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**B.C.A. (SEMESTER –II) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018  
DISCRETE MATHEMATICS**

Duration: 2 Hours

Marks: 50

Instructions: All questions are compulsory.

Answer the following questions. Justify your answer.

Q.1

- 1(a) Let p and q be the propositions given as p: It is below freezing and q: It is snowing. Write the below proposition using p, q and logical connectives.  
It is not below freezing and it is not snowing (1)
- 1(b) State the converse, contrapositive and inverse of the conditional statement given below.  
I come to class whenever there is going to be a quiz (3)
- 1(c) Find the sets A and B if  $A-B = \{1, 5, 7, 8\}$ ,  $B-A = \{2, 10\}$ , and  $A \cap B = \{3, 6, 9\}$  (1)
- 1(d) How many permutations of  $\{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$  end with a? (1)
- 1(e) List the ordered pairs in the relation from  $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  to  $B = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  where  $(a, b)$  is a member of R if and only if  $a+b=4$ . (1)
- 1(f) List the ordered pairs in the equivalence relation produced by the partition  $\{0\}, \{1, 2\},$  and  $\{3, 4, 5\}$  of the set  $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  (1)
- 1(g) Find the sum-of-products and product-of-sums expansions of the boolean function  $F(x, y, z) = x + y + z$  (2)
- Q.2. (i) Show that  $(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$  are not logically equivalent. (5)
- (ii) Determine whether  $(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg p$  is a tautology (3)
- (iii) Identify p and q in each of these sentences (a) It snows whenever the wind blows from north east. (b) The apple trees will bloom if it stays warm for a week. (c) Jan will go swimming unless the water is too cold. (3)
- Q. 3. (i) Let  $f(x) = \lfloor x^2/3 \rfloor$ . Find  $f(S)$  if  $S = \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$  (2)
- (ii) Using mathematical induction, prove that for every positive integer n,  
 $1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + \dots + n(n+1) = n(n+1)(n+2)/3$  (3)
- (iii) Let  $X = \{-1, 0, 1, 2\}$ , and  $Y = \{-4, -2, 0, 2\}$ , define the function  $F: X \rightarrow Y$  as  
 $F(x) = x^2 - x$ ,  
(a) Determine whether F is a function,  
(b) Check whether F is 1-1, onto. Justify your answer. (4)
- (iv) (a) Find the coefficient of  $x^9$  in the expansion of  $(2-x)^{19}$ . (2)
- (b) Find the coefficient of  $x^{101}y^{99}$  in the expansion of  $(2x-3y)^{200}$  (3)

