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DISCRETE STRUCTURE

CSE-201N/IT-209N

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Attempt *Five* questions in all, selecting at least *one* question from each Unit.

Unit I

1. (a) Let P, Q and R are three finite sets. Then prove that :

$$|P \cup Q \cup R| = |P| + |Q| + |R| - |P \cap Q| - |P \cap R| - |Q \cap R| + |P \cap Q \cap R|$$

Also draw Venn diagram. 8

- (b) Let A and B be two sets, then show that $(A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c$. Also justify your answer by giving suitable example. 7
2. (a) Determine which propositions are the following by constructing Truth Tables :
- (i) $(p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)) \rightarrow ((p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r))$
- (ii) $(p \leftrightarrow q) \rightarrow ((p \wedge q) \vee (\sim p \wedge q))$ 8

- (b) Prove by Mathematical Induction for any integer n , $11^{n+2} + 12^{2n+1}$ is divisible by 133. 7

Unit II

3. (a) Let $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$. Let $R = \{(a, b), (a, c), (b, a), (b, c), (c, d), (d, a)\}$. Find the Reflexive-transitive closure of R. 8
- (b) Find whether the relation $(x, y) \in R$, if $x \geq y$ defined on the set of positive integers is a partial order relation or not. 7

Let $D_{100} = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50, 100\}$ and let the relation $R(\leq)$ be the relation (divides) a partial ordering on D_{100} .

- (a) Draw the Hasse Diagram for the above relation :
- (i) Determine the GLB of B, where $B = \{10, 20\}$
- (ii) Determine the LUB of B, where $B = \{10, 20\}$
- (iii) Determine the GLB of B, where $B = \{5, 10, 20, 25\}$
- (iv) Determine the LUB of B, where $B = \{5, 10, 20, 25\}$. 10
- (b) Determine whether (D_{100}, R) is a lattice or not. 5

Unit III

5. (a) In a shipment, there are 40 floppy disks of which 5 are defective. Determine :
- In how many ways can we select 5 floppy disks ?
 - In how many ways can we select 5 non-defective floppy disks ?
 - In how many ways can we select 5 floppy disks containing exactly 3 defective floppy disks ? 7
- (b) How many permutations can be made out of the letters of word "COMPUTER" ? How many of these :
- Begin with C
 - End with R
 - Begin with C and end with R
 - C and R occupy the end places. 8
6. (a) Solve the recurrence relation $a_{r+2} - 2a_{r+1} + a_r = 2^r$ by the method of generating functions with the initial conditions $a_0 = 2$ and $a_1 = 1$. 8
- (b) Find the particular solution of the difference equation $a_{r+2} - 4a_r = r^2 + r + 1$. 7

Unit IV

7. (a) Consider an algebraic system $(G, *)$, where 'G' is the set of all non-zero real numbers and '*' is a binary operation defined by $a*b = ab/4$. Show that $(G, *)$ is an abelian group. 8
- (b) Let $(I, +)$ be a group, where I is the set of all integers and '+' is an addition operation. Determine whether the following subsets of G are subgroups of G :
- The set G_1 of all odd integers 7
 - The set G_2 of all positive integers. 7
8. (a) Consider an algebraic system $(Q, *)$, where 'Q' is the set of all rational numbers and '*' is a binary operation defined by $a * b = a + b - ab$ for all $a, b \in Q$. Determine whether $(Q, +)$ is a group or not. 8
- (b) Explain Ring Homomorphism with example. 7