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# University of New South Wales School of Computer Science and Engineering Foundations of Computer Science (COMP9020) FINAL EXAM — Session 1, 2017

# This paper must be submitted and cannot be retained by the student

### Instructions:

- Ensure you enter your correct name and student number above!
- This exam paper contains 10 multiple-choice questions (pages 1-3) plus 5 open questions (pages 4-8).

Each multiple-choice question is worth 4 marks ( $10 \times 4 = 40$ ).

Each open question is worth 12 marks ( $5 \times 12 = 60$ ).

Total exam marks = 100.

- Only use a blue or black pen. All answers must be recorded in this paper.
- For the multiple-choice questions, tick **one** box for your answer directly (each multiple-choice question has only one correct answer).

  To make a correction, tick *all* boxes, then *circle* one box for your answer.
- For the open questions, write your answer in the space provided (if you need more space, you can write on the back of the sheet).
- A separate white booklet is provided for scratch work only. **Do not write** your answers in the Examination Answer Book, it will not be marked.
- Time allowed 120 minutes + 10 minutes reading time.
- The exam is *closed book*. Reference materials are not allowed, apart from one A4-sized sheet (double-sided is ok) of your own notes.
- Number of pages in this exam paper: 8 (in addition to this cover sheet).



1. How many integers in the interval [-100, 100] are divisible by 5 or 7 (or both)?

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2. Consider the alphabets  $\Sigma = \{s, e, a\}$  and  $\Psi = \{a, r, t\}$ . How many words are in the set  $\{\omega \in (\Sigma \setminus \Psi)^* : \text{length}(\omega) \le 2\}$ ?

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6

7

3. Which of the following is **not** a correct equivalence?

$$\neg A \lor B \equiv \neg (B \land \neg A)$$

$$A \wedge \neg B \equiv \neg (B \vee \neg A)$$

$$A \Rightarrow \neg B \equiv B \Rightarrow \neg A$$

$$\neg (A \Rightarrow B) \equiv \neg B \land A$$

4. Consider the functions  $f: \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \{0,1,2\}$  and  $g: \{0,1,2\} \longrightarrow \{0,1,2\}$  defined by

$$f(x) = x \bmod 3$$

$$g(x) = |x - 2|$$

Which of the following statements is true?

$$f \circ f \neq f$$

$$g \circ g = \mathrm{Id}_{\{0, 1, 2\}}$$

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5. Consider the partial order  $\leq$  on  $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12\}$  defined by

$$x \le y$$
 if and only if  $x \mid y$  (i.e.,  $x$  is a divisor of  $y$ )

Which of the following is **not** true?

$$lub(\{1,4,6\}) = 12$$

$$glb({4,6,12}) = 1$$

 $(S, \leq)$  is a lattice

$$1 < 3 < 2 < 6 < 4 < 12$$
 is a topological sort of  $(S, \leq)$ 

6. All connected graphs with n vertices and k edges satisfy

$$n \ge k + 1$$

$$n \ge k$$

$$n \le k$$

$$n \le k + 1$$

7. We would like to prove that P(n) for all  $n \ge 0$ . Which of the following conditions imply this conclusion?

$$P(0)$$
 and  $\forall n \ge 1 (P(n) \Rightarrow P(n+1))$ 

$$P(0)$$
 and  $P(1)$  and  $\forall n \ge 1 (P(n) \land P(n+1) \Rightarrow P(n+2))$ 

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 and  $P(1)$  and  $\forall n \ge 0 (P(n) \land P(n+1) \Rightarrow P(n+2))$ 

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8. Consider the recurrence given by T(1) = 1 and  $T(n) = 4 \cdot T(\frac{n}{2}) + n$ . This has order of magnitude

O(n)

$$O(n \cdot \log n)$$

 $O(n^2)$ 

 $O(2^n)$ 

9. Let  $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $\mathbb{B} = \{0, 1\}$ . How many different *onto* functions  $f : S \longrightarrow \mathbb{B}$  are there?

0

6

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10. Which of the following is true for all A, B?

$$P(A \cap B|B) = P(A|B)$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(B) \cdot P(B|A)$$

$$P(A \cup B) \ge P(A) + P(B)$$

$$P(A|B) + P(A|\bar{B}) = 1$$



11. Consider the following two formulae:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \phi &=& \neg (A \Rightarrow (B \wedge C)) \\ \psi &=& \neg A \vee C \end{array}$$

- (a) Transform  $\phi$  into *disjunctive* normal form (DNF).
- (b) Prove that  $\phi, \psi \models \neg B$  (i.e.,  $\neg B$  is a logical consequence of  $\phi$  and  $\psi$ ).
- (c) Is  $\phi \lor \psi$  a tautology (i.e., always true)? **Explain your answer.**



12. Prove that for all binary relations  $\mathcal{R}_1 \subseteq S \times S$  and  $\mathcal{R}_2 \subseteq S \times S$  the following holds:

If  $\mathcal{R}_1$  and  $\mathcal{R}_2$  are symmetric, then  $\mathcal{R}_1 \setminus \mathcal{R}_2$  is symmetric.



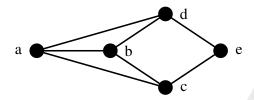
## 13. The Fibonacci numbers are defined as follows:

$$F_1 = 1$$
;  $F_2 = 1$ ;  $F_i = F_{i-1} + F_{i-2}$  for  $i \ge 3$ 

Write a proof by induction for the statement that every *third* Fibonacci number (that is,  $F_3$ ,  $F_6$ ,  $F_9$ , ...) is even (i.e., divisible by 2).



# 14. Consider the following graph G:



- (a) Give all 3-cliques of G.
- (b) What is the chromatic number  $\chi(G)$  of G? Explain your answer.
- (c) What is the maximal number of edges that can be added to G such that G remains planar? **Explain your answer.**



- 15. Consider a deck of six cards containing 2 jacks and 4 aces. One card is randomly drawn from the deck at a time. Calculate the expected number of drawing attempts until an ace is drawn:
  - (a) if the cards are put back into the deck after each drawing;
  - (b) if the cards are **not** put back into the deck after each drawing.

Briefly explain your answers.



