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**THIRD SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) [09 SCHEME] DEGREE  
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2014**

IT/CS 09 304/PTCS 09 303—DISCRETE COMPUTATIONAL STRUCTURES

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

**Part A**

*Answer all questions.*

1. Explain contrapositive.
2. Explain equivalence relation.
3. Explain inverse functions.
4. Define Hamming code.
5. Solve following recurrence relations. Assume  $n$  is even :

$$T(n) = T(n - 2) + 1, T(0) = 1.$$

(5 × 2 = 10 marks)

**Part B**

*Answer any four questions.  
Each question carries 5 marks.*

6. Prove that  $-(p \wedge q) \Leftrightarrow -p \vee -q$ .
7. Find the number of functions from  $m$ -element set to an  $n$ -element set.
8. Draw the Hasse diagram for the poset  $(A, (\text{subset}))$ , where  $A$  denotes the power set of the set  $(a,b,c)$ .
9. Prove that  $G$  is a abelian group if and only if  $(a.b)^2 = a^2.b^2$  for all  $a,b \in G$ .
10. Show that  $Z_7 = \{(1,2,3,4,5,6), * \text{ mod } 7\}$  is cyclic group.
11. Solve  $f(n) = f(n-1) ; f(0) = 1$ .

(4 × 5 = 20 marks)

**Part C**

*Answer section (a) or section (b) of each question.*

12. (a) Show that any proposition  $e$  can be transformed into CNF.

*Or*

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- (b) Find disjunctive normal form of the following formula :

$$(P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (Q \wedge R).$$

13. (a) (i) Find the number of symmetric relations that can be defined on a set with  $n$  elements  
 (ii) Using adjacency matrix, find the number of different reflexive relation on a set  $A$  with  $n$ -element.

Or

- (b) (i)  $f: X \rightarrow Y$

- (1) How many different functions are possible ?  
 (2) How many different one to one functions are possible ?

- (ii) Define equivalence class. Find all equivalence classes of a congruence relation mod 5 on the sets of integer.

14. (a) Let  $S$  be the set of real numbers except  $-1$ . Define  $*$  on  $S$  by  $a*B = a + b + ab$ . Show that  $(S, *)$  is abelian group.

Or

- (b) Let  $G$  be the set of all  $2*2$  matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ , where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers, such that  $(ad-bc) \neq 0$ . Show that set  $G$  with matrix multiplication binary operation forms the group. Let

$H = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{pmatrix}$ , be the set of  $2*2$  matrix where  $a, b, c, d$  are real numbers such that  $ad \neq 0$ . Prove that  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

15. (a) Using generating function, solve  $f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2)$ ;  $f(0) = 1, f(1) = 1$ .

Or

- (b) Solve  $f(n) - 5f(n-1) - 6f(n-2) = 2^n + n$ .

(4 × 10 = 40 marks)