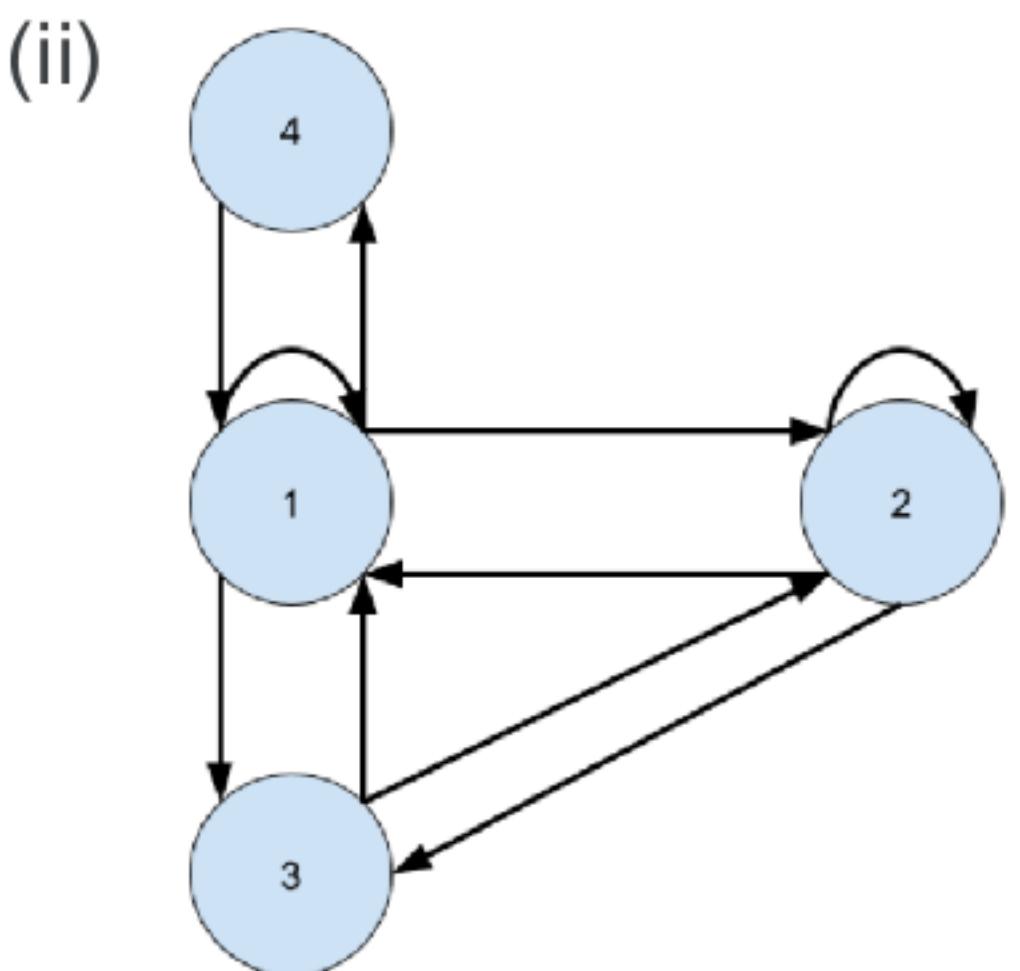
$$15_{10} = 1111_2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2^3 + 2^2 + 2^1 + 2^0 \\ = 8 + 4 + 2 + 1$$

Q3. (a) Let  $R$  be the relation on  $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  given by  $x R y$  if and only if  $2x + 2y < 12$ .

- DM (i) List the ordered pairs belonging to the relation  $R$ . (2 marks)
- (ii) Draw the digraph of  $R$  and write down the corresponding matrix  $M_R$ . (4 marks)
- (iii) Find the in-degree and out-degree of each vertex. (2 marks)

(i)  $R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (2,1), (2,2), (2,3), (3,1), (3,2), (4,1)\}$



Matrix ( $R$ ):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(iii)

vertex	1	2	3	4
in degree	4	3	2	1
out degree	4	3	2	1

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- (b) Let  $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$  and  $R = \{(a, a), (a, b), (a, d), (b, b), (b, d), (c, c), (d, a), (d, b), (d, d)\}$ .

