



ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT EXAMINATIONS, JUNE - 2009
MATHEMATICS
SEMESTER - 4

Time : 3 Hours]

[Full Marks : 70

GROUP - A

(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any ten of the following : $10 \times 1 = 10$

i) The generating function for the numeric function

$\left(1, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, -\frac{1}{6}, \dots \right)$ is

- a) $\log(1+x)$ b) $\frac{1}{x} \log(1+x)$
c) e^x d) $\frac{1}{x} \log(1-x).$

ii) If a network contains 6 vertices, then the number of cuts in the network is

- a) 14 b) 15
c) 16 d) 32.

iii) The hamming distance between 0011011 and 0111001 is

- a) 2 b) 3
c) 4 d) 0.

iv) The minimum number of edges in a connected graph having 21 vertices is

- a) 18 b) 20
c) 10 d) 11.

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v) The minimum number of pendant vertices in a tree with five vertices is

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4.

vi) If S and T are two subgroups of a group G , then which of the following is a subgroup ?

- a) $S \cup T$
- b) $S \cap T$
- c) $S - T$
- d) $G - S$.

vii) If R is a ring without zero divisors, then $x \cdot y = 0$ implies

- a) $x = 0$ or $y = 0$
- b) $x = 0$ and $y = 0$
- c) $x = 0, y \neq 0$
- d) $x \neq 0, y = 0$.

viii) The solution of recurrence relation

$$a_{n+1} - 2a_n = 5,$$

$n \geq 0, a_0 = 1$ is

- a) $6 \cdot 2^n - 5$
- b) $5 - 6 \cdot 2^n$
- c) $2^{n+1} - 1$
- d) none of these.

ix) Which of the following sets is closed under multiplication ?

- a) $\{ 1, -1, 0, 2 \}$
- b) $\{ 1, i \}$
- c) $\{ 1, \omega, \omega^2 \}$
- d) $\{ \omega, 1 \}$.

x) In a Boolean Algebra $x + (y \cdot z')$ =

- a) $x + z$
- b) xy
- c) $x + y$
- d) $x + y + z$.



x) The generating function corresponding to the sequence 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, ... is

a) $\frac{1}{1+x} - x^2$

b) $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$

c) $\frac{1}{1+x} + x^2$

d) $\frac{1}{1-x^2} - x^2.$

xii) The maximum degree of any vertex in a simple graph with 10 vertices is

a) 5

b) 9

c) 10

d) 20.

xiii) Let S be a finite set of n distinct elements. Then the number of bijective mapping from S to S is

a) n^2

b) $n!$

c) $\frac{n!}{2}$

d) $2^n.$

GROUP - B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any three of the following questions.

$3 \times 5 = 15$

2. Show that the group $(Z_6, +)$ is cyclic. Find all the generators of the group

$$(Z_6 = \{[0], [1], [2], [3], [4], [5]\}).$$

3. If G is a finite group and H is a subgroup of G , then prove that $O(H)$ is a divisor of $O(G)$.

4. Prove that the set of all even integers form a commutative ring.

5. Show that all roots of the equation $x^4 = 1$ form an Abelian group under multiplication.

6. Using generating functions solve the recurrence relation with initial conditions :

$$a_n = 2a_{n-1} \text{ for } n \geq 1, \quad a_0 = 3.$$

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**GROUP - C****(Long Answer Type Questions)**

Answer any three of the following questions.

3 × 15 = 45

7. a) Let $G = \{(a, b) : a \neq 0, b \in R\}$ and * be a binary composition defined on G by $(a, b) * (c, d) = (ac, bc + d)$.
- b) Let G be a group, if $a, b \in G$ such that $a^4 = e$, then identity element of G and $ab = ba^2$. Prove that $a = e$.
- c) Show that the set of matrices $\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a subring of the ring of matrices.

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8. a) Using generating function solve the recurrence relation

$$a_n - 7a_{n-1} + 10a_{n-2} = 0$$

for $n > 1$ and $a_0 = 3, a_1 = 3$.

- b) Solve the recurrence relation $a_n = 8a_{n-1} + 10^{n-1}$ for $n \geq 1$ and $a_0 = 1$.

