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**Answer Four Questions only.**

**01.(i) Reduce the following sentences to statement form.**

- (a) Grass will grow only if enough moisture is available.
- (b) A necessary condition for  $x$  to be prime is that  $x$  is odd or  $x=2$ .
- (c) A sufficient condition for  $f$  to be continuous is that  $f$  is differentiable.
- (d) It is raining but the sun is still shining.
- (e) If taxes are increased or government spending decreases, then inflation will not occur this year.

**(ii) Using truth tables prove the following statements.**

- (a)  $(A \cup \sim B) \rightarrow (C \cap A)$
- (b)  $(A \cap \sim B) \leftrightarrow (B \rightarrow A)$

(iii) Find which of the followings are tautologies or contradictions.

(Show all your workings).

(a)  $(A \leftrightarrow (A \cap \sim A)) \leftrightarrow \sim A$

(b)  $((A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow C) \rightarrow ((C \rightarrow A) \rightarrow (B \rightarrow A))$

(c)  $(A \cup B) \cap (A \cup \sim B) \cap (\sim A \cup B) \cap (\sim A \cup \sim B)$

02. (i) Define the following matrices.

(a) A square matrix

(b) A rectangular matrix

(c) A diagonal matrix

(d) An identity matrix

(ii) If 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 Find the values of  $x, y$  and  $z$

(iii) If  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & c & -b \\ -c & 0 & a \\ b & -a & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $D = \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & ab & ac \\ ab & b^2 & bc \\ ac & bc & c^2 \end{bmatrix}$

Find  $CD$ .

(iv) If  $A$  and  $B$  are two matrices and if they commute, then show

That  $(AB)^n = A^n B^n$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (the set of natural numbers).

03. (i) What is meant by a linear recurrence relation?
- (ii) Name the types of linear recurrence relations.
- (iii) Classify the following recurrence relations according to the types that you have given in part(ii)

(a)  $P_n = (1.11)P_{n-1}$

(b)  $a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}^2$

(c)  $H_n = 2H_{n-1} + 1$

- (iv) Find the solution of the recurrence relation given below.

$$a_n = 2a_{n-1} - 2a_{n-2} \text{ with } a_0 = 1, a_1 = 2$$

- (v) Using your answer to part (iv), find the solution of the recurrence relation  $a_n = 2a_{n-1} - a_{n-2} + 2^n$  for  $n \geq 2$  with  $a_0 = 1, a_1 = 2$

- (vi) Using your method to part (iv) find the particular solution of the recurrence relation  $a_n = -a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} + 4a_{n-3}$  with  $a_0 = 8, a_1 = 6$  and  $a_2 = 26$

04. (i) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ,  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $C = \{4, 5\}$ . List the elements of the following sets.

(a)  $(A \cup B)$

(b)  $(A - B)$

(c)  $\bar{A}$

(d)  $(A \Delta C)$

- (ii) A, B, C are subsets of U and U is the universal set. Verify the following statements using Venn diagrams.

(a)  $\overline{A \cup B} = \bar{A} \cap \bar{B}$

(b)  $A - (B \cup C) = (A - \sim B) \cap (A - \sim C)$

(c)  $(A \cup B)^c \cup (A \cap B) = ((A - B) \cup (B - A))^c$

(iii) The relation  $R \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  is determined by  $aRb \leftrightarrow b = a^x$  for some nonzero  $x \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}$ . Prove that  $R$  is an equivalence relation.

05. (a) Given two real numbers  $a$  and  $b$ . Give the names of the intervals and write these in set notation.

- (i)  $[a, b]$
- (ii)  $(a, b)$
- (iii)  $(a, b]$
- (iv)  $[a, \infty)$

(b) (i) What do you mean by a function? what are the main components that you need to define a function?

(ii) Give a real life situation to explain a function.

(iii)  $f(x) = x^2$  and  $g(x) = x + 1$ , find  $f \circ g$  and  $g \circ f$ . Are these two the same? What does this information tell you about composition?

(c) (i) Let a function  $f$  is given by  $f(x) = -x + 2$ . What is the value of  $f(10)$ ?

(ii) If  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 1$ , find a formula for the composition  $f \circ g$ .

(iii) Find the inverse of the composite function that you composed in part (ii).

06. Let  $G$  be a graph with set of four vertices  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$ , whose adjacency matrix  $A$  is given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (i) Without drawing the diagram of  $G$ , determine whether  $G$  is connected.
- (ii) Find the number of paths of length three joining  $v_2$  &  $v_4$  and name all those paths.
- (iii) Write down all the components of  $G$ .
- (iv) Is  $G$  a forest ? Justify your answer.

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