Determine whether the relation  $R$  is reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric or transitive. Give a counterexample if the answer is "No". (6 marks)

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	a	b	c	d
a	✓			✓
b		✓		
c			✓	
d	✓			

$M_R =$

$$\begin{pmatrix} & a & b & c & d \\ a & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ b & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ c & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ d & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Reflexive ✓  
 $(a, a) \in R, (b, b) \in R, (c, c) \in R, (d, d) \in R$

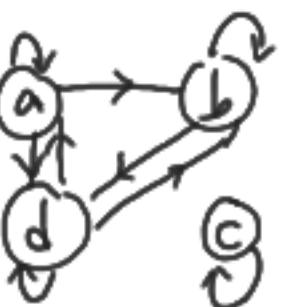
- Not irreflexive ✓  
 $(a, a) \in R$

- Not transitive ✓  
 ~~$(a, b) \in R, (b, c) \in R, (a, c) \in R$~~   
since  $(b, d) \in R, (d, a) \in R$  but  $(b, a) \notin R$

- Not symmetric ✓  
 $(a, b) \in R, (b, a) \notin R$

- Not asymmetric ✓  
Since  $(a, a) \in R$   $(a, d) \in R$  and  $(d, a) \in R$

- Not Antisymmetric since  $(a, d) \in R$  and  $(d, a) \in R$ ,  $a \neq d$   
~~1-way~~ ~~not 1-way~~ not 1-way



(c) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $R$  and  $T$  be the relations defined by the matrices

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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(i) Find the matrices of

Wo ✓ (1)  $R \cap T^{-1}$  inverse of  $T$

Wo ✓ (2)  $(\overline{T \circ R})$  Complement of  $T \circ R$

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(ii) Use Warshall's algorithm to compute the transitive closure of  $(R \cap T^{-1})$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (a)(i)(1) R \cap T^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cap \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cap \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

(2)  $(\overline{T \circ R})$

$$R = \{(1,2), (1,3), (2,1), (2,2), (2,4), (3,3), (3,4), (4,1), (4,4)\}$$

$$T = \{(1,1), (1,4), (2,2), (3,1), (3,3), (3,4), (4,3)\}$$

$$T \circ R = \{(1,2), (1,1), (1,3), (1,4), (2,1), (2,2), (2,4), (2,3), (3,1), (3,3), (3,4), (4,1), (4,2), (4,3)\}$$

$$(\overline{T \circ R}) = \{(2,1), (1,1), (3,1), (4,1), (1,2), (4,2), (2,2), (3,2), (1,3), (3,3), (4,3), (1,4), (4,4), (3,4)\}$$

$$M_{(\overline{T \circ R})} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (i) M_{T^{-1}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \\ (ii) M_{R \cap T^{-1}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Let } W_0 = M_{R \cap T^{-1}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad C_1 = 4 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad P_1 = 3 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad \text{Add } (4,3) \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} W_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad C_2 = 2 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad P_2 = 2 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad \text{Add } (2,2) \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} W_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad C_3 = 1, 3, 4 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad P_3 = 3, 4 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad \text{Add } (1,3), (1,4), (3,3), (3,4), (4,3), (4,4) \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} W_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad C_4 = 1, 3, 4 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad P_4 = 1, 3, 4 \quad \checkmark \\ \quad \text{Add } (1,1), (1,3), (1,4), (3,1), (3,3), (3,4), (4,1), (4,3), (4,4) \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} W_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = M_{R \cap T^{-1}} \quad \checkmark \\ \quad \checkmark \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$R^* = \{(1,1), (1,3), (1,4), (2,2), (3,1), (3,3), (3,4), (4,1), (4,2), (4,4)\} \quad \checkmark \quad \checkmark$$

- Q4. (a) Let  $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$ . Given  $\rho_1 = (b, d, f, g)$  and  $\rho_2 = (a, c, f, e)$  be two permutations on  $A$ .

