| D | 7 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 9 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|   |   |   |   |   |   |

(Pages: 3)

| Name |  |
|------|--|
|------|--|

Reg. No.....

# FIRST SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

(CUCBCSS-UG)

**BCA** 

## BCA 1C 02—DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

(Common for 2014 and 2017 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

### Section A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Define Antisymmetric relation.
- 2. Construct the truth table for the proposition  $\sim (\sim p \land q)$ .
- 3. Define greatest lower bound of a poset.
- 4. Let  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{N}/3 \le x < 7\}, B = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\}$  find  $A \triangle B$ .
- 5. Define a finite graph.
- 6. What is a subgraph.
- 7. Define a complete graph.
- 8. State maximum flow minimum cut theorem.
- 9. Define centre of a tree.
- 10. Define digraph.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ marks})$ 

## Section B

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. In a Boolean Algebra (B, +, ., ') each  $a \in B(a')' = a$ .
- 12. Translate into logical expression "A necessary condition for x to be prime is that either x is odd or x = 2".

Turn over

- 13. If  $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$  B =  $\{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\}$  find A B, B A and A  $\triangle$  B.
- 14. Define a tree and draw all trees with 4 vertices.
- 15. Explain logical equivalent and logical consequences of a proposition.
- 16. Show that  $\overline{A \cap B} = \overline{A \cup B}$ .
- 17. Define chromatic graph. Give an examples.
- 18. Draw a disconnected graph with 8 vertices and 2 components.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ marks})$ 

#### Section C

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. Distinguish between symmetric and transitive relation with suitable examples.
- 20. Describe Hasse diagram with examples.
- 21. Show that  $\neg (p \land q)$  and  $\neg p \lor \neg q$  are logically equivalent.
- 22. Which elements of the poset ({2, 4, 5, 10, 12, 20, 25}, 1) are maximal and which are minimal?
- 23. Prove that the number of vertices of odd degree in a graph is always even.
- 24. Prove that any connected graph with n vertices and n-1 edges is a tree.
- 25. Show that in any tree there are atleast 2 pendant vertices.
- 26. Any simple graph can be embedded in a plane such that every edge is drawn as a straight line segment, verify?
- 27. Prove that the edge connectivity of a graph G can not exceed the degree of the vertex with the smallest degree in G.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ marks})$ 

#### Section D

Answer any three questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 28. (a) Define power set of a set and Cartesian product with suitable examples. Also find P(A), P(B),  $A \times B$  and  $B \times A$  if  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $B = \{4, 5, 6, 7\}$ .
  - (b) Show that  $\neg (p \lor (\neg p \land q))$  and  $(\neg p \land \neg q)$  are logically equivalent.

- 29. (a) Draw Hasse diagram representing the partial ordering  $\{(a, b)/a \text{ divides } b\}$  on  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12\}$ .
  - (b) Show the Boolean Expressions  $(x_1,x_2) \cdot x_3$  and  $x_1 \cdot (x_2,x_3)$  are equal.
- 30. Define planar graph and prove that a graph has a dual iff it is planar.
- 31. (a) Prove that every tree has either one or two centre.
  - (b) Prove that every circuit has an even number of edges in common with any cut-set
- 32. (a) A connected graph is Euler graph iff it can be decomposed into circuits.
  - (b) The max vertex connectivity of a graph G with n vertices and edges  $(e \ge n-1)$  is the integral part of the number  $\frac{2e}{n}$ .

 $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$