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2. इस प्रश्न-पुस्तिका में कुल 75 प्रश्न हैं। परीक्षार्थियों को सभी प्रश्न हल करना अनिवार्य है। दिये गये OMR उत्तर-पत्रक पर ही सभी प्रश्न हल करना है। सभी प्रश्नों के अंक समान हैं।
3. प्रश्नों के उत्तर अंकित करने से पूर्व प्रश्न-पुस्तिका तथा OMR उत्तर-पत्रक को सावधानीपूर्वक देख लें। दोषपूर्ण प्रश्न-पुस्तिका, जिसमें कुछ भाग छपने से छूट गये हों या प्रश्न एक से अधिक बार छप गये हों या किसी भी प्रकार की कमी हो, उसे तुरन्त बदल लें।

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1. In Euler's formula for planar graphs, what does  $V + V - E$  represent?
  - (1) The number of edges
  - (2) The number of faces
  - (3) The number of vertices
  - (4) The number of loops
2. According to Euler's formula, if a planar graph has 6 vertices, 10 edges, how many faces does it have?
  - (1) 4
  - (2) 6
  - (3) 8
  - (4) 1
3. What type of graphs does Euler's formula apply to?
  - (1) All graphs
  - (2) Planar graphs
  - (3) Complete graphs
  - (4) Bipartite graphs
4. Which of the following is a corollary of Euler's formula?
  - (1) A connected planar graph with  $n$  vertices has at most  $3n - 6$  edges.
  - (2) The degree of each vertex in a planar graph is even
  - (3) A connected planar graph with  $n$  edges has at most  $3n - 6$  vertices
  - (4) A planar graph cannot have more than  $2n - 4$  faces
5. What is a Hamiltonian circuit?
  - (1) A path that visits each vertex exactly once
  - (2) A circuit that visits each edge exactly once
  - (3) A path that visits each vertex and returns to the starting vertex
  - (4) A circuit that visits each vertex and returns to the starting vertex
6. Which of the following is a necessary condition for a graph to be Hamiltonian?
  - (1) The graph must be bipartite
  - (2) The graph must have at least two vertices
  - (3) The graph must be connected
  - (4) The graph must be complete
7. Which of the following theorem provides a sufficient condition for a graph to be Hamiltonian?
  - (1) Euler's theorem
  - (2) Dirac's theorem
  - (3) Kruskal's theorem
  - (4) Floyd's theorem

8. What is the difference between a Hamiltonian path and a Hamiltonian circuit?

- (1) A Hamiltonian path visits every vertex exactly once and does not return to the starting vertex, while a Hamiltonian circuit does
- (2) A Hamiltonian path visits every edge exactly once, while a Hamiltonian circuit visits every vertex exactly once
- (3) A Hamiltonian path visits every vertex and returns to the starting vertex, while a Hamiltonian circuit visits every edge exactly once
- (4) There is no difference

9. What is the Travelling Salesman Problem in relation to Hamiltonian graphs?

- (1) Finding the shortest path that visits each vertex exactly once and returns to the starting vertex
- (2) Finding the longest path that visits each vertex exactly once and returns to the starting vertex
- (3) Finding the shortest path that visits each edge exactly once
- (4) Finding the shortest circuit that visits each vertex exactly once and returns to the starting vertex

10. Which of the following graphs is always Hamiltonian?

- (1) A complete graph  $K_n$  with  $n \geq 3$
- (2) A star graphs
- (3) A bipartite graph
- (4) A tree

11. Which of the following is a well-known Hamiltonian graph?

- (1) Petersen graph
- (2) Complete graph  $K_5$
- (3) Star graph  $K_{1,5}$
- (4) Path graph  $P_n$

12. What is a tree in graph theory?

- (1) A connected graph with no cycles
- (2) A connected graph with exactly two cycles
- (3) A disconnected graph with no cycles
- (4) A graph with at least two disconnected components

