

**322412(14)**

**B. E. (Fourth Semester) Examination, 2020**

**(Old Scheme)**

**(CSE, IT Engineering Branch)**

**DISCRETE STRUCTURES**

***Time Allowed : Three hours***

***Maximum Marks : 80***

***Minimum Pass Marks : 28***

***Note : Attempt part (a) from each unit is compulsory and carries 2 marks. Attempt any two parts from (b), (c) and (d) are carries 7 marks each.***

**Unit-I**

1. (a) Define Tautology and Contradiction.

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(b) Define logical equivalence. Show that : 7

$$p \Rightarrow (q \Rightarrow r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \Rightarrow r$$

(c) Find complete disjunctive normal form in three variables, and show that its value is 1. 7

(d) Replace the following switching circuit by a simpler one : 7

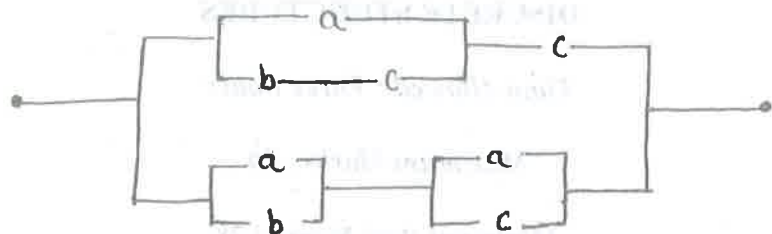


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Unit-II

2. (a) Define Lattice. 2

(b) If  $I$  is the set of integers and the relation  $xRy \Rightarrow x - y$  is an even integer, then prove that  $R$  is an equivalence relation, where  $x, y \in I$ . 7

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(c) Prove that if  $f : A \rightarrow B$  is one-one onto mapping then  $f^{-1} : B \rightarrow A$  will be one-one onto mapping. 7

(d) Explain composition of mappings. If  $f : R \rightarrow R$ ,  $f(x) = \cos x$  and  $g : R \rightarrow R$ ,  $g(x) = x^2$ , then find  $(g \circ f)(x)$  and  $(f \circ g)(x)$ . Is  $f \circ g = g \circ f$ ? 7

Unit-III

3. (a) Define algebraic structure with example. 2

(b) Define Subgroup. Show that the necessary and sufficient conditions for a non empty subset  $H$  of a group  $(G, *)$  to be subgroups is  $a \in H, b \in H \Rightarrow a * b^{-1} \in H$ . 7

(c) State and prove the Lagrange's theorem. 7

(d) Prove that every field is an integral domain. 7

Unit-IV

4. (a) Define cut set. 2

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(b) Find shortest path from  $a$  to  $z$  in the graph shown in fig. where numbers associated with the edges are the weights.

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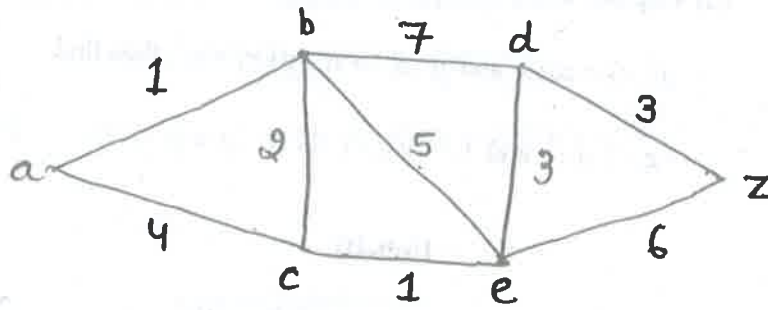


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(c) Find a minimum spanning tree of the following graph shown in fig.

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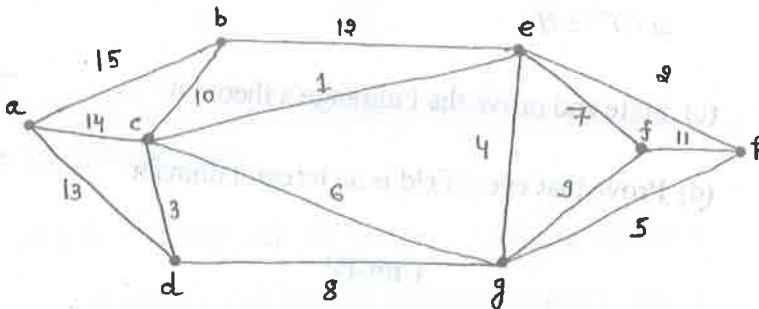


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(d) (i) Write the incidence matrix of the graph.

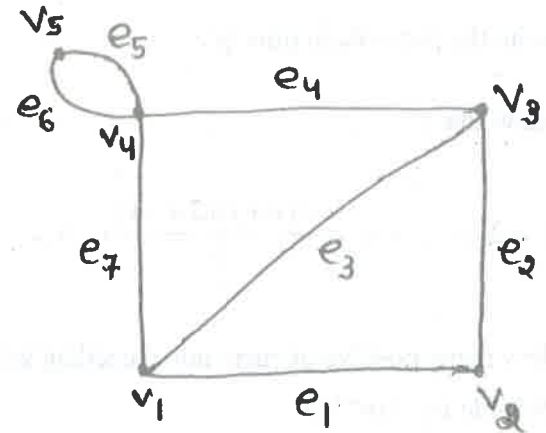


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(ii) Write the adjacency matrix of the graph.

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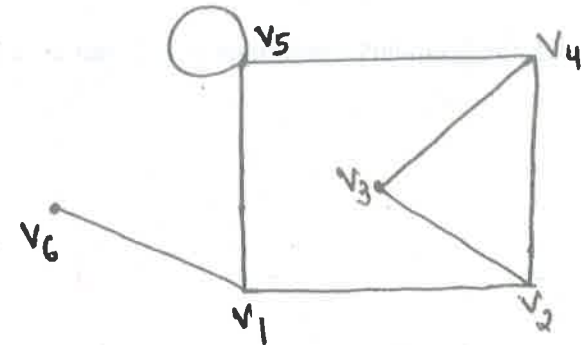


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## Unit-V

5. (a) Write the pigeonhole principle. 2

(b) Show that : 7

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}, \quad n \geq 1$$

(c) How many positive integers not exceeding 500 are divisible by 7 or 11? 7

(d) Solve by the method of generating functions the recurrence relation.

$$a_r - 5a_{r-1} + 6a_{r-2} = 2, \quad r \geq 2$$

with the boundary conditions  $a_0 = 1$  and  $a_1 = 2$ . 7