



Answer any FIVE Questions

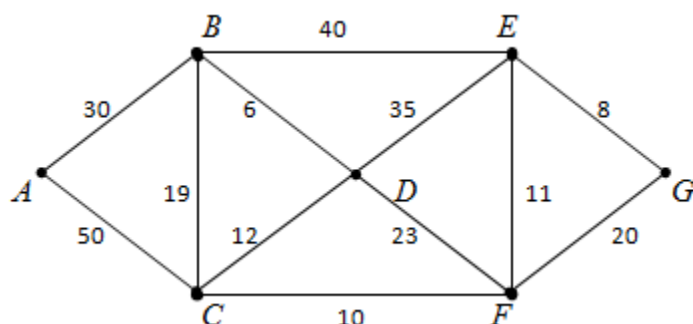
(5 X 20 = 100 Marks)

1. a) If A works hard, then either B or C will enjoy themselves. [10]
 If B enjoys himself, then A will not work hard.
 If D enjoys himself, then C will not.
 Therefore, if A works hard, then D will not enjoy himself.
 Show that the above statements constitute a valid argument by using the Rule CP.
- b) Obtain the PCNF of the statement $S : (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge R)$. Using this obtain the PCNF of $\neg S$ and hence the PDNF of S . Also determine the unique representation of the PCNF and PDNF. [10]
2. a) (i) Prove that the set of idempotent elements of a commutative monoid $\langle M, * \rangle$ forms a submonoid. [10]
 (ii) Show that the set Q^+ of all positive rational numbers forms an abelian group under the operation $*$ defined by $a * b = \frac{1}{2}(a \cdot b); \forall a, b \in Q^+$.
- b) Find the code generated by the given parity matrix 'H' when the encoding function is $e : B^3 \rightarrow B^6$ [10]

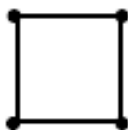
$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
3. a) Let $(L, \leq)$ be a lattice in which $*$, $\oplus$ denote the operations of meet and join respectively. For any $a, b \in L$, prove that $a \leq b \Leftrightarrow a * b = a \Leftrightarrow a \oplus b = b$. [10]
- b) Show that every chain is a distributive lattice. Also discuss about the converse of this statement with justification. [10]
4. a) State and prove the necessary and sufficient conditions for a connected graph to be an Euler graph. [8]
- b) Obtain a graph G for the following adjacency matrix. [6]

$$A(G) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$
 - Also find (I) the number of vertices in G .
 - (II) the number of edges in G .
 - (III) the degree of each vertex of G .
 - (IV) the number of loops in G and
 - (V) the number of components in G .
- c) Let $\omega(G)$ be the number of components of G , then prove that the number of edges of a simple graph with ω components cannot exceed $\frac{(n - \omega)(n - \omega + 1)}{2}$. [6]

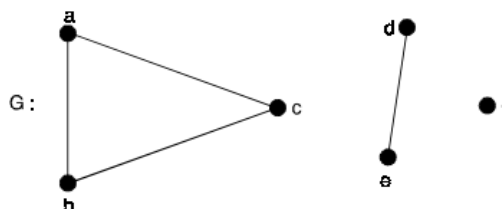
5. a) Use Kruskal's and Prim's algorithm to find a shortest path between vertices A to G in the following weighted network. [10]



- b) Prove that every tree is either unicentral or bicentral but not both. [10]
6. a) Find the chromatic polynomial and chromatic number for the following graph G . [10]
- (i)



(ii)



- b) Prove that a simple graph G on n vertices is a tree if and only if $P_n(\lambda) = \lambda(\lambda - 1)^{(n-1)}$ [10]
7. a) (i) Use Karnaugh map to simplify the following Boolean expression [10]
- $$wx\bar{y}\bar{z} + w\bar{x}yz + w\bar{x}y\bar{z} + w\bar{x}\bar{y}z + \bar{w}x\bar{y}\bar{z} + \bar{w}\bar{x}yz + \bar{w}\bar{x}\bar{y}\bar{z}$$
- (ii) Show that in a Boolean algebra $(a \oplus b') * (b \oplus c') * (c \oplus a') = (a' \oplus b) * (b' \oplus c) * (c' \oplus a)$.
- b) Show that $(\forall x)(P(x) \vee Q(x)) \Rightarrow ((\forall x)P(x)) \vee ((\exists x)Q(x))$ by using the indirect method of proof. [10]