13. How many edges does a tree with 10 vertices have?
- 8
  - 9
  - 10
  - 11
14. What is the minimum number of vertices in a tree with 5 edges?
- 3
  - 4
  - 5
  - 6
15. Which of the following statements about trees is true?
- Every tree is a complete graph
  - Every tree is bipartite
  - Every tree is planar
  - Every tree is connected and acyclic
16. What is the maximum number of edges in a tree with 8 vertices?
- 7
  - 8
  - 9
  - 10
17. Which of the following is a characteristic of a spanning tree of a graph  $G$ ?
- It contains all vertices of  $G$
  - It contains all edges of  $G$
  - It contains the same number of vertices as  $G$
  - It contains exactly  $n+1$  edges where  $n$  is the number of vertices in  $G$
18. Which of the following graphs is always a tree?
- Complete graph  $K_n$
  - Bipartite graph
  - Cycle graph  $C_n$
  - Star graph
19. What is the height of a tree?
- The number of edges in the longest path between two vertices
  - The number of vertices in the longest path between two vertices
  - The number of levels in the tree
  - The number of leaves in the tree

20. Which of the following operations is used to construct a minimum spanning tree of a weighted graph?
- (1) Depth-first search
  - (2) Breadth-first search
  - (3) Prim's algorithm
  - (4) Dijkstra's algorithm
21. Which data structure is typically used to implement Depth-first search?
- (1) Stack
  - (2) Queue
  - (3) Priority Queue
  - (4) Hash Table
22. Which of the following best describes the behaviour of Depth-first search, when traversing a graph?
- (1) Explores nodes level by level
  - (2) Explores nodes from one neighbor to the next, depth wise
  - (3) Explores nodes in random order
  - (4) Explores nodes based on their weights
23. In Depth-first search, if a vertex has multiple neighbors, in what order are they visited?
- (1) In ascending order of their labels
  - (2) In descending order of their labels
  - (3) In any arbitrary order
  - (4) In the order they are discovered
24. Which of the following data structures is used to keep track of visited vertices in Depth-first search to avoid processing them more than once? <https://www.mgkvponline.com>
- (1) Array
  - (2) Queue
  - (3) Starck
  - (4) Hash Table
25. What is the main application of Depth-first search?
- (1) Finding the shortest path in a graph
  - (2) Finding the longest path in a graph
  - (3) Finding connected components in a graph
  - (4) Sorting vertices in a graph

26. Which of the following is NOT a traversal order possible in Depth-first search for a given graph?
- Pre-order
  - Post-order
  - Level-order
  - In-order
27. Which of the following is a subset of every set?
- The set itself
  - The empty set
  - A singleton set
  - A finite set
28. If  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$ , what is  $A \cup B$ ?
- $\{1, 2, 3\}$
  - $\{2, 3, 4\}$
  - $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
  - $\{2, 3\}$
29. What is the power set of  $\{a, b\}$ ?
- $\{a, b\}$
  - $\{\{a\}, \{b\}\}$
  - $\{\{\}, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$
  - $\{a, b, \{a, b\}\}$
30. The Cartesian product  $A \times B$  of sets A and B is:
- The set of all ordered pairs  $(a, b)$  where  $a \in A$  and  $b \in B$
  - The union of sets A and B
  - The intersection of sets A and B
  - The difference of sets A and B
31. If  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and  $B = \{a, b\}$ , how many elements are there in  $A \times B$ ?
- 2
  - 4
  - 6
  - 8
32. Which of the following is not a relation?
- $\{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$
  - $\{(a, b), (b, c)\}$
  - $\{1, 2, 3\}$
  - $\{(x, y) | x < y\}$
33. If  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $R = \{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$ , which of the following statement is true?
- R is reflexive
  - R is symmetric
  - R is transitive
  - R is antisymmetric

