

Model Question Paper Set - 1 with effect from 2022(CBCS Scheme)

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Fourth Semester B.E Degree Examination

DISCRETE MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURES (BCS405A)


TIME: 03Hours

Max.Marks:100

Note:

1. Answer any **FIVE** full questions, choosing at least **ONE** question from each **MODULE**
2. M: Marks, L: RBT levels, C: Course outcomes.

		Module – 1	M	L	C
Q.1	a	Show that the compound proposition $[(p \leftrightarrow q) \wedge (q \leftrightarrow r) \wedge (r \leftrightarrow p)] \Leftrightarrow [(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r) \wedge (r \rightarrow p)]$ for primitive statements p, q, r is logically equivalence.	6	L2	CO1
	b	Establish the validity of the following argument using the Rules of Inference: $\{p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (s \vee r) \wedge (r \rightarrow \sim q)\} \rightarrow (s \vee t)$.	7	L2	CO1
	c	For the universe of all integers, let p(x), q(x), r(x), s(x) and t(x) denote the following open statements: p(x): $x > 0$, q(x): x is even, r(x): x is a perfect square, s(x): x is divisible by 3, t(x): x is divisible by 7. Write the following statements in symbolic form: i) At least one integer is even. ii) There exists a positive integer that is even. iii) If x is even, then x is not divisible by 3. iv) No even integer is divisible by 7. v) There exists even integer divisible by 3.	7	L1	CO1
OR					
Q.2	a	Define a tautology. Prove that, for any propositions p, q, r the compound propositions, $\{(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)\} \rightarrow \{(p \rightarrow r)\}$ is tautology.	6	L2	CO1
	b	Prove the following using laws of logic: $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$.	7	L2	CO1
	c	Give i) direct proof ii) indirect proof iii) proof by contradiction for the following statement: “if n is an odd integer then n+9 is an even integer”.	7	L3	CO1
Module – 2					
Q.3	a	Prove that $1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + \dots + (2n - 1)^2 = \frac{n(2n+1)(2n-1)}{3}$ by Mathematical Induction.	6	L2	CO2
	b	Let $a_0 = 1, a_1 = 2, a_2 = 3$ and $a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} + a_{n-3}$ for $n \geq 3$. Prove that $a_n \leq 3^n \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.	7	L2	CO2
	c	Find the number of ways of arrangement of the letters of the word ‘TALLAHASSEE’ which have no adjacent A’s.	7	L2	CO2
OR					
Q.4	a	Determine the coefficient of xyz^2 in the expansion of $(2x - y - z)^4$.	6	L2	CO2
	b	In how many ways one can distribute 8 identical marbles in 4 distinct containers so that i) no container is empty ii) the fourth container has an odd number of marbles in it.	7	L2	CO2
	c	How many positive integers n can we form using the digits 3,4,4,5,5,6,7 if we want n to exceed 5,000,000?	7	L2	CO2
Module – 3					
Q.5	a	Let $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by, $f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x - 5 & \text{if } x > 0 \\ 1 - 3x & \text{if } x \leq 0 \end{cases}$. Find $f^{-1}(0), f^{-1}(1), f^{-1}(-1), f^{-1}(3), f^{-1}(6), f^{-1}([-6, 5])$ and $f^{-1}([-5, 5])$	6	L2	CO3

	b	State Pigeon hole principle. Prove that in any set of 29 persons; at least 5 persons have been born on the same day of the week.	7	L2	CO3
	c	Let $A=\{1,2,3,4,6\}$ and 'R' be a relation on 'A' defined by aRb if and only if "a is multiple of b" represent the relation 'R' as a matrix, draw the diagram and relation R.	7	L2	CO3
OR					
Q.6	a	If $f:A \rightarrow B, g:B \rightarrow C, h:C \rightarrow D$ are three functions, then Prove that $h \circ (g \circ f) = (h \circ g) \circ f$.	6	L2	CO3
	b	Show that if $n+1$ numbers are chosen from 1 to $2n$ then at least one pair add to $2n+1$.	7	L2	CO3
	c	Draw the Hasse diagram representing the positive divisors of 72.	7	L2	CO3
Module – 4					
Q.7	a	In how many ways the 26 letters of English alphabet are permuted so that none of the pattern's CAR, DOG, PUN or BYTE occurs?	6	L2	CO4
	b	Define Derangement. In how many ways can each of 10 people select a left glove and a right glove out of a total of 10 pairs of gloves so that no person selects a matching pair of gloves?	7	L2	CO4
	c	Solve the recurrence relation: $C_n = 3C_{n-1} - 2C_{n-2}$, for $n \geq 2$, given $C_1 = 5, C_2 = 3$.	7	L3	CO4
OR					
Q.8	a	In how many ways one can arrange the letters of the word CORRESPONDENTS so that there are i) exactly 2 pairs of consecutive identical letters? ii) at least 3 pairs of consecutive identical letters? iii) no pair of consecutive identical letters?	6	L2	CO4
	b	Find the rook polynomial for the chess board as shown in the figure 	7	L2	CO4
	c	Solve the recurrence relation $a_{n+2} - 3a_{n+1} + 2a_n = 0, a_0 = 1, a_1 = 6$.	7	L3	CO4
Module – 5					
Q.9	a	If H, K are subgroups of a group G , prove that $H \cap K$ is also a subgroup of G . Is $H \cup K$ a subgroup of G .	6	L2	CO5
	b	Define Klein 4 group. Verify $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ is a Klein 4 group.	7	L2	CO5
	c	State and prove Lagrange's Theorem.	7	L2	CO5
OR					
Q.10	a	Show that i) the identity of G is unique. ii) the inverse of each element of G is Unique.	6	L3	CO5
	b	Show that (A, \cdot) is an abelian group where $A = \{a \in Q a \neq -1\}$ and for any $a, b \in A, a \cdot b = a + b + ab$.	7	L3	CO5
	c	Let $G = S_4$, for $\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, find the subgroup $H = \langle \alpha \rangle$. Determine the left cosets of H in G .	7	L3	CO5