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- (i) Compute  $(\rho_1 \circ \rho_2)^{-1}$  and write the result as a product of disjoint cycles and as a product of transpositions. (6 marks)

- (ii) Is  $(\rho_1 \circ \rho_2)^{-1}$  an even or odd permutation? (1 mark)

Q4 i)  $\rho_1 \circ \rho_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c & d & e & f & g \\ a & d & c & f & e & g & b \end{pmatrix} \circ \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c & d & e & f & g \\ c & b & f & d & a & e & g \end{pmatrix}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c & d & e & f & g \\ c & d & g & f & a & e & b \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$(\rho_1 \circ \rho_2)^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c & d & e & f & g \\ e & g & a & b & f & d & c \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$

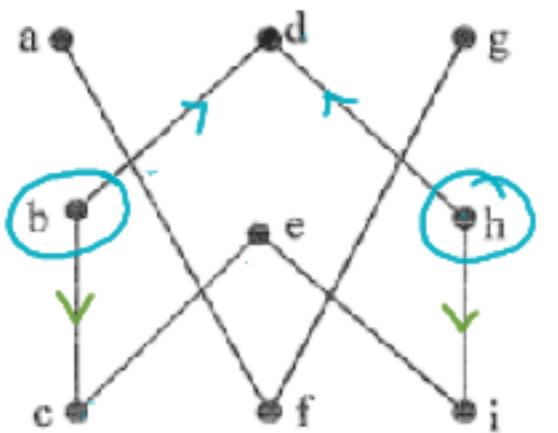
product of disjoint cycles  
 $= (a, e, f, d, b, g, c)$

product of transpositions  
 $= (a, c)(a, g)(a, b)(a, d)(a, f)(a, e)$

ii)  $(\rho_1 \circ \rho_2)^{-1}$  is even permutation.

$$\begin{aligned} &(a, c)(e, c) \\ &(b, b)(b, d) \\ &(c, f)(f, g) \\ &(d, d)(d, f) \\ &(e, a)(a, a) \\ &(f, e)(e, e) \\ &(g, g)(g, b) \end{aligned}$$

- (b) The Hasse diagram of a partially ordered set,  $P$ , is given below. Find, if exist(s):



b)i) maximal = {a, d, g, e} ✓  
 minimal = {c, f, i} ✓

K Weng (i) the maximal and minimal element(s) of  $P$ ; (3 marks)

none none

Jessie (ii) the greatest and least element(s) of  $P$ ; (2 marks)

M Yi (iii) the upper bound and lower bound of {b, e, h}; (2 marks)

S Wai (iv) Least Upper Bound and Greatest Lower Bound of {b, h}. (2 marks)

LUB of {b, h} = d

GLB of {b, h} = none

Greatest = none

Least = none

b) (iii) upper bound of {b, e, h} = {a, d, g}	<sup>none</sup>
lower bound of {b, e, h} = {c, f, i}	<sup>none</sup>

- (c) Simplify  $(x \wedge y)' \wedge (x' \vee y) \wedge (y \vee y')$  to the simplest form by using the laws of Boolean algebra. (5 marks)

4. (c) 
$$\begin{aligned} (x \wedge y)' \wedge (x' \vee y) \wedge (y \vee y') &= (\cancel{x'} \vee \cancel{y'}) \wedge (\cancel{x'} \vee y) \wedge 1^{\checkmark} \\ &= x' \vee (y' \wedge y) \\ &= x' \vee 0^{\checkmark} \\ &= x' \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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(d) Let  $f(x, y, z) = (x' \wedge y' \wedge z') \vee (x' \wedge y \wedge z) \vee (x \wedge y \wedge z') \vee (x \wedge y' \wedge z')$

