

Morning

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Sem - IV

Comp Dept



COMP 4 – 1 (RC)

S.E. (Comp.) (Semester – IV) (RC) Examination, May/June 2013

DISCRETE MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURE

Duration : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

Instructions : 1) Attempt **any five** questions, choosing at least **one** from **each** Module.

2) Assume **suitable** data if **necessary**.

Module – I

1. a) Let A, B & C be three non-empty sets. Prove that
 - i) $(A - C) \cap (B - C) = (A \cap B) - C$ 6
 - ii) $(A - B) \times C = (A \times C) - (B \times C)$ 8
- b) Let \mathbb{Z} be the set of integers. Define a relation R on \mathbb{Z} as follows. xRy if and only if 3 divides $x-y$. Show that R is an equivalence relation and also find its distinct equivalence classes. 8
- c) Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$ be two surjective functions. Show that $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is also surjective. 6
2. a) Let X be an non-empty set. Define a relation ' \leq ' on $P(X)$ as follows : for any $A, B \in P(X)$, $A \leq B$ if and only if $A \subseteq B$. Prove that $P(X)$ is a poset. 6
- b) Draw Hasse diagram for the poset (S, \leq) where $S = \{2, 4, 5, 8, 10, 12, 16, 20, 22, 25\}$ and $a \leq b$ if and only if $a|b \forall a, b \in S$. Also find minimal and maximal elements of S. 8
- c) Show that if any 20 people are selected, then we can choose a subset of 3, so that all three are born on the same day of the week. 6

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Module - II

3. a) Let $(G, *)$ be a group. Prove that

i) $a * b = a * c \Rightarrow b = c$

ii) $b * a = c * a \Rightarrow b = c$

where a, b and $c \in G$.

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b) Prove that $(G, *)$ is an Abelian group if and only if $(a \cdot b)^2 = a^2 \cdot b^2$, where $a, b \in G$.

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c) State and prove Lagrange's theorem for groups.

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4. a) If $(R, +, \cdot)$ is a ring such that $a^2 = a \quad \forall a \in R$, prove that

i) $a + a = 0 \quad \forall a \in R$

ii) $a + b = 0 \Rightarrow a = b$

iii) R is a commutative ring

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b) Show that $W = \{(x, y, z) : x - y + z = 0\}$ is a sub space of \mathbb{R}^3 . Also find a basis for W .

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c) Show that $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined as $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + x_2, x_2, x_1 - x_3)$ is a linear transformation.

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Module - III

5. a). Define a Boolean Algebra B . In a Boolean Algebra B , prove that :

i) $a + a \cdot b = a \quad \forall a, b \in B$

ii) $(a + b)' = a' \cdot b' \quad \forall a, b \in B$

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b) Define functionally complete set of connectives. Show that $\{\downarrow\}$ is functionally complete.

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c) Define conjunctive normal form. Express the following expression in the principal conjunctive normal form. $(\sim p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \leftrightarrow p)$ where p, q and r are propositions.

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d) Using rules of inference, show that the premises $E \rightarrow S, S \rightarrow H, A \rightarrow H$ and the conclusion $E \wedge A$ is consistent.

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6. a) State the principal of mathematical induction and use it to prove that

$$1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \dots + n^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}$$

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- b) A person invests Rs. 25,000/- @ 9% interest compounded annually. How much will be the total amount at the end of 17 years ?

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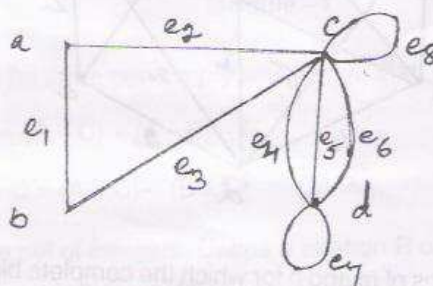
- c) Solve the recurrence relation $a_n - 3a_{n-1} + 2a_{n-2} = 5$, $n \geq 2$, and $a_0 = 0$, $a_1 = 1$.

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Module – IV

7. a) Define incidence matrix of an undirected graph. Represent the following graph by an incidence matrix.

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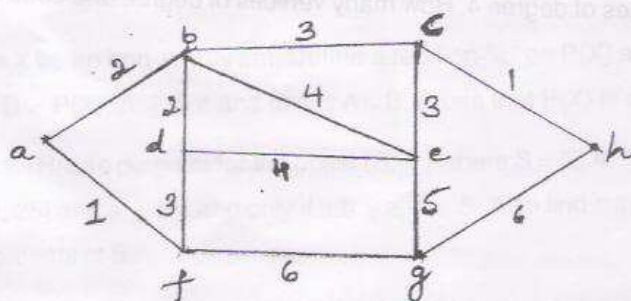


- b) Define a bipartite graph and a complete graph. Is it possible to draw a bipartite graph which is also complete graph ? Justify.

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- c) Apply Dijkstra's algorithm to find the shortest path between a and h in the following weighted graph.

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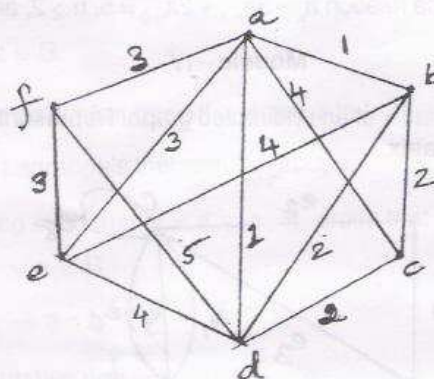


- d) Is it possible to draw a graph with 7,7,7,7,6,6,5,5,5,4,4,3 degree sequence ? Justify.

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8. a) i) Give three different definition of a tree. 3
 ii) Draw a tree having three vertices of degree 3, one vertex of degree two and five vertices of degree five. 3
 b) Use Kruskal's algorithm to obtain a minimal spanning tree for the graph. 7



- c) i) State the values of m and n for which the complete bipartite graph $K_{m,n}$ is a tree. 1
 ii) Show that a full (regular) m -ary tree with ' c ' internal vertices contain $n = m \cdot c + 1$ vertices. 3
 iii) A tree has two vertices of degree 2, one vertex of degree 3 and three vertices of degree 4. How many vertices of degree one does it have? 3

