

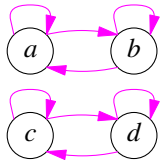
**Solution Long Quiz #3.2 (16-Apr): CSC-2259: Discrete Structures, Sp 2020**

Your answers must be to the point. Total = 50; marks for each question is shown in [ ].

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1. Complete the digraph below on the left for the equivalence relation  $R$  on  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with the equivalence classes  $\{a, b\}$  and  $\{c, d\}$ . Also, answer the questions on the right below. [4+2+4]



- (a) For the equivalence relation  $R$  on  $X$  above,  $[a] = \{a, b\}$ .
- (b) Show the partition of  $X$  for each of the other equivalence relations on  $X$  with 2 equivalence classes of size 2 each:  
 $\{\{a, c\}, \{b, d\}\}, \{\{a, d\}, \{b, c\}\}$

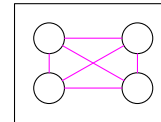
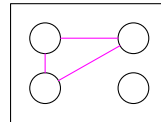
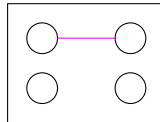
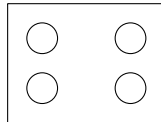
Give the three properties of an equivalence relation. [3] **Reflexive, symmetric, and transitive.**

Define the equivalence class  $[x]$  for a general equivalence relation  $R$ . [2]  **$\{y: (x, y) \in R\} = \{y: (y, x) \in R\}$**

For each equivalence class  $[x]$ , we know  $x \in [x]$ . State another important property of  $[x]$ . [2]

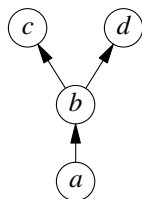
**$y \in [x]$  implies  $[y] = [x]$ ; another property is that two equivalence classes  $[x]$  and  $[y]$  are either equal or disjoint**

2. Give the unlabeled digraph (or the undirected graph, to save time and simplify the diagrams) for the other possible structures of equivalence relations on 4 items than the one in Problem 1. [8]

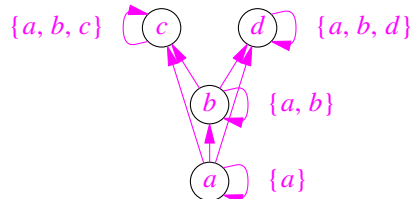


3. State the property of partial orders that makes them different from equivalence relations. [2] **Anti-symmetric**

Given below is the Hasse-diagram of a partial order. Show the digraph for the related partial order, the sets  $N^-(x)$  next to each node of the partial order, and the matrix form for the partial order. [2+4+4]



(i) An Hasse-diagram



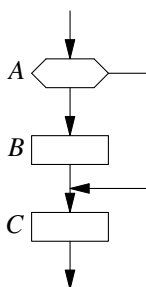
(ii) The corresponding partial order

	a	b	c	d
a	1	1	1	1
b	0	1	1	1
c	0	0	1	0
d	0	0	0	1

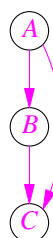
(iii) Matrix form of partial order.

Give the maximal and minimal items in the partial order above. [3] **Maximal =  $\{c, d\}$ , Minimal =  $\{a\}$**

Show the digraph of the "immediately-precedes"  $IP$ -relation for the flowchart below to its right. Answer the questions (a)-(d) below on the rightside. [2+2+2+2+2]



(i) A flowchart.



(ii) Its  $IP$ -relation.

- (a) When does the  $IP$ -relation of the flowchart of a code have cycles?  
**When the flowchart has for-loops or other kinds of loops**
- (b) State the properties (reflexive, anti-reflexive, etc) of the  $IP$ -relation of (i).  
**Anti-reflexive, anti-symmetric, transitive**
- (c) Is the  $IP$ -relation of a flowchart without cycles always a partial order?  
**No**
- (d) Is the transitive closure  $IP^+$  of a flowchart without cycles always a partial order?  
**No**