

MCA (Revised)
Term-End Examination

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MCS-033 : ADVANCED DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : Question number 1 is compulsory. Attempt any three questions from the rest.

1. (a) Explain divide and conquer relations with an example. 4
- (b) Find the order and degree of each of the following recurrences : 4
- (i) $a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}$
- (ii) $a_n = a_{n-1} + n$
- (iii) $a_n = n a_{n-1} + (-1)^n$
- (iv) $a_n = a_n a_0 + a_{n-1} + \dots + a_0 a_n (n \geq 2)$
- (c) Explain generating functions with suitable examples. 4

- (d) Define Graph and Subgraph. Give an example of a subgraph H of a graph G with $\delta(G) < \delta(H)$ and $\Delta(H) < \Delta(G)$. 4
- (e) Define Tree and Bipartite graph. Is tree a bipartite graph? Justify your answer. 4
2. (a) What are Hamiltonian graphs? Construct a non-Hamiltonian graph on 5-vertices. 5
- (b) Show that K_5 is not planar. 5
3. (a) What is the chromatic number of the following:
- (i) A tree with at least two vertices 2
- (ii) An even cycle C_{2n} , $n \geq 2$ 2
- (iii) An odd cycle C_{2n+1} , $n \geq 1$ 2
- (b) State and prove Euler's formula. 4
4. (a) Find the sum of the series given as,
- $$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(k+1)^2}{\lfloor k \rfloor} = \frac{1^2}{\lfloor 0 \rfloor} + \frac{2^2}{\lfloor 1 \rfloor} + \dots + \frac{(n+1)^2}{\lfloor n \rfloor} + \dots,$$
- using exponential generating functions. 5
- (b) How many integer solutions are there to $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 + a_5 = 28$, where $a_k > k$ for each k , where $1 \leq k \leq 5$? 5

5. (a) Solve the recurrence $a_n = 4a_{n-2}$, where

(i) $a_0 = 4, a_1 = 6$ 2

(ii) $a_0 = 6, a_2 = 20$ 2

(iii) $a_1 = 6, a_2 = 20$ 2

(b) Using an appropriate substitution, solve the recurrence given by,

$$y_n = \left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right)y_{n-1} + \frac{1}{n}, \quad n \geq 1,$$

where $y_0 = 5$. 4
