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MC-402 APPLIED GRAPH THEORY

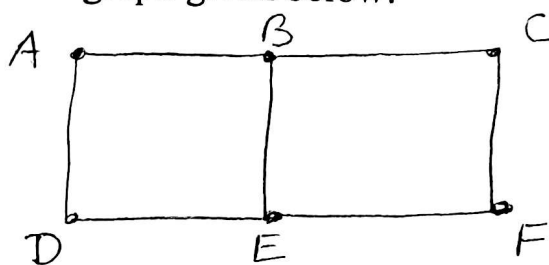
Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Answer ALL by selecting any TWO parts from each question.
All questions carry equal marks.

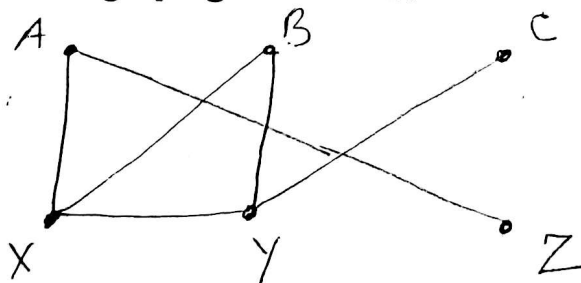
- Q1(a) Prove that the maximum number of edges among all p vertices graph with no triangle is $\lfloor \frac{p^2}{4} \rfloor$, where $\lfloor r \rfloor$ denotes the greatest integer not exceeding the real number r .
- (b) Prove that a graph is bipartite iff all its cycles are even.
- (c) Let $G = (p, q)$ graph having p vertices and q edges all of whose vertices have degree k or $k + 1$. If G has $p_k > 0$ vertices of degree k and p_{k+1} vertices of degree $k + 1$ then show that
$$p_k = (k + 1)p - 2q.$$

Q2(a) (i) Consider the graph given below:



Find the subgraphs obtained when each vertex is deleted. Does these subgraphs have any cut-vertices? Which of them are isomorphic?

(ii) Consider the graph given below:



Find (a) all paths from A to C, (b) all cycles, (c) subgraph of G generated by $\{B, C, X, Y\}$, (d) $G - Y$, (e) all cut vertices, (f) all bridges.

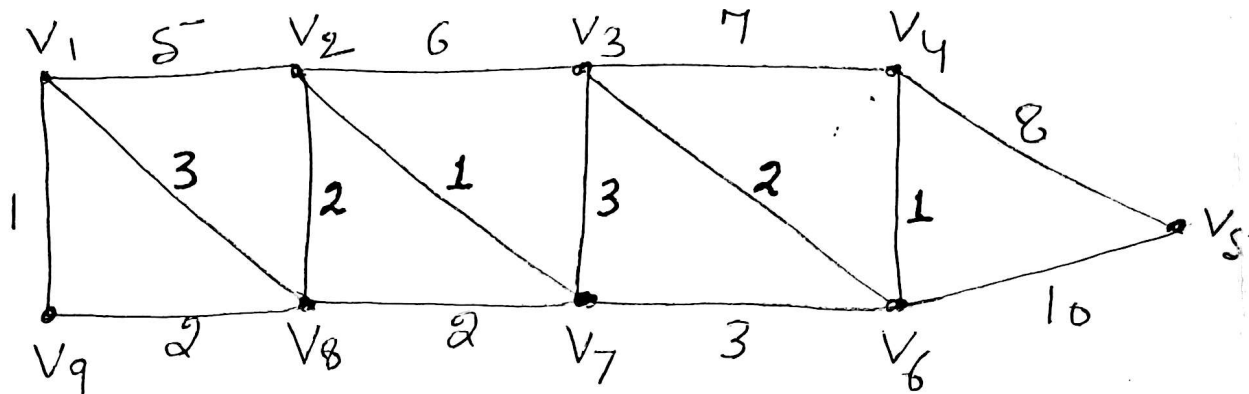
(b) Prove by induction on number of edges that every graph $G = (V, E)$ has at least $|V| - |E|$ connected components.

(c) Prove that in a complete graph with n vertices, there are $(n-1)/2$ edge disjoint Hamiltonian circuits, if n is an odd number greater than or equal to 3.

Q3. (a) Prove that a graph is a tree iff it is minimally connected.

(b) Define spanning tree. Prove that every connected graph has at least one spanning tree.

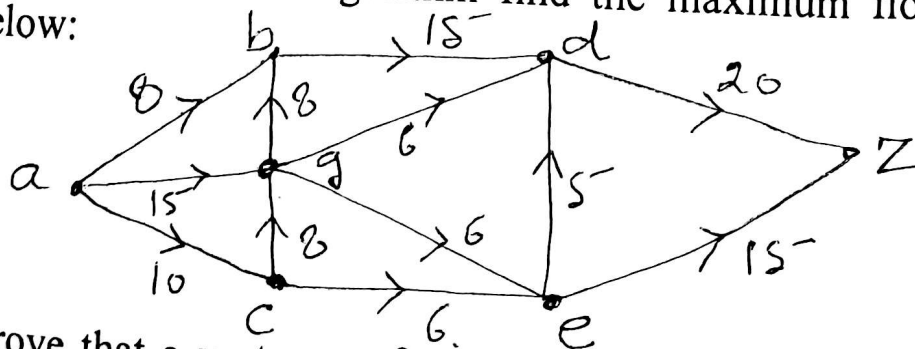
(c) Explain Kruskal's algorithm and hence find a minimal spanning tree of the graph given below.



Q4(a) Let T be a spanning tree of a connected graph G . Then a cut set which contains exactly one branch of T and all chords of T is called a fundamental cut set of G .

For a given spanning tree, let $D = \{ e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k \}$ be a fundamental cut set in which e_1 is a branch and e_2, \dots, e_k are chords of the spanning tree. Then show that e_1 is contained in the fundamental circuit corresponding to e_i for $i = 2, 3, \dots, k$. Moreover e_1 is not contained in any other fundamental circuits.

(b) Explain Ford-Fulkerson algorithm to find the maximum flow for a network. Use this algorithm find the maximum flow for the network below:



(c) Prove that a vertex v of a connected graph G is a cut vertex iff there exist two vertices x and y in G such that every path between them passes through v .

Q5. (a) Define Matching in a graph. Prove that every 3-regular graph without cut edges has a perfect matching.

(b) Let G be a K -regular bipartite graph with $K > 0$. Then show that G has a perfect matching.

(c) Show that the following statements are equivalent:

- (i) A graph G is 2-colorable
- (ii) G is bipartite
- (iii) Every cycle of G has even length