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GIET UNIVERSITY, GUNUPUR – 765022

B. Tech (Third Semester – Regular) Examinations, December – 2020

BBSCS3040 – DISCRETE MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURES

(CSE & CST)

Time: 2hrs

Maximum: 50 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

PART – A: (Multiple Choice Questions)(1 x 10 =10 Marks)

Q.1. Answer ALL questions

a. Which of the following sentence is not a proposition?

(i) Ram is a name

(ii) Four is even

(iii) $5+6=12$

(iv) What a hit!

b. $p \rightarrow q$ is logically equivalent to

(i) $\neg p \vee \neg q$

(ii) $\neg p \vee q$

(iii) $p \vee \neg q$

(iv) $\neg p \wedge \neg q$

c. If $f(n)$ is defined recursively by $f(0)=1$ and for $n \geq 0$, $f(n+1) = f(n) + 2$, then $f(1)$ is equal to

(i) 1

(ii) 2

(iii) 3

(iv) 4

d. The generating function for the sequence $1, a, a^2, a^3, \dots$ is

(i) $\frac{1}{1-ax}$

(ii) $\frac{1}{(1-ax)^2}$

(iii) $1-ax$

(iv) $(1-ax)^2$

e. If a relation R is reflexive, symmetric and transitive then the relation R is called

(i) a poset

(ii) an equivalence relation

(iii) partial order relation

(iv) equivalence classes

f. A lattice which is complemented and distributive is called a

(i) Boolean algebra

(ii) Complemented lattice

(iii) Bounded lattice

(iv) Distributive lattice

g. The dual of $x.(x+y) = x$ for all $x, y \in B$ is

(i) $xy = x$

(ii) $x + xy = x$

(iii) $x + (x + y) = x$

(iv) $x + y = x$

h. Let Q^+ be the set of all positive rational numbers under the operation $*$ defined by $a * b = \frac{ab}{2}; a, b \in Q^+$. The

identity element of Q^+ under $*$ is

(i) 0

(ii) 1

(iii) 2

(iv) 3

i. The degree of an isolated vertex is

(i) zero

(ii) one

(iii) two

(iv) three

j. A tree with 20 vertices has

(i) 17 edges

(ii) 18 edges

(iii) 19 edges

(iv) 20 edges

PART – B: (Short Answer Questions)

(2 x 10=20 Marks)

Q.2. Answer ALL questions

- a. Let $P(x)$ denote the statement “ $x > 6$ ”. What are the truth values of $P(7)$ and $P(5)$?
- b. Solve the recurrence relation $a_n = 3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2}; n \geq 2$.
- c. In any Boolean algebra, if $a + b = 1$ and $a.b = 0$. Show that $b = a'$.
- d. If the permutations of the elements of $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ are given by $\alpha = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$, $\beta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 5 & 4 & 3 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ then find $\alpha\beta\gamma$.
- e. What is the value of the prefix expression $+ - 3 \uparrow 284$?

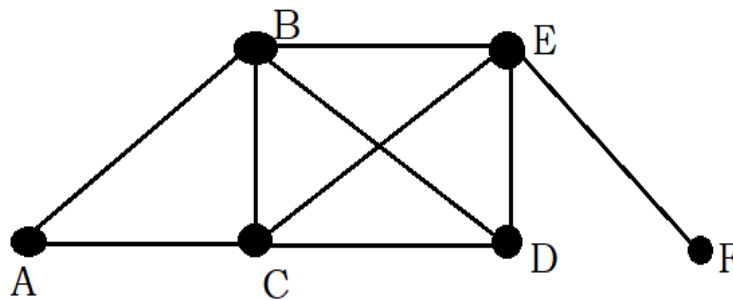
PART – C: (Long Answer Questions)

(6 x 5=30 Marks)

Answer ANY FIVE questions

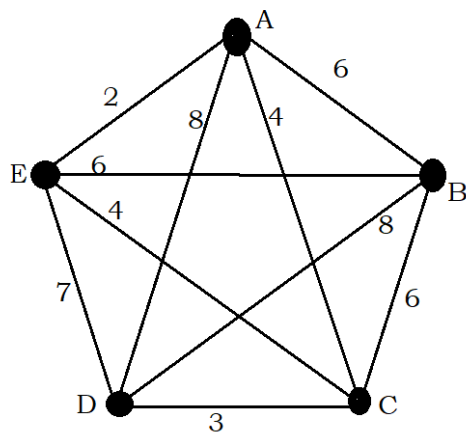
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- 3. Express the following statements using quantifier: (6)
“One student in this class know how to write programs in JAVA”
“Everyone who knows how to write programs in JAVA can get a high paying job”
imply the conclusion “Someone in this class can get a high paying job”.
- 4. Use mathematical induction to prove that $\frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \dots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$ where n is a positive integer. (6)
- 5. Use the method of generating function to solve the recurrence relation $a_n = 3a_{n-1} + 1, n \geq 1$ given that $a_0 = 1$. (6)
- 6. Using Warshall’s algorithm find the transitive closure of the relation $R = \{(1,1), (1,3), (1,5), (2,3), (2,4), (3,3), (3,5), (4,2), (4,4), (5,4)\}$ defined on a set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$. (6)
- 7. Prove that $D_{42} \equiv \{S_{42}, D\}$ is a complemented lattice by finding the complements of all the elements where S_{42} is the set of all divisors of the positive integer 42 and D is the relation of “division”, aDb if and only if a divides b . (6)
- 8. State and prove Lagrange’s theorem. (6)
- 9. Verify handshaking theorem for the following undirected graph. (6)



10. Find the minimum spanning tree for the following weighted graph using Kruskal's algorithm.

(6)



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