

NP-3602
B.Sc. (Computer Science)
Examination, Dec. - 2020

DISCRETE STRUCTURES

(BCS-301)

Time : Three Hours / [Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Attempt questions from each Section as per instructions.

Section - A

(Very Short Answer Questions)

Note : Attempt all five questions of this section. Each question carries 3 marks.

Very short answer is required.

3×5=15

1. If $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$, $B = \{2, 3, 5\}$, $C = \{5, 6, 8, 9\}$ and $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11\}$. Find 3
- (i) $(A \cup B \cup C)'$
- (ii) $(B - C)'$

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2. Define Euler graphs with example. 3
3. State the pigeonhole principle. 3
4. Define conjunction statement with example and construct the truth table. 3
5. Define Bounded lattice. 3

Section - B

(Short Answer Questions)

Note : This section contains three questions, attempt any two questions. Each question carries $7\frac{1}{2}$ marks.

$7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$

6. Define logic gates. Explain 'XOR', 'AND', and 'NOT' logic gates with logic diagram and truth table. 7.5
7. Solve the recurrence relation: 7.5
 $a_{(n+1)} - a_n = 3n^2 - n, n \geq 0, a_0 = 3$
8. Using the principle of mathematical induction, prove that: 7.5
 $1.2 + 2.3 + 3.4 + \dots + n(n+1) = \frac{1}{3} n(n+1)(n+2)$ 7.5

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Section - C

(Detailed Answer Questions)

Note : This section contains **five** questions, attempt any **three** questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

$$15 \times 3 = 45$$

9. (a) Define Normal Subgraph. Show that the set of all positive rational numbers forms an abelian group under the composition defined by

$$a * b = \frac{(ab)}{2} \quad 8$$

- (b) The intersection of any two normal subgroups of a group is a normal subgroup. 7

10. (a) Prove that De Morgan's laws hold good for a complemented distributive lattice $\langle L, \wedge, \vee \rangle$, viz $(a \vee b)' = a' \wedge b'$ and $(a \wedge b)' = a' \vee b'$ 7

- (b) In any boolean algebra, show that $(a+b)(b+c)(c+a) = ab+bc+ca$ 8

11. (a) Prove that if a graph (connected or disconnected) has exactly two vertices of odd degree, then there exists a path joining these two vertices. 8

- (b) Prove that every connected graph with n vertices and $n-1$ edges is a tree. 7

12. (a) State the Pigeonhole Principle. If any 51 integers are chosen from the set $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 100\}$ then show that among the chosen integers there exist two integers such that one is multiple of the other. 8

- (b) Prove that a graph is bipartite iff all its circuits are of even length. 7

13. Write short notes on any **three** from the following. 3×5=15

- (a) Logical implicational and logical equivalence.

- (b) Hamiltonian Graph and Chromatic Number.

- (c) Tree and Tree Traversal.

- (d) Group and cyclic group.