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**FIRST SEMESTER B.C.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022**

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

**CC19U BCA1 C02 - DISCRETE MATHEMATICS**

(Computer Application - Complementary Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.00 Hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

Credit : 3

**Part A** (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Define conjunction.
2. What you mean by a proper subset of a set ?
3. Draw the logic gate circuit for the Boolean expression  $(A + B). (A + C)$ .
4. What is undirected graph and give an example.
5. Define union of two graphs.
6. Draw a 3–regular graph and 4–regular graph.
7. Prove or disprove: The chromatic number of a wheel graph with 5 vertices is 3.
8. Define pendant vertex in a tree and draw a tree with three pendant vertices.
9. Define binary tree and path length of a tree.
10. Define rank and nullity of a graph.
11. Define nonplanar graph and give an example.
12. Define subgraph generated by a vertex set.

**(Ceiling: 20 Marks)**

**Part B** (Short essay questions - Paragraph)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Determine whether.
  - a)  $[(p \vee q) \wedge (\sim q)] \rightarrow p$  is a tautology.
  - b)  $p \leftrightarrow \sim p$  is a contradiction.
14. Check whether the relation  $R$  on the set  $\mathbb{Z}$  of integers, given by  $R = \{ \langle x, y \rangle : y \text{ is divisible by } x \}$  is an equivalence relation on  $\mathbb{Z}$ .
15. Using truth tables, prove the De-Morgans laws in a boolean algebra.
16. Explain path, simple path and elementary path with suitable examples.

17. Frame a Travelling-Salesman problem and solve it.
18. Explain the following:
- Cut-set.
  - Cut-vertex.
  - Edge connectivity
  - Vertex connectivity.
  - Separable graph.

19. Explain the following:
- Adjacency matrix of a graph.
  - Boolean matrix.
  - Strongly connected graph.
  - Path matrix of a graph.

**(Ceiling: 30 Marks)**

**Part C (Essay questions)**

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

20. a) Verify that  $p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q$ .
- b) Verify that  $\sim (p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge \sim q$ .
- c) Verify that  $\sim (\sim p \vee q) \equiv p \wedge \sim q$
- d) Show that  $p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim q \rightarrow \sim p$
21. (i) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $\mathcal{X}$  denotes the power set of  $A$ . Then draw the Hasse diagram for the inclusion relation on  $\mathcal{X}$  defined by  $\subseteq = \{ \langle A', A'' \rangle : A' \subseteq A'', A' \in \mathcal{X}, A'' \in \mathcal{X} \}$ .
- (ii) Find the least member and greatest member, if any, in this poset.
- (iii) Find the minimal members and maximal members, if any, in this poset.

**(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)**

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