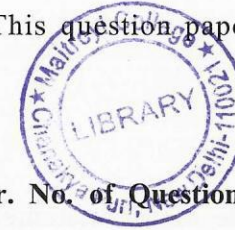


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Instructions for Candidates

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
2. Attempt any **two** parts from each question.
3. **All** questions are compulsory.
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1. (a) Determine the following :

(i) Compute the truth table of the statement

$$(p \Rightarrow q) \equiv (\sim q \Rightarrow \sim p).$$

(ii) If $p \Rightarrow q$ is false, then determine the truth value of $(\sim p) \vee (p \Leftrightarrow q)$. Explain your answer. (7.5)

(b) Let $A = \mathbb{Z}$ (the set of integers). Define the following relation R on A :

$$a R b \text{ if and only if } |a - b| = 2.$$

Determine whether the relation R on A is reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, asymmetric, antisymmetric, or transitive. Is R an equivalence relation on A ? (7.5)

(b) Find the DN form and CN form of the following Boolean functions

$$f(x, y, z) = x\bar{y} + x(\bar{y}z) + xyz \quad (7.5)$$

6. (a) Let $f(x, y, z) = xy\bar{z} + \bar{x}yz + \bar{x}y\bar{z}$. Find the implicants, prime implicants and essential prime implicants of $f(x, y, z)$.

$$\overline{(x(\bar{y}z))} = \bar{x} + (y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}). \quad (7.5)$$

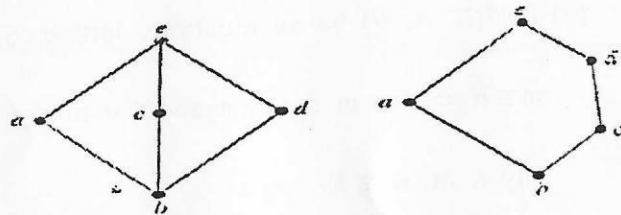
(b) Construct a logic circuit corresponding to Boolean function

$$(i) f(x, y, z) = xyz' + yz' + x'y$$

$$(ii) f(x, y, z, w) = (x + y)(x' + z) + (z + w)' \quad (7.5)$$

(c) Determine the output of each of these circuits (7.5)

- (b) Does the following diamond and pentagonal lattices satisfy the distributive laws? (7.5)



- (c) Define a complemented lattice. Also show that $(P(M), \cap, \cup)$ is a complemented lattice for the power set $P(M)$ of a non-empty set M .

(7.5)

5. (a) What is Karnaugh map? Use Karnaugh map diagram to find a minimal form of the function

$$f(x, y, z, t) = x\bar{y} + xyz + \bar{x}\bar{y}\bar{z} + \bar{x}yz\bar{t}. \quad (7.5)$$

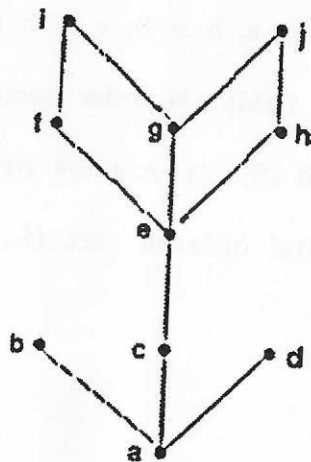
- (c) Prove by mathematical induction that if A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n are any n sets, then

$$\overline{\bigcap_{i=1}^n A_i} = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \bar{A}_i \quad \text{where } \bar{A}_i \text{ denote the complement of the set } A_i. \quad (7.5)$$

2. (a) Let $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$. Consider the partial ordered set (L, \leq) where $L = P(X)$ is the power set of X and \leq is defined as, $U \leq V$ if and only if $U \subseteq V \forall U, V \in L$. Also consider partial ordered set S of all positive divisors of 30, with respect to the order that for any $a, b \in S$, $a \leq' b$ if and only if a divides b . Exhibit an order isomorphism between (L, \leq) and (S, \leq') . Are the Hasse diagrams of two partial ordered sets (L, \leq) and (S, \leq') identical? (7.5)

- (b) Let \mathbb{N}_0 be the set of whole numbers equipped with the partial order \leq of divisibility defined as $a \leq b$ if and only if a divides b . Draw a Hasse diagram for the subset $P = \{2, 3, 12, 18\}$ of (\mathbb{N}_0, \leq) . How many maximal and minimal elements are there in (P, \leq) ? (7.5)

- (c) Find the lower and upper bounds along with greatest lower and least upper bound of the subsets $\{c, e\}$, $\{b, i\}$ in the following Hasse diagram. (7.5)



3. (a) Determine whether the relation (\mathbb{Z}, \leq) on the set of all integers with the order "less than equal to" is a lattice. (7.5)

- (b) Let (L, \wedge, \vee) be an algebraic lattice. Show that $m \leq n \Rightarrow l \wedge m \leq l \wedge n$ and $l \vee m \leq l \vee n$, for any $l, m, n \in L$. (7.5)

- (c) Define a sublattice of a lattice L . Show that the interval $[x, y] = \{l \in L : x \leq l \leq y\}$, is a sublattice for any two elements $x, y \in L$ with $x \leq y$. (7.5)

4. (a) Define a distributive lattice. Prove that a homeomorphic image of a distributive lattice is distributive. (7.5)