

Discrete Mathematics -IV
Semester - VI

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 40

Note :- Attempt two questions each from Section A and B carrying 8 marks each, and the entire Section C consisting of 10 short answer type questions carrying 8 marks in all.

Section - A

1. Find the generating function and the sequence for the recurrence relation
 $S_n - 6s_{n-1} + 8s_{n-2} = 0$; for $n \geq 2$ and $s_0 = 10, s_1 = 25$.
2. Find the value of constants a, b and c , if the numeric function of recurrence relation. $as_n + bs_{n-1} + cs_{n-2} = 6 \cdot 3^n + 4^n + 2$
3. If $S = 2^n, T = 3^n$, then find the convolution $S * T$ and verify that $G(S * T, z) = G(S, z) \cdot G(T, z)$
4. (a) Let $(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n, \dots)$ be an arbitrary numeric function and $(1, 1, \dots, 1, \dots)$ be numeric function. Find the generating function if c is the convolution of these two numeric functions.
 (b) Let a and b denote the positive integers. Suppose a function Q is defined as $Q(a, b) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \text{if } a \leq b \\ (a-b, b) & ; \text{if } b \leq a \end{cases}$
 find $Q(2, 3)$ and $Q(14, 3)$

Section - B

5. Let B be a finite Boolean algebra and let A be the set of atoms of B . If $P(A)$ is the Boolean algebra of all subsets of the set A of atoms, then show that the mapping $f: B \rightarrow P(A)$ is an isomorphism.
6. (a) Show that $(\mathbb{N}, \text{gcd}, \text{lcm})$ is a distributive lattice where \mathbb{N} is a set of natural numbers.
 (b) State and prove De-Morgan's Laws in a Boolean algebra.
7. (a) Define Group. Show that \mathbb{Z} , the set of integers, is a group under binary operation $(*)$ defined as $a * b = a + b - 1$
 (b) Draw the switching circuit for $f = a + a'(a + b) + ab$. Simplify it and draw equivalent circuit.
8. Simplify the following Boolean function and realize the logic diagram of the reduced function with the help of NAND gate only.
 $F(A, B, C, D) = \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D} + \bar{A}\bar{B}C\bar{D} + A\bar{B}\bar{C}\bar{D} + A\bar{B}C\bar{D} + A\bar{B}\bar{C}D + A\bar{B}CD + ABC\bar{D} + ABCD$

Section - C

9. Do as directed :
 (a) Give an example of semi-group which is not a group.

- (b) Define Isomorphic Boolean algebra with a suitable example.
- (c) Show that idempotent laws follow from absorption laws in lattices.
- (d) Write generating function of sequence $2^n [3 + 2(-1)^n]$.
- (e) Determine $C(5, 2)$ by the recursive definition of binomial coefficient.
- (f) Check whether the set $L = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 30\}$ under divisibility relation is a distributive lattice.
- (g) Check whether D_{30} is a Boolean algebra or not.
- (h) Define Boolean function with an example.
- (i) Find the dual of Boolean equation $(a * 1) * (0 + a') = 0$
- (j) Determine all the Boolean sub-algebra of Boolean algebra D_{30} .