



Second Semester B.Voc. Degree Examination, May/June 2018
(CBCS) (F+R) (2016-17 and Onwards)
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
201 : Discrete Mathematical Structures

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : Answer all Sections.

SECTION – A

(10×2=20)

Answer any ten of the following :

1. Write the power set of $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$.
2. If $A = \{2, 3, 4, 8\}$, $B = \{1, 3, 4\}$ and $U = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$ verify $A - B = A \cap \bar{B}$.
3. Define Tautology.
4. Construct the truth table for $\sim (p \rightarrow q)$.
5. Define homomorphism.
6. Write the following sets in tabular form :
 - i) $A = \{X : X \text{ is a divisor of } 24\}$
 - ii) $B = \{X : X \text{ is a multiple of } 3 \text{ or } 5\}$.
7. What is logical equivalence ?
8. Let $f : A \rightarrow B$, $g : B \rightarrow C$ defined by $f(a) = a - 1$, $g(b) = b^2$. Find $f \circ g$ (2).
9. Give an example of a relation which is reflexive, symmetric but not transitive.
10. On the set of integers Z , $a * b = ab + 1$, $\forall a, b \in Z$. Verify whether $*$ is associative or not.

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11. If $G = \{3, 4\}$ $H = \{2, 5, 6\}$. Find $G \times H$ and $H \times G$.
12. Define a group.

SECTION - B

Answer any five questions :

(5×10=50)

13. a) If $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $B = \{c, d\}$ and $C = \{d, e\}$ find $A - B$, $(A - B) \cap (B - C)$, $B \times C$. 5
- b) Prove that $(p \wedge q) \wedge \sim (p \vee q)$ is a contradiction. 5
14. a) If $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by $f(x) = 2x + 5$, prove that f is one-one and onto. 5
- b) Prove by induction that $1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$,
 $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$. 5
15. a) Verify whether $\sim (p \leftrightarrow q) \equiv \sim [(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)]$. 5
- b) Prove by mathematical induction, $1.2 + 3.4 + 5.6 + \dots + (2n - 1)(2n) = \frac{n(n+1)(4n-1)}{3}$. 5
16. a) Out of numbers 1 to 50, one number is selected at random. What is the probability that it is divisible by 4 or 5? 5
- b) State and prove Pigeon Hole principle. 5
17. a) If $A = \{1, 4\}$, $B = \{2, 3, 6\}$ and $C = \{2, 3, 7\}$. Then verify that $A \times (B - C) = (A \times B) - (A \times C)$. 5
- b) Explain the steps of Hasse diagram. 5
18. a) Prove that $G = \{3^n \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ is an abelian group under multiplication. 5
- b) Verify whether the relation R in real numbers \mathbb{R} , defined by $R = \{(a, b) : a \leq b\}$ is an equivalence relation. 5



19. a) Write the converse, inverse and contrapositive of “If n is an integer then it is rational number”. 5
- b) There are 300 persons with skin disorder. 180 had been exposed to the chemical A, 75 to chemical B and 45 to both A and B. Find the number of individuals exposed to
- i) Chemical A but not chemical B 5
 - ii) Chemical B but not chemical A.
20. a) Write the truth table for the compound proposition $p \vee (q \wedge r) \leftrightarrow [(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)]$. 5
- b) A map $\phi : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ given by $\phi(n) = 2n$, for any integer $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Verify whether
- i) ϕ is an homomorphism. 5
 - ii) ϕ is injective.
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