

2023

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

Answer from **both** the Groups as directed.

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP—A

(Compulsory)

1. Answer *all* the questions:

1 × 5

(a) Suppose the set A has m elements and the set B has n elements. Then the number of different relations from A to B is

(i) 2^{m+n}

(ii) $m+n$

(Turn Over)

(2)

(iii) mn

(iv) 2^{mn}

(b) In the poset $P = \{2, 3, 6, 12, 24, 36\}$ with divisibility relation, the minimal elements are

(i) 2, 3

(ii) 2, 6

(iii) 3, 6

(iv) 3, 12

(c) Let the truth values of p and q be true (T). Then

(i) $p \wedge q = F$

(ii) $(p \rightarrow q) = F$

(iii) $p \vee q = F$

(iv) $(p \wedge q) = F$

(3)

(d) Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and consider the relation $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (2, 3), (1, 3)\}$. Then R is

(i) Reflexive and transitive but not symmetric

(ii) Reflexive but not transitive

(iii) Symmetric and transitive

(iv) Reflexive and symmetric

(e) Let $R = \{(2, a), (4, a), (4, b)\}$ be a relation from set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ to set $B = \{a, b, c\}$. Then domain of R is

(i) $\{a, c\}$

(ii) $\{1, 2, 4\}$

(iii) $\{2, 4\}$

(iv) $\{a, b\}$

2. Define equivalence and partial order relations on a non-empty set A . 5

(4)

3. Let S be a non-empty set and $P(S)$ be its power set. Then show that the partially ordered set $(P(S), \subseteq)$ is a lattice where $A \leq B \Rightarrow A$ is a subset of B . 5

GROUP—B

Answer any four questions: 15 × 4

4. Let $A = \{2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 24, 48\}$ and ' \leq ' be the partial order relation of divisibility. Let $B = \{4, 6, 12\}$ be a subset of A . Then find

(a) Hasse diagram of the poset (A, \leq) .

(b) All upper bounds of B

(c) All lower bounds of B

(d) The least upper bound of B

(e) The greatest lower bound of B

5. Show that each of the following is a tautology:

(Continued)

(5)

(a) $[p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)] \rightarrow q$

(b) $[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)] \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$

6. Show that

(a) $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) = (p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$

(b) $(p \leftrightarrow q) = (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$

7. (a) Define relation and function on a non-empty set.

(b) Write difference between relations and functions by giving an example.

8. Define partition of a set. State and prove fundamental theorem on equivalence relation.

9. (a) Define tautology and contradiction.

(b) Show that

$\sim (p \wedge q) \rightarrow (\sim p \vee (\sim p \vee q)) = \sim p \vee q$
without constructing truth table.