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BENNETT UNIVERSITY, GREATER NOIDA

End Term Examination, Fall SEMESTER 2019-20

COURSE CODE: **ECSE209L**

MAX. DURATION: **2 Hours**

COURSE NAME: **Discrete Mathematical Structures**

MAX. MARKS: **40**

Note: Attempt all the questions. All the questions are compulsory.

Q.1 Determine whether each of the following functions is an injection and/or a surjection:

(a) $f: \mathbb{Z}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}^+$, defined by $f(x) = x^2 + 2$ (1+1=2 Marks)

(b) $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, defined by $f(x) = -4x^2 + 12x - 9$

Q.2 (a) Consider the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$, compute the corresponding fuzzy set for the following membership function:

$$\mu_A(x) = \left(\frac{1}{1 + 10x} \right)^2$$

Also, represent the membership function graphically.

(2 Marks)

(b) Determine whether the following sets are equal (Justify your answer): (1 Mark)

$A = \{x: x \text{ is a letter in the word REAP}\}$ and $B = \{x: x \text{ is a letter in the word PAPER}\}$

(c) Let A and B be two sets with A' and B' as their complements respectively, then the set $(A - B) \cup (B - A) \cup (A \cap B)$ is equal to: (1 Mark)

(i) $A \cup B$

(ii) $A' \cup B'$

(iii) $A \cap B$

(iv) $A' \cap B'$

Q.3 Translate the following statements into their symbolic representations (using quantifiers, variables and predicate symbols): (2 Marks)

(a) There is a student who can speak Tamil and who knows C++.

(b) Given any integer whose square is odd, that integer is itself odd.

Q.4 (a) Determine the truth value of $[P \rightarrow ((Q \wedge (\neg R)) \vee S)] \wedge [(\neg T) \leftrightarrow (S \wedge R)]$, where P, Q, R and S are all true while T is false. **(2 Marks)**

(b) Show that $[(P \vee Q) \vee ((Q \vee (\neg R)) \wedge (P \vee R))] \Leftrightarrow \neg[(\neg P) \wedge (\neg Q)]$ using laws of equivalence. **(2 Marks)**

Q.5 Of 30 personal computers (PCs) owned by faculty members in a certain university department, 20 do not have A drives, 8 have 19-inch monitors, 25 are running Windows XP, 20 have at least 2 of these properties and 6 have all three. Considering the stated scenario, compute the following: **(2 Marks)**

(a) Number of PCs that have at least one of these properties.

(b) Number PCs that have exactly one property.

Q.6 Comment on the truth value of the following statements: **(3 Marks)**

(a) If A_1, A_2 and A_3 are pairwise disjoint sets with $|A_1| = 6, |A_2| = 8$, and $|A_3| = 5$, then $|A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3| = 6 \times 8 \times 5 = 240$.

(b) There are 8 ways of choosing a chairperson for a committee consisting of 5 men and 3 women.

(c) The number of different ways of answering 10 True/False type questions is 2^{10} .

Q.7 Discuss the following statement using the concept of pigeonhole principle: **(1 Mark)**

"In a group of 49 people, there must be 6 who have their birthdays in the same month."

Q.8 (a) Determine the number of edges in a graph with 6 vertices, 2 of degree 4 and 4 of degree 2. Draw two such graphs. **(3 Marks)**

(b) Show that the following graphs are isomorphic: **(2 Marks)**

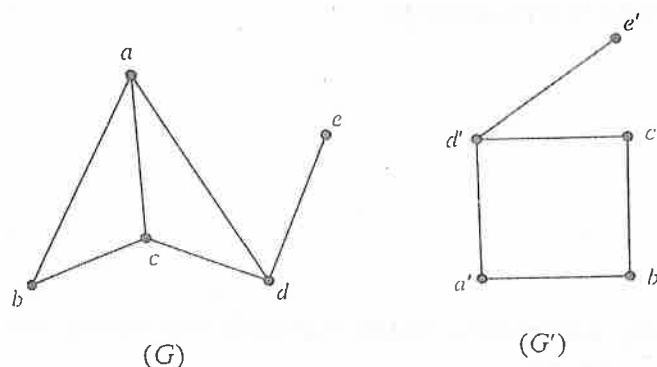


Fig. 1: Graphs G and G'

(c) Determine the minimum spanning tree for the following graph using Prim's algorithm:

(2 Marks)

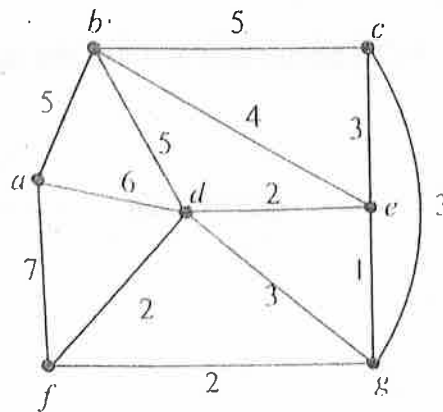


Fig. 2: Weighted Graph G_2

Q.9 Draw a graph corresponding to the map shown below and find a colouring that requires the least number of colours (vertex colouring). Calculate the chromatic number of the graph.

(3 Marks)

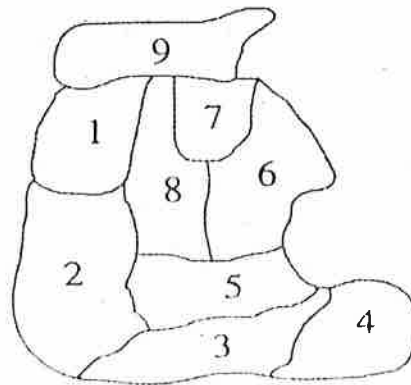


Fig. 3: A map representing important locations of a city

Q.10 (a) Compute the number of ways in which 6 boys and 6 girls can be arranged in a row under the following conditions: (2 Marks)

- (i) All boys are to be seated together and all girls are to be seated together.
- (ii) Boys and girls take their seats alternately.

(b) Determine the number of ways in which 20 students out of a class of 32 can be chosen to attend class on a late thursday afternoon if: (2 Marks)

- (i) Paul refuses to go to the class.
- (ii) Jim and Michelle insist on going to the class.

Q.11 (a) The set $L = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12\}$ of factors of 12 under divisibility forms a lattice. Prove by Hasse Diagram. **(2 Marks)**

(b) Determine whether the group $(G, +_6)$ is a cyclic group where $G = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$. If yes, point out the generators. **(3 Marks)**

(c) Show that $S = \{a + b\sqrt{2}\}$ where $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ for the operations $+$, \times is an integral domain but not a field. **(3 Marks)**

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