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(Graph Theory)

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[Total Marks : **70**

Instructions :

- (1) Attempt any five questions from the following.
- (2) There are total ten questions.
- (3) Each question carries equal marks.

1 Answer following seven questions :

7×2=14

1. Define terms : Odd vertex, Even vertex, Regular graph, k-Regular graph.
2. Define terms : Graph, Degree of a vertex, Self loop, Parallel edges (Multiple edges).
3. Define terms : Tree, Acyclic graph, Pendent vertex, Pendent edge.
4. Give two non isomorphic graphs G_1 and G_2 , which are having properties $|V(G_1)| = |V(G_2)|$, $|E(G_1)| = |E(G_2)|$ and for any non-negative integer t , the number of vertices in G_1 with t degree and the number of vertices in G_2 with t degree are same.
5. Give two example of Eulerian graphs G_1 and G_2 , so that G_1 is Hamiltonian graph, while second graph G_2 does not admits any Hamiltonian cycle.
6. Define term: Arbitrary traceable from a vertex in an Euler graph.
7. Give an example of an Eulerian graph, which has two arbitrary traceable vertices.

2 Answer following seven questions : 7×2=14

- (i) Prove or disprove that, any tree T with $|V(T)| \geq 2$ has atleast two pendent edges.
- (ii) Prove or disprove that, any tree T with $|V(T)| \geq 2$ has precisely two pendent vertices.
- (iii) Define distance between two vertices in a connected graph.
- (iv) Define term: Eccentricity of a vertex in a connected graph and center of a connected graph.
- (v) Write down atleast three facts about dual of a planar graph.
- (vi) Define term: Incidence matrix of a graph.
- (vii) Write down atleast three properties of an incidence matrix of a graph G .

3 Answer following two questions : 2×7=14

- (a) Let G be a finite graph. Prove that there are subgraphs $g_i = (V_i, E_i)$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$, for some $k \geq 1$ such that,
 - (i) Each g_i is a maximal connected subgraph of G .
 - (ii) $V_i \cap V_j = \phi$, $i \neq j$ and $i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$
 - (iii) $V = V_1 \cup \dots \cup V_k$ and $E = E_1 \cup \dots \cup E_k$.
 - (iv) If $g = (W, F)$ be any connected subgraph of G , then g must be a subgraph g_i , for some $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$.
- (b) Let $G = (V, E)$ be a graph. Prove that, G is a disconnected graph if and only if there are two disjoint subsets V_1 and V_2 of V such that, (i) $V = V_1 \cup V_2$ and (ii) there is no edge uv in G , whose one end vertex lies in V_1 and another end vertex lies in V_2 .

4 Answer following one question : 1×14=14

Let G be a connected graph. Prove that, it is an Euler graph if and only if its all the vertices have even degree.

5 Answer following two questions : 2×7=14

1. Prove that, for a separable graph G , v is a cut vertex in G if and only if there are two vertices

$x, y \in V(G) - \{v\}$ such that every path in G between x and y passes through v .

2. Let $X(G) = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$

be an adjacency matrix of a graph G .

Find $Y = X + X^2 + X^3 + X^4$, where $X = X(G)$. Determine G is a connected graph or it is not a connected graph.

6 Answer following two questions : 2×7=14

- (a) Let G be a connected graph and S is a cut set for G . Let T be a spanning tree for G . Prove that, $S \cap E(T) \neq \phi$.

- (b) Let G be a connected graph and S be a cut set for G . Let F be any cycle in G . Prove that, $|E(F) \cap S|$ is even.

7 Answer following two questions : 2×7=14

1. Prove that, a graph G is a minimally connected graph if and only if it is a tree.
2. Prove that, a connected graph G , admits a spanning tree.

8 Answer following two questions : 2×7=14

- (a) For a tree T , with $|V(T)| = n$, prove that, T has $n - 1$ edges.
- (b) Let G be a connected graph and it satisfy $|E(G)| = |V(G)| - 1$. Prove that, G is a tree.

9 Answer following one questions : **1×14=14**

Define term: Maximal non-Hamiltonian graph. Also State and prove Dirac's Theorem.

10 Answer following two questions : **2×7=14**

(i) Let u and v be distinct vertices of a tree T . Prove that, there is a unique path P between u and v in T .

(ii) Let G be an acyclic graph with n vertices and k components. Prove that, G has $n - k$ edges.