34. Which of the following is an example of a symmetric relation?
- $\{(1, 2), (2, 1), (2, 3)\}$
  - $\{(a, b), (b, a)\}$
  - $\{(x, y) \mid x=y\}$
  - $\{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 1)\}$
35. Which of the following properties must a relation satisfy to be an equivalence relation?
- Reflexive, symmetric, and transitive
  - Reflexive, symmetric, and antisymmetric
  - Symmetric, antisymmetric, and transitive
  - Reflexive, antisymmetric, and transitive
36. If  $A=\{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $B=\{4, 5\}$ , what is  $A-B$ ?
- $\{4, 5\}$
  - $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$
  - $\{1, 2, 3\}$
  - $\{\}$
37. If  $R=\{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 1)\}$ , which property does  $R$  satisfy?
- Reflexive
  - Symmetric
  - Transitive
  - None of the above
38. Which set is infinite?
- $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
  - $\{a, b, c\}$
  - The set of all even numbers
  - $\{x \mid x < 10\}$
39. What is the number of elements in the power set of  $\{a, b, c\}$ ?
- 3
  - 6
  - 8
  - 9
40. If  $A=\{1, 2\}$ ,  $B=\{3, 4\}$  and  $C=\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  then  $(A \cup B) \cap C$  is:
- $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
  - $\{1, 2\}$
  - $\{3, 4\}$
  - $\{1, 2, 3\}$
41. Which of the following is a null relation on a set  $A$ ?
- $\{(x, x) \mid x \in A\}$
  - $\{\}$
  - $\{(x, y) \mid x, y \in A\}$
  - $\{(x, y) \mid x \neq y\}$

42. What is Boolean logic primarily used for?
- (1) Image processing
  - (2) Text formatting
  - (3) Digital circuit design and computer programming
  - (4) Statistical analysis
43. Who is considered the founder of Boolean logic?
- (1) Alan Turing
  - (2) Isaac Newton
  - (3) George Boole
  - (4) Charles Babbage
44. Which of the following values can a Boolean variable have?
- (1) Any integer
  - (2) Any real number
  - (3) True or False
  - (4) Any string
45. What is the basic operation of the AND gate in Boolean logic?
- (1) Output 1 if at least one input is 1
  - (2) Output 1 if both inputs are 1
  - (3) Output 1 if at least one input is 0
  - (4) Output 1 if both inputs are 0
46. Which Boolean operation outputs True, only if exactly one of the inputs is True?
- (1) AND
  - (2) OR
  - (3) XOR (Exclusive OR)
  - (4) NOT
47. What is the result of the Boolean expression 1?
- (1) 1
  - (2) 0
  - (3) True
  - (4) False



48. What is the output of the OR operation if both input are 0?
- (1) 1
  - (2) 0
  - (3) Undefined
  - (4) A
49. Which Boolean operation is also known as inversion?
- (1) AND
  - (2) OR
  - (3) NOT
  - (4) XOR
50. Which of the following is true for a conditional statement  $A \rightarrow B$  when both A and B are false?
- (1) The statement is true
  - (2) The statement is false
  - (3) The statement is undefined
  - (4) The statement depends on the value of A
51. In Boolean logic, the statement  $A \leftrightarrow B$  is true when:
- (1) Both (1) and (2) are true
  - (2) Both (1) and (2) are false
  - (3) (1) and (2) have the same truth value
  - (4) (1) and (2) have different truth values
52. What is the truth value of  $A \leftrightarrow B$  if A is true and B is false?
- (1) True
  - (2) False
  - (3) Undefined
  - (4) True only if AAA is false
53. What is a Disjunctive Normal Form?
- (1) A conjunction of literals
  - (2) A disjunction of clauses where each clause is a conjunction of literals
  - (3) A conjunction of clauses where each clause is a disjunction of literals
  - (4) A disjunction of variables

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55. Which of the following Boolean expressions is in Conjunctive Normal form?
- (1)  $(A.B)+(C.D)$
  - (2)  $(A+B).(C+D)$
  - (3)  $A+(B.C)$
  - (4)  $A.(B+C)$
56. Which of the following Boolean expressions is NOT in Disjunctive Normal Form?
- (1)  $(A.B+C.D)$
  - (2)  $A+(B.C)$
  - (3)  $(A.B)+(C.D)$
  - (4)  $(A+B).(C+D)$
57. Which of the following Boolean expression represents the NOR relation?
- (1)  $A+B$
  - (2)  $\overline{A+B}$
  - (3)  $A.B$
  - (4)  $\overline{A} + \overline{B}$
58. In Boolean logic, what does the expression  $A \rightarrow b$  represent?
- (1) A AND B
  - (2) A OR B
  - (3) If A then B
  - (4) A XOR B
59. Which Boolean relation is false only when both operands are true?
- (1) AND
  - (2) OR
  - (3) XOR
  - (4) NOR

