

FINALTERM EXAMINATION
Spring 2010
MTH202- Discrete Mathematics (Session - 1)

Time: 90 min
Marks: 60

Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Whether the relation R on the set of all integers is reflexive, symmetric, antisymmetric, or

transitive, where $(x, y) \in R$ if and only if $xy \geq 1$

- ▶ Antisymmetric
- ▶ Transitive
- * ▶ Symmetric
- ▶ Both Symmetric and transitive

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

For a binary relation R defined on a set A , if for all $t \in A, (t, t) \notin R$ then R is

- * ▶ Antisymmetric
- ▶ Symmetric
- ▶ Irreflexive

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

If $(A \cup B) = A$, then $(A \cap B) = B$

- ▶ True
- * ▶ False
- ▶ Cannot be determined

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

$a_0 = 1, a_1 = -2$ and $a_2 = 3$

then $\sum_{j=0}^2 a_j =$

Let

- ▶ -6
- * ▶ 2
- ▶ 8

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The part of definition which can be expressed in terms of smaller versions of itself is called

- ▶ Base
- ▶ Restriction
- * ▶ Recursion
- ▶ Conclusion

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

$$\left\lceil \frac{N}{6} \right\rceil = 9$$

What is the smallest integer N such that

- * ▶ 46
- ▶ 29
- ▶ 49

*▶ $A \Rightarrow (B \vee C) = (A \Rightarrow B) \vee (A \Rightarrow C)$

▶ None of these

Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The indirect proof of a statement $p \Rightarrow q$ involves

- . ▶ Considering $\sim q$ and then try to reach $\sim p$
- . ▶ Considering p and $\sim q$ and try to reach contradiction
- . *▶ Both 2 and 3 above
- . ▶ Considering p and then try to reach q

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The square root of every prime number is irrational

- ▶ True
- *▶ False
- ▶ Depends on the prime number given

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

If a and b are any positive integers with $b \neq 0$ and q and r are non negative integers such that $a = b \cdot q + r$ then

- *▶ $\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, r)$
- ▶ $\gcd(a, r) = \gcd(b, r)$
- ▶ $\gcd(a, q) = \gcd(q, r)$

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The greatest common divisor of 27 and 72 is

- ▶ 27
- ▶ 9
- *▶ 1

► None of these

Question No: 17 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In how many ways can a set of five letters be selected from the English Alphabets?

* ► $C(26,5)$

► $C(5,26)$

► $C(12,3)$

► None of these

Question No: 18 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A vertex of degree greater than 1 in a tree is called a

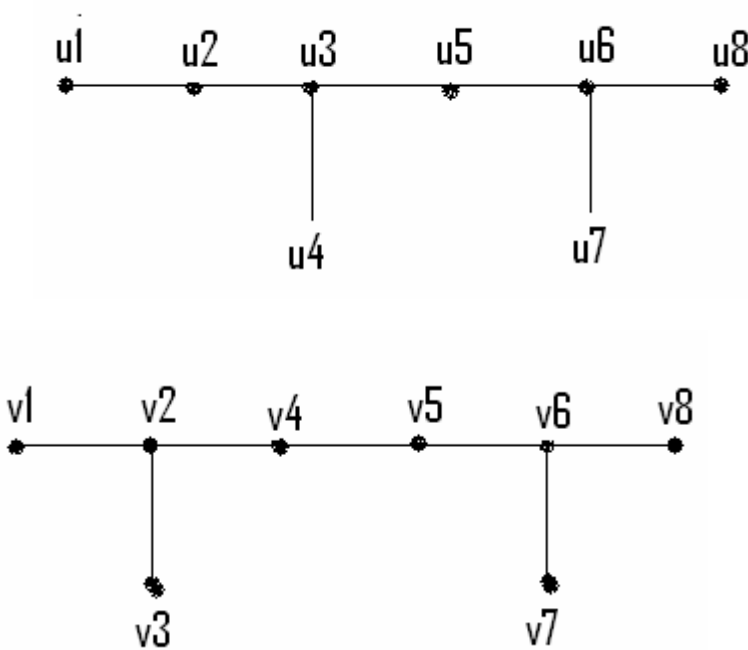
► Branch vertex

* ► Terminal vertex

► Ancestor

Question No: 19 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

For the given pair of graphs whether it is



► Isomorphic

* ► Not isomorphic

Question No: 20 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The value of $(-2)!$ is

