



**HDZ-003-016304** Seat No. \_\_\_\_\_

**M. Sc. (Sem. III) (CBCS) Examination**

**November / December – 2017**

**Mathematics : CMT-3004**

*(Discrete Mathematics)*

*(Old Course)*

**Faculty Code : 003**

**Subject Code : 016304**

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

**Instructions :**

- (1) There are five questions.
- (2) All questions are compulsory.
- (3) Each question carries 14 marks.

**1** Fill in the blanks : (Each question carries two marks) **14**

- (1) Let A be a non empty set. Define the concept of the free semi group generated by A.
- (2) Define the concept of regular expressions over a set A.
- (3) Define a complemented lattice and illustrate it with an example.
- (4) Define a modular Lattice. Illustrate that a finite lattice need not be a modular.
- (5) Define : (i) a conditional statement and (ii) a Moore machine.
- (6) Define machine congruence on a finite state machine.
- (7) State Kleene's theorem.

**2** Attempt any **two** : **14**

- (a) Let R be a congruence relation defined on a semi group **7**  
(S, \*). Describe in detail the construction of the quotient semi group of S determined by R. Let A be a non empty set. Show that  $(\mathbb{N} \cup \{0\}, +)$  is isomorphic to a quotient semi group of  $A^*$ .

- (b) Let  $n \geq 1$  and let  $f: B_n \rightarrow B$ . Prove that  $f$  is produced by a Boolean expression. 7
- (c) State and prove the fundamental theorem of homomorphism of semi groups. 7
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- 3 All compulsory : 14**
- (a) Let  $V$  be a vector space over a field  $F$ . Show that the lattice of subspaces of  $V$  is modular. 5
- (b) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a Boolean Algebra. Let  $a, b \in L$ . Show that (i)  $(a \vee b)' = a' \wedge b'$  and (ii)  $(a \wedge b)' = a' \vee b'$ . 5
- (c) Prove that there exists no semi group homomorphism from  $(\mathbb{N}, x)$  onto  $(5\mathbb{N}, x)$ . 4
- OR**
- 3 All compulsory : 14**
- (a) Let  $R$  be a symmetric relation defined on a non empty set  $A$ . Prove that  $\mathbb{R}^\infty$  is symmetric. 4
- (b) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a finite Boolean Algebra. Let  $a \in L, a \neq 0$ . Let  $\{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_k\}$  be the set of all atoms  $c$  of  $L$  such that  $c \leq a$ . Prove that  $a = \bigvee_{i=1}^k c_i$ . 5
- (c) Let  $f: B_4 \rightarrow B$  be such that  $S(f) = \{0000, 0001, 0011, 0010, 1000, 1001, 1111\}$ . Construct the Karnaugh map of  $f$  and find a Boolean expression for the function  $f$ . 5
- 4 Attempt any two : 14**
- (a) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a finite Boolean Algebra. Prove that the number of atoms of  $(L, \leq)$  is equal to the number of coatoms of  $(L, \leq)$ . 7
- (b) Let  $M = (S, I, \mathcal{F}, s_0, T)$  be a moore machine. If  $R$  is the  $w$  – compatibility relation defined on  $S$ , then show that  $R$  is a machine congruence on  $M$  and  $L(M) = L(M/R)$ . 7
- (c) Let  $(L, \leq)$  be a lattice, If  $(L, \leq)$  is not modular, then prove that  $(L, \leq)$  will contain a sublattice  $M$  which is isomorphic to the pentagon lattice. 7

- 5 Attempt any **two** : 14
- (a) State and prove Pumping lemma. 7
- (b) Let  $(L, *)$  be a commutative semi group in which  $a*a=a$  for  $a \in L$ . Prove that the relation  $\leq$  defined on  $L$  by  $a \leq b$  if and only if  $a*b=b$  is a partial order and for any  $a, b \in L$ ,  $a*b$  is the least upper bound of  $\{a, b\}$  in  $(L, \leq)$ . 7
- (c) For the languages given in (i) and (ii) below, construct a phrase structure grammar  $G$  such that  $L(G) = L$ . 7
- (i)  $L = \{a^n b^m / n \geq 1, m \geq 3\}$  and
- (ii)  $L = \{x^n y^m / n \geq 2, m \geq 0 \text{ and even}\}$
- (d) Let  $P$  be a propositional function. Prove 7
- (i)  $\sim (\forall x P(x)) \equiv \exists x (\sim P(x))$  and
- (ii)  $\sim (\exists x P(x)) \equiv \forall x (\sim P(x))$ .
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