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Time: 3hrs

Max.Marks:75

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART - A

5 × 5 Marks = 25

- 1.a) What do you mean by a well-formed formula? Give examples of formulas that are well-formed and not well-formed. [5]
- b) What do you mean by a lattice? List the properties of a lattice. [5]
- c) What are the two basic counting principles. [5]
- d) Give the generating functions for the sequences $C(k,n)$, a^n , $(-1)^n$ and n . [5]
- e) Is there a graph with degree sequence (1,3,3,3,5,6,6)? Justify your answer. [5]

PART - B

5 × 10 Marks = 50

- 2.a) Show the following equivalences:
 - i) $A \rightarrow (P \vee C) \Leftrightarrow (A \wedge \neg P) \rightarrow C$
 - ii) $(P \rightarrow C) \wedge (Q \rightarrow C) \Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \rightarrow C$
- b) Show that the following premises are inconsistent:
 - i) If Jack misses many classes through illness, then he fails high school.
 - ii) If Jack fails high school, then he is uneducated.
 - iii) If Jack reads a lot of books, then he is not uneducated.
 - iv) Jack misses many classes through illness and reads a lot of books. [5+5]

OR

- 3.a) Obtain a principal conjunctive normal form of each of the following formulas:
 - i) $(\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow P)$
 - ii) $P \rightarrow (P \wedge (Q \rightarrow P))$
- b) Show that $(x)(P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)) \wedge (x)(Q(x) \rightarrow R(x)) \Rightarrow (x)(P(x) \rightarrow R(x))$ [5+5]
- 4.a) Let $X = \{1,2,\dots,7\}$ and $R = \{(x,y) \mid x-y \text{ is divisible by } 3\}$. Show that R is an equivalence relation. Draw the graph of R.
- b) Show that in a group $(G,*)$, if for any $a, b \in G$, $(a*b)^2 = a^2*b^2$, then $(G,*)$ must be abelian. [5+5]

OR

- 5.a) Let $f(x) = x+2$, $g(x) = x-2$, and $h(x) = 3x$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$, where \mathbb{R} is the set of real numbers. Find $g \circ f$, $f \circ g$, $f \circ f$, $g \circ g$, $f \circ h \circ g$.
- b) Find all the subgroups of $(\mathbb{Z}_{12}, +_{12})$ and $(\mathbb{Z}_7^*, \times_7)$ [5+5]





- 6.a) How many ways are there to distribute 10 balls into 6 boxes with at most 4 balls in the first 2 boxes if:

- i) The balls are indistinguishable
ii) The balls are distinguishable

- b) Verify that $C(n+3, r) - 3C(n+2, r) + 3C(n+1, r) - C(n, r) = C(n, r-3)$ [5+5]

OR

- 7.a) Find the number of integral solutions for the following:

- i) $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 + x_5 = 10$ where $x_i \geq 0$
ii) $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 50$, where $x_1 \geq -4, x_2 \geq 7, x_3 \geq -14, x_4 \geq 10$

- b) Determine the coefficient of x^5 in $(a + bx + cx^2)^{10}$ and $(x - 7y)^{15}$. [5+5]

- 8.a) Build a generating function for a_r = the number of integral solutions to the equation $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = r$

- i) $0 \leq x_i \leq 3$ for each i
ii) $2 \leq x_i \leq 5$ for each i

- b) Write a generating function for a_n , the number of ways of obtaining the sum n when tossing 9 distinguishable dice. Then find a_{25} . [5+5]

OR

- 9.a) Solve the following recurrence relations using the characteristic roots:

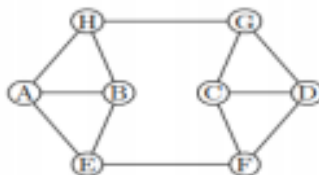
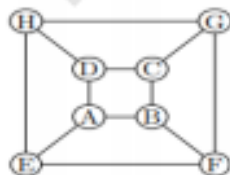
- i) $a_n - 3a_{n-1} - 4a_{n-2} = 0$ for $n \geq 2$ and $a_0 = a_1 = 1$.
ii) $a_n - 4a_{n-1} - 12a_{n-2} = 0$ for $n \geq 2$ and $a_0 = 4, a_1 = 16/3$. [5+5]

- b) Write the general form of a particular solution a_n^p to the following recurrence relations:

- i) $a_n - 7a_{n-1} + 12a_{n-2} = n$
ii) $a_n - 7a_{n-1} + 12a_{n-2} = 2^n$ [5+5]

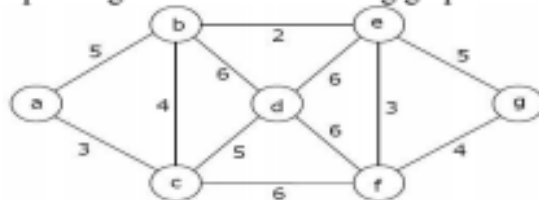
- 10.a) Demonstrate with an example breadth-first search algorithm.

- b) Are the graphs shown below isomorphic? Justify your answer. [5+5]



OR

- 11.a) Obtain the minimal spanning tree for the following graph.



- b) Draw a full regular tree of degree 2 and height 3. [5+5]