

FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2013

(CUCSS)

Computer Science

CSC 1C 01—DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

(2010 Admissions)

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Time : Three Hours

I. Answer *all* questions.

1 $(A \cup \bar{B}) =$

2 State Pigeon-hole principle.

3 Let $U = \{a, b, c, e, f, g\}$, $A = \{c, e\}$ $B = \{a, f, g\}$. Find the bit string corresponding to $A \cup B$.

4 Give examples of symmetric and asymmetric relation.

5 Find the inverse of $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ $f(x) = 2x^3 - 1$.

6 What is (i) linear homogenous relation, (ii) Characteristic equation ?

7 Define **semigroup** and give an example.

8 * is an operation on a two element set given by :

x	y
x	y
y	x
y	y

Show that * is associative. What is identity element ?

9 Let $A = \{2, 4, 8, 16, 32\}$ $R = \{(a, b) / a | b\}$. Draw the Hasse diagram.

10 Define Modus **ponens** and Modus **Tollens**.

11 Let $S = \{a, b, c\}$ and A be the power set of S. Draw Hasse diagram of A with partial order \subset .

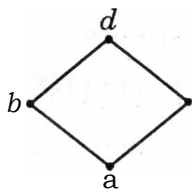
a Describe the set of strings denoted by the regular expression $(0V1)^* 01$.

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II. Answer any six questions.

13 Prove that $(X - Y) - Z = (X - (Y - Z)) - Y$.

14 Determine whether the poset  is Boolean algebra.

15 Find the explicit form of the recurrence relation $g_n = 4g_{n-1} - 2g_{n-2}$ given $g_1 = 2, g_2 = 5$.

16 Classify types of recurrence relations with examples.

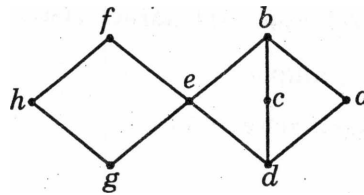
17 Prove that $x * y = e^{x+Y}$ is not a semi group.

18 State the theorem on number of errors detected by an encoding fraction. Define $e : B^3 \rightarrow B^r$.

Verify if it is a group code.

19 Define Lattice. Give examples of Hasse diagrams that is (a) lattice (b) not a lattice.

20 Is the Hasse diagram given, a Boolean algebra? Why?



21 Consider the Boolean polynomial $P(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 \wedge x_2) \vee (x_1 \vee x_2 \wedge x_3)$. Find the truth table.

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III. Answer any three questions.

22 State extended Pigeon-hole principle. Hence prove the following :

(a) At least 8 bicycles will be of same colour if 7 colours used to paint 50 bicycles.

(b) At least 90 ways to choose six numbers from 1 to 15 so that all choices have same sum.

23 (a) Prove by induction $2 + 4 + 6 + \dots + 2n = n(n + 1)$.

(b) Find the explicit formula for the sequence 0, 3, 8, 15, 24, 35, ... Identify the type of recurrence.

24 Let $S = \{x / x \text{ is an integer}\}$. Define relation $a * b$ if a/b . Derive all properties of $*$.

- 25 (a) $S = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 18\}$. Define $*$ so that $a * b = \text{LCM}(a, b)$. Characterize the set S as **semigroup** or **monoid** or **group**.

(b) Consider the finite state machine with transition table given below :

	0	1
S_0	S_0	S_1
S_1	S_1	S_2
S_2	S_2	S_3
S_3	S_3	S_0

S_0 be the start state. Find the state with the string 00101.

- 26 Let d be (6, 2) decoding function. Determine $d(y)$ for the following y : (a) $y = 111011$;
 (b) $y = 010100$.

27 Discuss using examples the following :—

Distributive, complemented, dual lattices.

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