

## SECOND SEMESTER UG DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

(FYUGP)

## CC24UMAT2MN104 - GRAPH THEORY AND AUTOMATA

(Mathematics - Minor Course)

(2024 Admission - Regular)

Time: 2.0 Hours

Maximum: 70 Marks

Credit: 4

**Part A** (Short answer questions)Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 3 marks.

1. Given a subgraph  $G = (V, E)$ , explain what is meant by a subgraph of  $G$ . Provide an example using a graph with 4 vertices. [Level:2] [CO1]
2. Define a Graph. Draw a graph with 5 vertices and 7 edges. [Level:1] [CO1]
3. Define a cycle. What is the length of a cycle in a graph? If a cycle has 6 vertices, what is its length? [Level:2] [CO1]
4. State Dirac's theorem. [Level:1] [CO2]
5. Show that there is a path between any two distinct vertices in a connected graph. [Level:1] [CO2]
6. Find the chromatic number of a complete bipartite graph  $K_{m,n}$ . Justify your answer. [Level:2] [CO4]
7. Verify Euler's formula of planar graphs with an example. [Level:2] [CO4]
8. Consider the grammar  $G = (N, T, P, \sigma)$ , where  $N = \{\sigma\}$ ,  $T = \{a, b\}$ , and  $P = \{\sigma \rightarrow a\sigma b, \sigma \rightarrow ab\}$ . Determine if the words  $abba$  and  $abab$  belongs to  $L(G)$ . [Level:2] [CO5]
9. Define grammar. [Level:1] [CO5]
10. Define equality of two words. [Level:2] [CO5]

**(Ceiling: 24 Marks)****Part B** (Paragraph questions/Problem)Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 6 marks.

11. (a) Define a bipartite graph. Provide an example of a bipartite graph with 7 vertices. [Level:2] [CO1]  
(b) Find the number of vertices and edges in a complete bipartite graph  $K_{m,n}$ .
12. (a) Explain isomorphic graphs with an example. [Level:2] [CO1]  
(b) Prove or disprove: "If two graphs have the same number of vertices and edges, they are necessarily isomorphic." Justify your answer with an example.

13. Draw the graph  $G$  represented by the given adjacency matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . [Level:2] [CO1]
14. Write an algorithm for finding an Eulerian circuit in an Eulerian graph. [Level:2] [CO3]
15. Let  $P_n$  denote the path  $v_0 - v_1 - v_2 - \dots - v_n$  of length  $n$  connecting the vertices  $v_0, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  in a simple graph, where  $n \geq 0$ . Find the independent subsets of vertices in the path when  $n = 0, 1, 2$ . [Level:2] [CO2]
16. Prove that  $K_{3,3}$  is non planar. [Level:2] [CO4]
17. (a) Define a tree, a pendant vertex and draw a tree with 8 vertices among which at least 3 are pendant vertices. [Level:2] [CO4]  
(b) Determine the number of edges in a tree with  $n$  vertices.
18. (a) Define a language [Level:2] [CO5]  
(b)  $L = \{x \in \Sigma^* : x \text{ begins with and ends in } b\}$  is a language  $L$  over  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ . Find five words in this language.

(Ceiling: 36 Marks)

### Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any **one** question. The question carries 10 marks.

19. (a) Explain a spanning tree with an example. How many edges does a spanning tree each of a  $K_n$  and a  $K_{m,n}$  have. [Level:2] [CO4]  
(b) Draw a graph with the following vertices and edges. Vertices:  $A, B, C, D$  and Edges with weights:  $AB - (3), AC - (1), BC - (7), BD - (5), CD - (2)$ . Using Kruskal's algorithm, find the MST and its total weight. List the edges.
20. Draw the transition diagram of the FSA  $M = (S, A, I, f, s_0)$ , where  $S = \{s_0, s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4\}$ ,  $A = \{s_2\}$ ,  $I = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $f$  is defined by the following table [Level:2] [CO5]

$S, I$	$a$	$b$	$c$
$s_0$	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$
$s_1$	$s_4$	$s_2$	$s_3$
$s_2$	$s_1$	$s_4$	$s_3$
$s_3$	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_4$
$s_4$	$s_4$	$s_4$	$s_4$

(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)

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