



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. Honours 2nd Semester Examination, 2021

CMSACOR04T-COMPUTER SCIENCE (CC4)

DISCRETE STRUCTURES

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

1. Answer any **five** questions from the following: 2×5 = 10
- (a) Define power set of a set.
 - (b) State DeMorgan's laws in Boolean algebra.
 - (c) What is a Hamiltonian Circuit?
 - (d) What do you mean by a reflexive relation? Give example.
 - (e) Show that a complete graph with n vertices has $n(n-1)/2$ edges.
 - (f) Find the number of distinct permutations that can be formed from all the letters of word "PROGRAMMING".
 - (g) What is chromatic number of a graph?

Answer any five questions from the following

2. (a) Define Edge-connectivity and vertex-connectivity of a graph. Give examples. 4+4
(b) Prove that a connected graph with n vertices and $(n-1)$ edges is a tree.
3. (a) Prove that if n is an odd number ≤ 3 , then in a complete graph with n vertices there are $(n-1)/2$ edge-disjoint Hamiltonian circuits. 6+2
(b) What is space complexity?
4. (a) Solve by the characteristic roots Method: 5+3
$$a_r - 6a_{r-1} + 8a_{r-2} = 0, \text{ given } a_0 = 4, a_1 = 10$$

(b) If three dice are rolled, find the probability that exactly one face shows a number less than or equal to 4.

5. (a) Define planar graph. Prove that the complete graph of five vertices is non-planar. 2+3+3
 (b) Prove that every tree with two or more vertices is 2-chromatic.
6. (a) Let A and B be two finite sets, then prove that $n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$. 4+4
 (b) Let S be any set of 11 numbers from $(1, 2, \dots, 20)$. Use pigeon hole principle to show that there are two numbers in S whose sum is equal to 21.
7. (a) By method of induction, prove that $5^n - 4n - 1$ is divisible by 16 for all $n \geq 1$. 5+3
 (b) Find the number of unordered selections of 5 cards from a standard deck of 52 cards such that they contain all the four different suits.
8. (a) Establish the equivalence: $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow q) = (p \vee r) \rightarrow q$ 2+3+3
 (b) State and prove the Generalized problem of Pigeon-hole principle.
 (c) There are 100 people in a certain room. In this group, 60 are men, 30 are young and 10 are young men. How many are old woman?
9. Write short notes on any *two* of the following: 4×2 = 8
 (a) Travelling Salesman Problem
 (b) Cut set and Cut vertex
 (c) Depth First Search.

N.B. : Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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