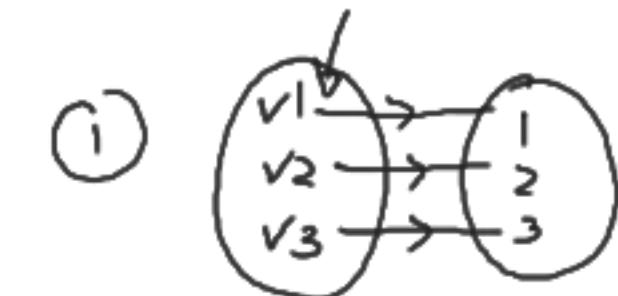
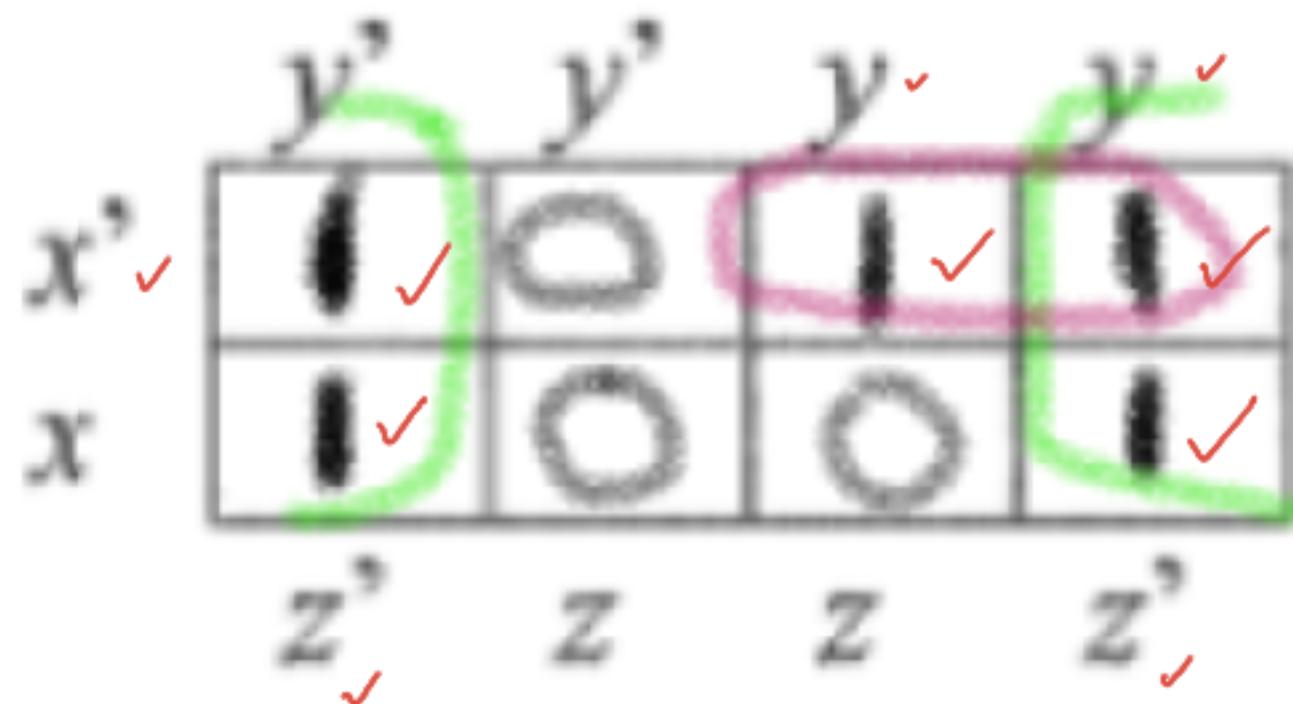
Construct a Karnaugh map in the form of

$x'$	$y'$	$y'$	$y$	$y$
$x$				
	$z'$	$z$	$z$	$z'$

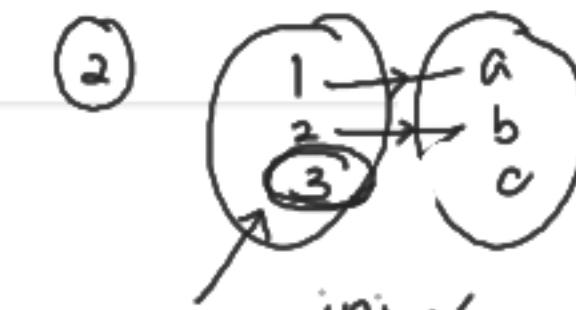
and hence simplify  $f(x, y, z)$  to the simplest form.