60. What is a mapping in the context of relations?
- (1) A process of counting elements
  - (2) A way to pair each element of one set with exactly one element of another set
  - (3) A method to sort data
  - (4) A function to find the maximum value in a set
61. What type of mapping is defined as a relation where every elements of the domain is related to exactly one element of the codomain?
- (1) One-to-one mapping
  - (2) Many-to-one mapping
  - (3) One-to-many mapping
  - (4) Many-to-many mapping
62. Which of the following is NOT a characteristics of a function (mapping) in relations?
- (1) Every element in the domain is mapped to an element in the codomain
  - (2) Each element in the domain is related to exactly one element in the codomain
  - (3) An element in the codomain can be related to multiple elements in the domain
  - (4) Every element in the codomain must be mapped to by an element in the domain
63. In the context of relations, what is the range of a function?
- (1) The set of all possible inputs
  - (2) The set of all possible outputs
  - (3) The set of all elements in the domain
  - (4) The set of all elements in the codomain
64. Which of the following describes a surjective (onto) function?
- (1) Each element of the domain is mapped to a unique element of the codomain
  - (2) Each element of the codomain is mapped by at least one element of the domain
  - (3) Each element of the domain is mapped to a multiple element of the codomain
  - (4) Each element of the domain is mapped to no element of the codomain

65. What is an injective (one-to-one) function?

- (1) Each element of the domain is mapped to a unique element of the codomain
- (2) Each element of the codomain is mapped by multiple element of the domain
- (3) Each element of the domain is mapped to a multiple element of the codomain
- (4) Each element of the codomain is mapped by no element of the domain

66. What is a bijective function?

- (1) A function that is neither injective nor surjective
- (2) A function that is both injective and surjective
- (3) A function that maps each element of the domain to multiple elements of the codomain
- (4) A function that maps each element of the codomain to multiple elements of the domain

67. In the context of relations, what does the term "domain" refer to?

- (1) The set of all possible outputs
  - (2) The set of all possible inputs
  - (3) The set of all elements in the codomain
  - (4) The set of all pairs in the relation
68. What is the cardinality of a set?

- (1) The number of elements in the set
- (2) The sum of the element in the set
- (3) The product of the elements in the set
- (4) The difference between the largest and smallest elements in the set

69. What is the cardinality of the set  $\{a, b, c, d\}$ ?

- (1) 3
- (2) 4
- (3) 5
- (4) 2

70. What is the cardinality of the power set  $P(S)$  of a set  $S$  with  $n$  elements?
- (1)  $n$
  - (2)  $2n$
  - (3)  $2^n$
  - (4)  $n^2$
71. If two sets  $A$  and  $B$  have the same cardinality, what can be said about them?
- (1) They have the same elements
  - (2) They have the same number of elements
  - (3) They are subsets of each other
  - (4) They are disjoint sets
72. What is a graph in the context of Boolean logic?
- (1) A set of ordered pairs
  - (2) A visual representation of Boolean expressions
  - (3) A sequence of logical operations
  - (4) A set of vertices and edges connecting them
73. Which of the following correctly describes a directed graph?
- (1) A graph with edges that have no direction
  - (2) A graph with edges that have a direction
  - (3) A graph with no edges
  - (4) A graph with a loop at each vertex
74. In Boolean logic, what is a common use of graphs?
- (1) To solve algebraic equations
  - (2) To represent logical operations and dependencies
  - (3) To count the number of elements in a set
  - (4) To represent the Cartesian product of sets
75. In a Boolean logic circuit, which graph component corresponds to the output of a logical operation?
- (1) Vertex
  - (2) Edge
  - (3) Path
  - (4) Loop