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**B.Tech.**

(SEM. III) ODD SEMESTER THEORY  
EXAMINATION 2010-11

**DISCRETE MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURES**

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

- Note :** (1) Attempt **all** questions.  
(2) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Attempt any **four** parts of the following :— (5×4=20)

(a) Consider a universal set  $U = \{x \mid x \text{ is an integer}\}$ . Assume that  $X = \{x \mid x \text{ is a positive integer}\}$ ,  $Z = \{x \mid x \text{ is an even integer}\}$  and  $Y = \{x \mid x \text{ is a negative odd integer}\}$ . Find the following :

(i)  $X - Y$

(ii)  $X^c - Y$ , where  $X^c$  is the complement of set  $X$ .(b) Consider a set  $S_k = \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$ . Find

$$\bigcup_{k=1}^n S_k \text{ and } \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} S_k.$$

(c) Let  $R$  be a relation on  $\mathbb{N}$ , the set of natural numbers such that

$$R = \{(x, y) \mid 2x + 3y \text{ and } x, y \in \mathbb{N}\}.$$

Find :

(i) The domain and codomain of  $R$ .(ii)  $R^{-1}$ .

- (d) Show that the functions  $f(x) = x^3 + 1$  and  $g(x) = (x - 1)^{1/3}$  are converse to each other.
- (e) Prove that if  $f_n$  is a Fibonacci number then

$$f_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[ \left( \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1} - \left( \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1} \right]$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , the set of natural numbers.

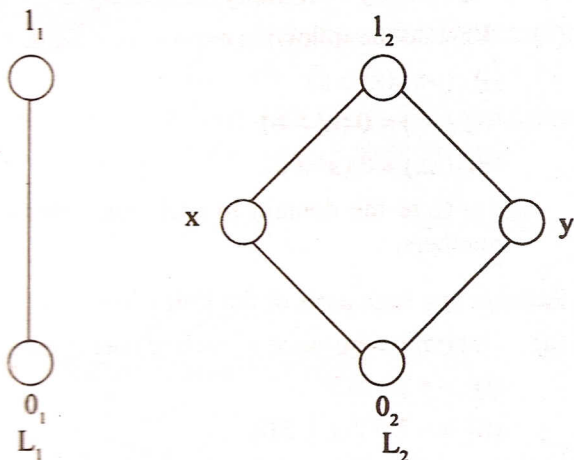
- (f) Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $X = Y = \mathbb{R}$ , the set of real number. Find  $f^{-1}$  if
- (i)  $f(x) = x^2$
- (ii)  $f(x) = (2x - 1)/5$ .

2. Attempt any two parts of the following :— (10×2=20)

- (a) Let  $G = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$  with the binary operation multiplication be an algebraic structure, where  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ .
- (i) Determine whether  $G$  is an Abelian.
- (ii) If  $G$  is a cyclic group, then determine the generator of  $G$ .
- (b) Let  $G = (\mathbb{Z}^2, +)$  be a group and let  $H$  be a subgroup of  $G$ , where  $H = \{(x, y) \mid x = y\}$ . Find the left cosets of  $H$  in  $G$ . Here  $\mathbb{Z}$  is the set of integers.
- (c) Prove that  $(\mathbb{R}, +, *)$  is a ring with zero divisors, where  $\mathbb{R}$  is  $2 \times 2$  matrix and  $+$  and  $*$  are usual addition and multiplication operations.

3. Attempt any two parts of the following :— (10×2=20)

- (a) Let  $(L_1, \leq)$  and  $(L_2, \leq)$  be lattices as shown below. Then draw the Hasse diagram for the lattice  $(L, \leq)$ , where  $L = L_1 \times L_2$ .



- (b) (i) Simplify the following Boolean function using K-map :

$$f(x, y, z) = \sum(0, 2, 3, 7).$$

- (ii) How are sequential circuits different from combinational circuits ?

- (c) Describe the Boolean duality principle. Write the dual of each Boolean equations :

(i)  $x + \bar{x}y = x + y$

(ii)  $(x \cdot 1)(0 + \bar{x}) = 0$ .

4. Attempt any two parts of the following :— (10×2=20)

- (a) (i) Show that the statements :

$$P \rightarrow Q \text{ and } \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P \text{ are equivalent.}$$

- (ii) State the contrapositive and converse statement of the following statement :

“If the triangle is equilateral, then it is equiangular.”

- (b) Show that premises :

$$P \rightarrow Q, R \rightarrow S, \neg Q \rightarrow \neg S, \neg \neg P.$$

and  $(T \wedge U) \rightarrow R$  imply the conclusion  $\neg(T \wedge U)$ .

- (c) What do the following expressions mean ?

(i)  $(\forall x)(x^2 \geq x)$

(ii)  $(\forall x) < 0 (x^2 > 0)$

(iii)  $(\exists x) \neq 0 (x^2 \neq 0)$ .

Here the domain in each case consists of the real numbers.

5. Attempt any four parts of the following :— (5×4=20)

- (a) Determine the value of each of these prefix expressions :

(i)  $- * 2 / 933$

(ii)  $+ - * 335 / \uparrow 232$ .

- (b) For which values of  $n$  do these graphs have an Euler cycle :

(i)  $K_n$ , a complete graph of  $n$ -vertices.

(ii)  $C_x$ , a cycle of  $n$ -vertices.

- (c) Solve the recurrence relation :

$$T(n) = 64T(n/4) + n^6 \text{ where}$$

$n \geq 4$  and a power of 4.

- (d) Solve the recurrence relation :

$$a_n = 3a_{n-1} + 4^{n-1}$$

for  $n \geq 0$  and  $a_0 = 1$ .

- (e) Determine the number of bit strings of length 10 that either begin with three 0's or end with two 1's.

- (f) How many different rooms are needed to assign 500 classes, if there are 45 different time periods during in the university time table that are available ?