(4 marks)

$$f(x, y, z) = z' + x'y$$



inj. ✓  
everywhere def. ✓  
Surj. ✓



Surjective:  
 $\text{codomain} = \text{range}$

inj. ✓  
not everywhere def.  
not surjective

- Q3. (a) (i) Let  $A = \{v, w, x, y, z\}$  and the relation on  $A$  is  $R = \{(v, v), (w, w), (x, x), (y, y), (z, z)\}$ . Determine whether the relation  $R$  is reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric or transitive. Give a counterexample if the answer is "No". (7 marks)

extra question

- (ii) Verify if  $R$  is an equivalence relation on  $A$ . (2 marks)

(Q3)(a)(i) R is reflexive since  $(v, v), (w, w), (x, x), (y, y)$  and  $(z, z) \in R$  ✓  
 R is not irreflexive since  $(v, v) \in R$  ✓  
 R is not symmetric since  $M_R = (M_R)^T$  ✓  
 R is not asymmetric since  $(v, v) \in R$  ✓  
 R is antisymmetric ✓  
 R is not transitive since  $(a, b), (b, c)$  and  $(a, c) \notin R$

I'm confused about symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric and transitive -ZY

$M_{ij} = 1$   
 $M_{ji} = 0$   
 $M_{12} = 1$   
 $M_{21} = 0$

$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} v & w & x & y & z \\ v & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ w & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ y & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ z & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = M_R^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$M_R \odot M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = M_R$

(ii) R is an equivalence relation on A, since R is reflexive, symmetric and transitive.

(c) Use the Laws of Logical Equivalence to show that

$$[p \vee (q \vee \neg r)] \rightarrow (q \wedge r) \vee (p \wedge r) \equiv r$$

(5 marks)

Q2. (a) Let  $D = \{-9, -6, -3, 0, 2, 4, 8\}$ . Determine which of the following statements are true and which are false. Prove those true statements and provide counterexamples for those false statements.

**YH** (i)  $\exists x \in D, \text{ if } x \text{ is odd, then } 3|x$ .

**XY** (ii)  $\forall x \in D, \text{ if } x \text{ is even, then } x \text{ is positive.}$

**WJ** (iii)  $\exists x \in D, x > -10 \text{ and } x \bmod 3 = 1$ .

**Tzr K** (iv)  $\forall x \in D, x^2 > 0$ .

(4 marks)

(b) Use diagrams to determine the validity of the following argument.

**Janet**  
Everyone in the class is IT major.  
Sally is an IT major.  
Therefore, Sally is in the class.

(5 marks)

(c) Prove or disprove the below statement.

For all integers  $a, b$  and  $c$ , if  $a|b$  and  $a|c$ , then  $a|(b - c)$ .

(5 marks)

(a)(i) True

(ii) False, counter example  $-6 \neq \text{positive}$

(iii)

(iv)

- (b) Let  $A = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$  and  $R = \{(a,a), (a,b), (a,d), (a,e), (b,a), (b,b), (b,d), (c,c), (d,a), (e,a)\}$ . Determine whether the relation is reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric or transitive. Give a simple explanation if the answer is "no". (6 marks)

- (c) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $R$  and  $S$  be the relation on  $A$  described by the matrices

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } M_S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (i) Compute  $M_{R^{-1}}$ ,  $M_{\bar{R}}$ ,  $M_{R \cup S}$  and  $M_{S^{-1} \circ R}$ . (5 marks)

- (ii) Use Warshall's algorithm to compute the transitive closure matrix of  $R$ . (6 marks)

Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 18, 24\}$  and  $R$  be the relation on  $A$  whose matrix is

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (i) Draw the Hasse diagram of  $R$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Is  $[A, R]$  a linearly ordered set? (1 mark)
- (iii) Determine all the minimal and all the maximal elements of the poset. (2 marks)
- (iv) Find the least and greatest elements of the poset. (2 marks)
- (v) Find the least upper bound of  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . (1 mark)
- (vi) Find the greatest lower bound of  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . (1 mark)