8 + 7

9. a) Convert $(x+y)(y+z)(x'+z)(x'+y')$ into conjunctive normal form
 $x, y, z \in$ Boolean Algebra B.

- b) Construct the truth table of the Boolean function

$$f(x, y, z) = (yz + xz')(xy' + z)'$$

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10. a) If A, B and C are three sets, prove analytically that

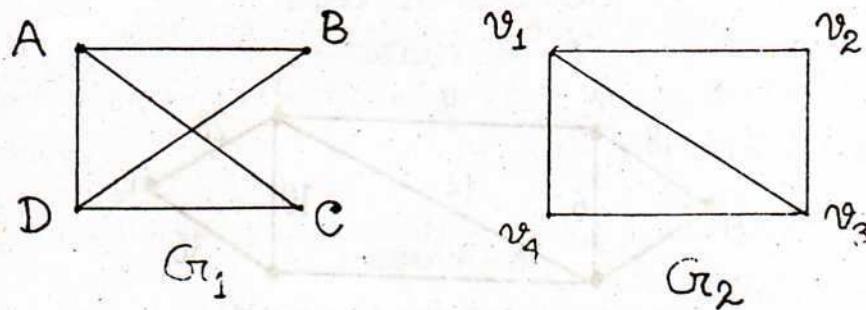
$$A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C).$$

- b) Show that the intersection of two equivalence relations is also an equivalence relation.
- c) Prove that the order of each subgroup of a finite group is a divisor of the order of the group.

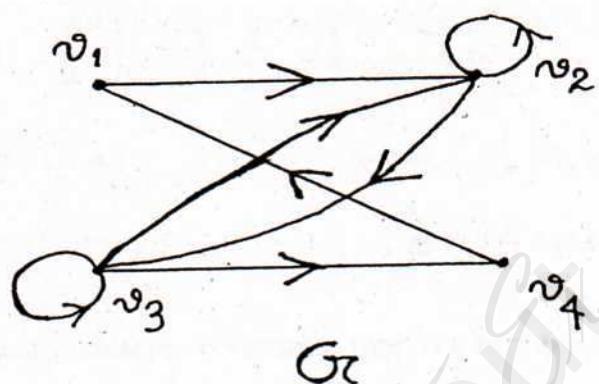
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11. a) Examine whether the following two graphs are isomorphic :

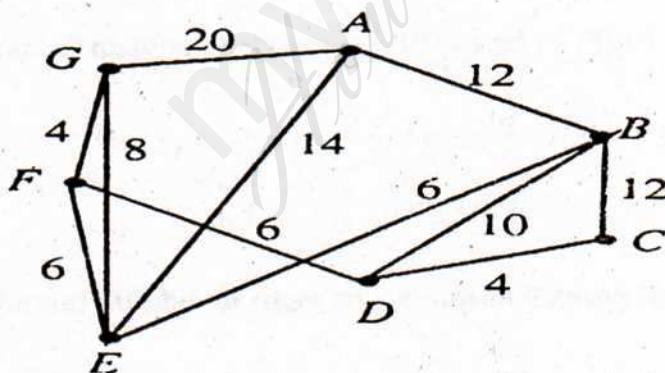


b) Find the adjacency matrix of the following digraph G :



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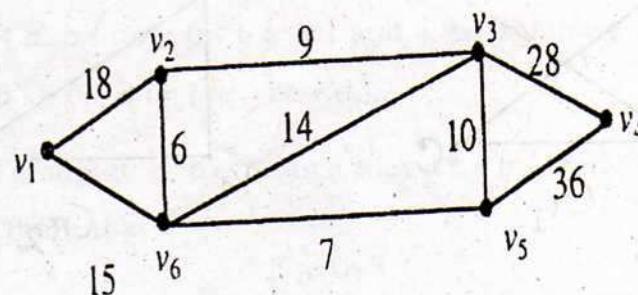
12. a) Find by Prim's algorithm a minimal spanning tree from the following graph :



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- b) Applying Dijkstra's Algorithm find the shortest path from the vertex v_1 to v_4 in the following simple graph :



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