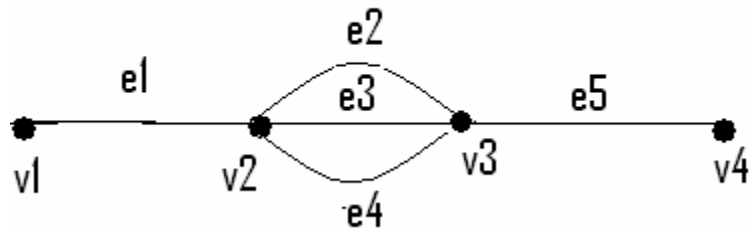
► 0

► 1

* ► Cannot be determined

Question No: 21 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In the following graph



How many simple paths are there from v_1 to v_4

- ▶ 2
- *▶ 3
- ▶ 4

Question No: 22 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

$$\frac{(n+1)!}{(n-1)!}$$

The value of _____ is

- ▶ 0
- *▶ $n(n-1)$
- ▶ $n^2 + n$
- ▶ Cannot be determined

Question No: 23 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

If A and B are finite (overlapping) sets, then which of the following **must be** true

- ▶ $n(A \setminus B) = n(A) + n(B)$
- *▶ $n(A \setminus B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$
- ▶ $n(A \setminus B) = \emptyset$
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 24 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Any two spanning trees for a graph

- ▶ Does not contain same number of edges
- *▶ Have the same degree of corresponding edges
- ▶ contain same number of edges
- ▶ May or may not contain same number of edges

Question No: 25 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

When 3^k is even, then $3^k + 3^k + 3^k$ is an odd.

- ▶ True
- *▶ False

Question No: 26 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Quotient –Remainder Theorem states that for any positive integer d, there exist unique integer q and r such that $n = d \cdot q + r$ and _____.

- *▶ $0 \leq r < d$
- ▶ $0 < r < d$
- ▶ $0 \leq d < r$
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 27 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The value of $\lceil x \rceil$ for $x = -3.01$ is

- *▶ -3.01
- ▶ -3
- ▶ -2
- ▶ -1.99

Question No: 28 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

If p = A Pentium 4 computer,

q = attached with ups.

Then "no Pentium 4 computer is attached with ups" is denoted by

- ▶ $\sim (p \cup q)$
- ▶ $\sim p \cup q$
- ▶ $\sim p \cap q$
- *▶ None of these

Question No: 29 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

An integer n is prime if and only if $n > 1$ and for all positive integers r and s , if $n = r \cdot s$, then

- . ▶ $r = 1$ or $s = 2$.
- . ▶ $r = 1$ or $s = 0$.
- . ▶ $r = 2$ or $s = 3$.
- . ▶ None of these

Question No: 30 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

If $P(A \cap B) \neq P(A)P(B)$ then the events A and B are called

- *▶ Independent
- . ▶ Dependent
- . ▶ Exhaustive

Question No: 31 (Marks: 2)

Let A and B be the events. Rewrite the following event using set notation
"Only A occurs"

Question No: 32 (Marks: 2)

Suppose that a connected planar simple graph has 15 edges. If a plane drawing of this graph has 7 faces, how many vertices does this graph have?

Answer:

Given,

Edges = $v = 15$

Faces = $f = 7$

Vertices = $v = ?$

According to Euler Formula, we know that,

$$f = e - v + 2$$

Putting values, we get

$$7 = 15 - v + 2$$

$$7 = 17 - v$$

Simplifying

$$v = 17 - 7 = 10$$

Question No: 33 (Marks: 2)

How many ordered selections of two elements can be made from the set $\{0,1,2,3\}$?

Answer

The order selection of two elements from 4 is as

$$P(4,2) = \frac{4!}{(4-2)!}$$

$$= \frac{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{2!}$$

$$= 12$$

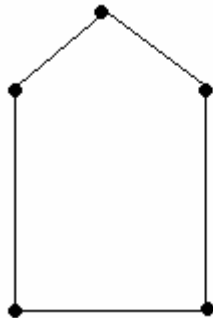
Question No: 34 (Marks: 3)

Consider the following events for a family with children:

$A = \{\text{children of both sexes}\}$, $B = \{\text{at most one boy}\}$. Show that A and B are dependent events if a family has only two children.

Question No: 35 (Marks: 3)

Determine the chromatic number of the given graph by inspection.



Question No: 36 (Marks: 3)

A cafeteria offers a choice of two soups, five sandwiches, three desserts and three drinks. How many different lunches, each consisting of a soup, a sandwich, a dessert and a drink are possible?

Question No: 37 (Marks: 5)

A box contains 15 items, 4 of which are defective and 11 are good. Two items are selected. What is probability that the first is good and the second defective?

Answer

Question No: 38 (Marks: 5)

Draw a binary tree with height 3 and having seven terminal vertices.

Question No: 39 (Marks: 5)

Find n if

$$P(n,2) = 72$$

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