

# END TERM EXAMINATION

Paper code: MCA105

Subject: Discrete mathematics

Note: Attempt any five questions including Q no. 1 which is compulsory. Select one question each from a unit.

Q1 (a) Show that  $A \cap B = A \cup B$ . where A and B are sets.

(b) Define binary relations. How many binary relations are there on a set A with n elements.

(c) find the minimum number of students in a class so that three of them are born the same day.

(d) how many ways can a group of 6 people be seated around a table?

(e) Let  $D_{105}$  be the set of all divisors of 105. Draw a hasse diagram of lattice  $D_{105}$ .

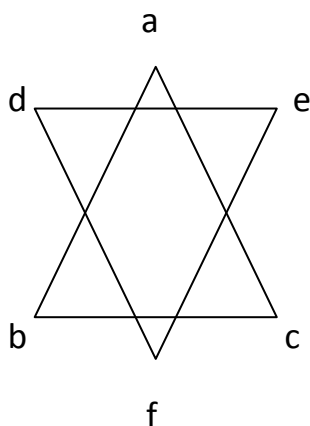
(f) Show that  $D_{20}$  is not a finite Boolean algebra with the partial order of divisibility.

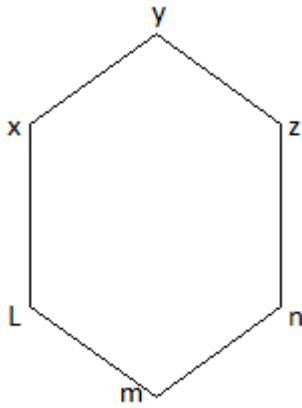
(g) What are applications of number theory in computer science?

(h) Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be a group. Prove that  $(xy)^{-1} = y^{-1}x^{-1}$ .

(i) Giving graphical representation discuss seven bridges problem. Was it possible for a citizen to make a tour of the city and across each bridge exactly twice? Give reasons.

(j) Are the following graphs isomorphism? Give reasons.





**(2\*10=20)**

## UNIT-1

Q2 (a) Let  $R$  be a relation on the set of real numbers such that  $aRb$  iff  $a-b$  is an integer. Show that  $R$  is an equivalence relation.

(b) what do you mean by indirect proof? Using indirect proof prove that “if  $3n+2$  is odd, then  $n$  is odd”.

(c) show by mathematical induction  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N} \left[ \sum_{i=0}^n i = n(n+1)/2 \right]$

**{3+3+4}**

Q3 (a) Without using truth table, prove the following

$$(\neg p \vee p) \wedge (p \wedge (p \wedge q)) \equiv (p \wedge q)$$

(b) Let  $\Sigma_3$  be the set of all strings of length 3 made up of 0's and 1's i.e.

$$\Sigma_3 = \{000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 101, 110, 111\}. h: P(\{a, b, c\}) \rightarrow \Sigma_3, h(X) = s_1 s_2 s_3$$

With  $s_1 = 1$  if  $a \in X$  and 0 otherwise  $s_2 = 1$  if  $b \in X$  and 0 otherwise,  $s_3 = 1$  if  $c \in X$  and 0 otherwise. Show that  $h$  is a bijection.

**(5+5)**

## UNIT-2

Q4 (a) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a bounded distributive lattice with 1 and 0 as unit and zero elements of  $L$  respectively. (i) Prove the Demorgan's Law. (ii) Show that if the complement of an element in  $L$  exists then it is unique.

(b) Minimize the Boolean expression  $F=A'C+AB'C+A'B+BC$ . **(5+5)**

Q5 (a) If lattices  $(L_1, \leq)$  and  $(L_2, \leq)$  are lattices, show that  $(L_1 \times L_2, \leq)$  is also a lattice.

(b) Minimize the Boolean expression  $f(x,y,z,w)=\sum (0,3,4,5,7)$  and  $d(x,y,z,w)=\sum (8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15)$  **(5+5)**

## UNIT-3

Q6 (a) State and prove Euclid's division algorithm.

(b) Explain Euclidean algorithm to find the gcd of two nos. by taking example.

(c) State and prove Fermat's Little theorem. **(3+4+3)**

Q7 (a) Show that in a subset  $H$  of a group  $(G, *)$  if  $a*b^{-1}$  is in  $H$  for all  $a, b$  in  $H$ , then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

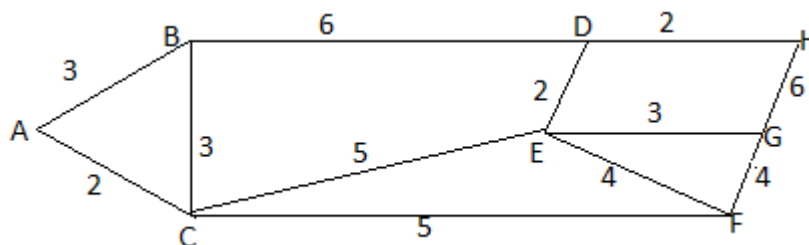
(b) Let  $(G, .)$  be a group. Let  $(H, .)$  be a subgroup of  $(G, .)$ . Show that  $G=H \cup Ha \cup Hb \dots \dots \dots$

where  $a, b \in G$ .

**(5+5)**

## UNIT-4

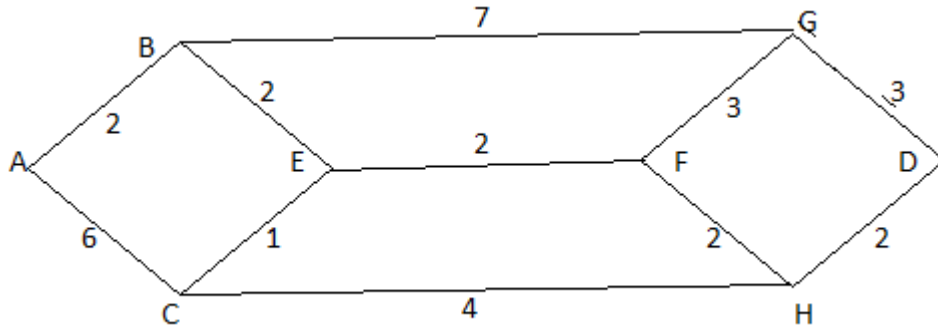
Q8 (a) Using Prim's algorithm, find minimal spanning tree from the following graph.



(b) Let  $G=(V,E)$  be an undirected graph with edges with then show that  $2e= \sum_{v \in V} \deg(v)$ .

Symbols have own meaning. What conclusions can you draw from this result? **(7+3)**

Q9 (a) Write steps for finding the shortest path between two vertices of a graph using Dijkstra's method. Hence find the shortest path between node A and D.



(b) Show that a graph is two colorable if and only if it is a bipartite graph. **(7+3)**