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DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE, SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Integrated M.Sc. (Computer Science), Fourth Semester

CSC-153: Discrete Mathematical Structures

[Back paper – II semester]

Time Allowed: 2 hours

Maximum Marks: 30

SECTION A

(Total Marks: 6 × 1 = 6)

- 1 Give the converse, and inverse of the following statement:
“If it rains today, I will go to market tomorrow.”
- 2 Determine whether the following argument is correct or incorrect.
“Every CS student takes Discrete Mathematics. Mr. Z is taking Discrete Mathematics. Therefore, Mr. Z is a CS student.”
- 3 a) $\sum_{k=1}^{100} \binom{100}{k} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$.
b) $A - (B \cap C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$. (True/False)?
- 4 Your Discrete Mathematics professor decide the grading policy on the basis of two exams as follows:
A student will get an ‘A’ grade if she did well in both the exams, will get a ‘B’ if she did well in one of the two exams, and will get a ‘C’ if she did poorly in both the exams.
Let X be the set of students who did well in the first exam, and Y be the set of students who did well in the second exam. Answer the following in terms of X and Y.
a) What set of students will get ‘A’? b) What set of students will get ‘B’?
- 5 Define countable and uncountable sets. Give an example of each type.
- 6 How many bit strings of length 10 contain an equal number of 0s and 1s?

SECTION B

(Total Marks: 4 × 3 = 12)

- 1 Consider the predicates **F(x)**: x is your friend and **S(x)**: x can keep secret.
 - a) Express the statement “At least one of your friends can keep secret” using First Order Logic.
 - b) Form the negation of the formula obtained in a) above.
 - c) Translate the formula obtained in b) in English.
- 2 Prove that for an integer n , if $3n + 2$ is even, then n is even using
 - a) a proof by contraposition.
 - b) a proof by contradiction.
- 3 a) Prove by the first principle of induction that for any $n \geq 1$,
 $1.1! + 2.2! + 3.3! + \dots + n.n! = (n + 1)! - 1$
b) State the second principle of induction.
- 4 Find the number of outcomes when three dice are rolled, if
 - a) all three dice are distinct.
 - b) all three dice are identical.



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SECTION C

(Total Marks: $3 \times 4 = 12$)

- 1 a) State the inclusion-exclusion principle. Obtain the formula for the cardinality of the union of three finite sets.
b) How many integers between 1 and 250 are divisible by any of the integers 2, 3, and 7?
- 2 a) Prove that if any 14 numbers from 1 to 26 are chosen, then one of them must be a multiple of another.
b) A bag contains a dozen blue socks and a dozen black socks, all unmatched. You take socks out at random in the dark.
 - i) How many socks you must take out to be sure that you have at least two socks of the same colour?
 - ii) How many socks you must take out to be sure that you have at least two blue socks?
- 3 a) Obtain PCNF and PDNF of the wff $(\neg p \vee \neg q) \rightarrow (p \leftrightarrow \neg q)$.
b) "Everyone has exactly one favourite subject."
Symbolize the above statement, and transform it into Prenex Normal Form.