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SIXTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2010

CS 04 604—GRAPH THEORY AND COMBINATORICS

(2004 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer all questions.

- I. (a) Define union and intersection of two graphs with examples.
 - (b) Define Hamiltonian paths and circuits.
 - (c) List the properties of trees.
 - (d) What do you mean by colouring of a graph.
 - (e) A club has five members M₁, M₂, M₃, M₄ and M₅. They are going to form a finance committee but haven't decided how large it should be. They may pick everyone on it, or just M₃ or M₁ and M₂ etc. How many possibilities are there?
 - (f) It is required to seat 5 men and 4 women in a row, so that the women occupy the even places. How many such arrangements are possible?
 - (g) Obtain the particular solution of the recurrence relation $a_r 4a_{r-1} + 4a_{r-2} = 2^r$.
 - (h) Write the generating function of the numeric function:

$$a_r = \begin{cases} 0 & r \text{ is odd} \\ 2^{r+1} & r \text{ is even} \end{cases}.$$

 $(8 \times 5 = 40 \text{ marks})$

II. (a) (i) Briefly explain incidence and adjacency matrices. Draw the graph G corresponding to the adjacency matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(8 marks)

(ii) Prove that a simple graph with 'n' vertices and 'k' components can have at most (n-k)(n-k+1)/2 edges.

(7 marks)

Or

(b) (i) Prove that a connected graph G is an Euler graph if and only if it can be decomposed into circuits.

(8 marks)

(ii) Prove that any two simple connected graphs with 'n' vertices all of degree two, are isomorphic.

(7 marks)

III. (a) (i) Prove that a graph with 'n' vertices, (n-1) edges and no circuits is connected.

(8 marks)

(ii) Define Binary search tree with suitable example.

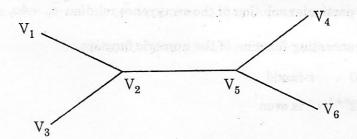
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(b) (i) Prove that in any tree, there are atleast two pendant vertices.

(8 marks)

(ii) Find the radius and diameter of the tree given below:



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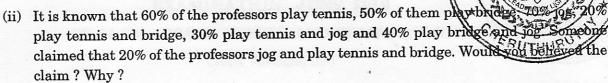
IV. (a) (i) Determine the number of positive integers n where $1 \le n \le 100$ and n is not divisible 2, 3 or 5.

(8 marks)

- (ii) Out of a total of 130 students, 60 are wearing hats to class, 51 are wearing scarves and 30 are wearing both hats and scarves. Of the 54 students who are wearing sweaters, 26 are wearing hats, 21 are wearing scarves and 12 are wearing both hats and scarves. Every one wearing neither a hat nor a scarf is wearing groves.
 - 1 How many students are wearing gloves?
 - 2 How many students not wearing a sweater are wearing hats but not scarves?

(7 marks)

(b) (i) In how many ways can two numbers be selected from integers 1 sum is an even number? An odd number?



(7 marks)

V. (a) (i) Determine the discrete numeric function corresponding to the following generating function

$$A(z) = \frac{7z^2}{(1-2z)(1+3z)}.$$

(8 marks)

(ii) Solve the recurrence relation:

$$\alpha_r - 4\alpha_{r-1} + 4\alpha_{r-2} = (r+1)2^r.$$

(7 marks)

Or

- (b) (i) Solve the recurrence relation $a_r 5a_{r-1} + 6a_{r-2} 2 = 2^r + r, r \ge 2$. Using generating function. (8 marks)
 - (ii) Determine the discrete numeric function corresponding to the following generating function.

$$A(z) = \frac{z^5}{z - 6z + z^2}.$$

(7 marks)

 $[4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks}]$