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**M.C.A. (Second Year) EXAMINATION**

(5 Years Integrated Course))

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**MATHEMATICS—II**

**MCA-205**

**Discrete Mathematical Structures**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

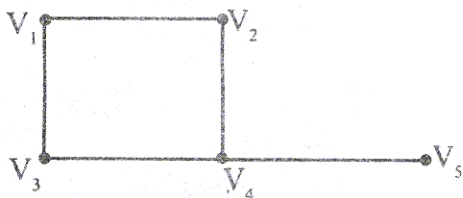
**Note :** Attempt any *Five* questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Give group axioms. Show that the set  $Z$  of all integers  $\dots, -5, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$  is a group with respect to the operation of addition of integers.

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- (b) Define a Subgroup. Let  $H$  be a subgroup of  $G$ , then prove that the right cosets  $Ha$  form a partition of  $G$ .
- (c) Explain the following :
- (i) Normal subgroup
  - (ii) Semi-group and Free semi-group.
2. (a) Define a grammar and language of a grammar. Discuss also various types of grammars.
- (b) Define a finite-state machine. Design a finite-state machine that performs serial addition.
- (c) Describe the following :
- (i) Finite graph
  - (ii) Length of path
  - (iii) Cut points and bridges
  - (iv) Subgraphs.
3. (a) If a simple graph  $G$  with  $n$  vertices has more than  $\frac{1}{2}(n-1)(n-2)$  edges, then prove that  $G$  is connected.

- (b) Use adjacency matrix to represent the graph shown in figure :



4. (a) Draw the graph represented by the incidence matrix :

$$\begin{array}{l}
 a \left[ \begin{array}{cccccc}
 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1
 \end{array} \right]
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- (b) Describe an efficient algorithm for comparing distances in graphs.
- (c) Describe Infix, Prefix and Postfix form of an algebraic expression in trees.
5. (a) Define partially ordered sets. Consider  $P(s)$  as the power set, show that the inclusion relation  $\subseteq$  is a partial ordering on the powerset  $P(s)$ .

(b) Explain bounded lattice and Hasse diagram. Draw the Hasse diagram of  $(P(A), \subseteq)$ , where :

(i)  $A = \{0, 1\}$

(ii)  $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$

6. (a) What do you mean by Boolean Algebra ?  
Prove the following for Boolean Algebra :

(i) The zero and unit elements are unique

(ii) The complement of an element is unique.

(b) Prove that :

(i)  $a + (\bar{a}.b) = a + b$  and

$$a.(\bar{a} + b) = a.b$$

(ii)  $(a + b).(\bar{b} + c) + b.(\bar{a} + \bar{c}) =$

$$a.\bar{b} + a.c + b$$

7. (a) Show that  $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q)$  is a tautology.

(b) With the help of truth tables, prove that :

$$p \vee \sim q = (p \vee q) \wedge \sim (p \wedge q)$$

(c) Write a short note on gate circuits.

8. (a) Explain an integral domain and a finite field.
- (b) Show that the set  $S$  of all matrices of the form  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -b & a \end{pmatrix}$ , where  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  is a field with respect to matrix addition and matrix multiplication.
- (c) Let  $f(t) = t^4 - 3t^3 + 3t^2 + 3t - 20$ . Find all the roots of  $f(t)$  given that  $t = (1 + 2i)$  is a root.