Discrete Quiz 10

Question 1

Some people participate in an Einkaufshelden program – they go to one of the shops A, B or C and deliver the products to one of the endpoints X, Y or Z. Each of the 9 edges in this full bipartite graph $K_{3,3}$ are selected by the same probability.

Use your ID digits as kilograms

A
B
C
X
Y
Z
+5kg +6kg +7kg

The sum of the numbers on both ends of an edge shows how many kilograms of stuff were delivered. (For example, if your Student ID has first digit A=0, then edge AZ has 0+7=7 kilograms. Let X denote the random variable: the kilograms of stuff delivered by an Einkaufsheld on a single edge.

The variance V(X) can be written as $\frac{m}{n}$, where m and n are relatively prime positive integers. Find m + n.

Question 2.

Given a set of the first positive integers $S = \{1, 2, ..., A + B + (10 - C)\}$ (where A, B, C are the digits from your student ID: we define a relation: aRb iff $|a - b| \le 2$.

Let R^2 be the second power of that relation R and let M_{R^2} be its matrix. Find the number of 1s in this matrix (In other words: how many pairs belong to this relation?)

Question 3.

Define a set *S* of these six positive integers:

$$S = \{1 + A, 2 + A + B, 3 + A + B + C, 4 + 2A + B + C, 5 + 2A + 2B + C, 6 + 2A + 2B + 2C\}.$$

Now compute the remainders of the elements of S when divided by 16. You should get another set S' where each element is between 0 and 15. (S' may contain fewer elements than S, if some remainders are identical.) Let b_i be a sequence of bits (i = 0, ..., 15):

$$b_i = 1$$
 iff $i \in S'$.

We define a matrix for relation *R* as follows:

$$M_R = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} b_0 & b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ b_4 & b_5 & b_6 & b_7 \\ b_8 & b_9 & b_{10} & b_{11} \\ b_{12} & b_{13} & b_{14} & b_{15} \end{array}\right)$$

Let M^* be the matrix of the transitive closure of R. Find the number of 1s in the matrix M^* .

Question 4.

Let *S* be a set and its size is computed from the digits in your ID:

$$|S| = A + B + (10 - C).$$

Let *N* be the number of binary relations on *S* that are reflexive and symmetric at the same time. Write the last 3 digits of *N* in your answer.

Hint If you need to find the last 3 digits of some large number, you can use periodicity (similar to this: https://bit.ly/33NrJKI). Euler's theorem about the period of remainders modulo 1000 being periodic with period $\varphi(1000)$ (see https://bit.ly/33PyI5Q) is not directly applicable in this situation, since your exponent a is not mutually prime with 1000. But with some additional reasoning you can use Euler's theorem as well.

Question 5.

Find the join of the 3-ary relation:

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{ (Wages,MS410,N507),
  (Rosen,CS540,N525),
  (Michaels,CS518,N504),
  (Michaels,MS410,N510) }
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and the 4-ary relation:

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{ (MS410,N507,Monday,6:00),
  (MS410,N507,Wednesday,6:00),
  (CS540,N525,Monday,7:30),
  (CS518,N504,Tuesday,6:00),
  (CS518,N504,Thursday,6:00) }
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with respect to the last two fields of the first relation and the first two fields of the second relation.

Write the number records in the join.

Question 6.

Let R be a relation on $\{a, b, c\}$ that is reflexive and transitive, but not antisymmetric. Denote its matrix by

$$M_R = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} b_0 & b_1 & b_2 \\ b_3 & b_4 & b_5 \\ b_6 & b_7 & b_8 \end{array}\right)$$

Write all the 9 bits (as a sequence of 0s and 1s) in your answer: $b_0b_1b_2b_3b_4b_5b_6b_7b_8$.

Question 7.

Let R be a relation on $\{a, b, c\}$ that is reflexive and transitive, but not symmetric. Denote its matrix by

$$M_R = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} b_0 & b_1 & b_2 \\ b_3 & b_4 & b_5 \\ b_6 & b_7 & b_8 \end{array}\right)$$

Write all the 9 bits (as a sequence of 0s and 1s) in your answer.