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EXAMINATION PAPER

COURSE CODE	:	CDT108
COURSE TITLE	:	MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS FOR COMPUTING
SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS	:	None
DURATION	:	3 Hours
LEVEL	:	1.2
DATE	:	2020

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer all questions.
2. Calculators and slide rules are allowed.
3. Show all the working.

Question 1

- a) Represent the following sets in Venn diagrams
 - i. $B-A$ [1]
 - ii. $A \cap B$ [1]
 - iii. $A \cup (B \cap C)$ [2]
 - iv. $A \setminus (B \cap C)$ [2]
- b) Let $S = \{t, u, v, w, x, y, z\}$. Determine which of the following partitions of S are and which ones are not giving reasons:
 - i. $P1 = [\{t, v, w\}, \{b\}, \{x, w\}]$ [1]
 - ii. $P2 = [\{t, v, u, y\}, \{z\}, \{w, x\}]$ [1]
 - iii. $P3 = [\{z, x\}, \{t, u\}, \{y, w\}]$ [1]
 - iv. $P4 = [\{u, v, w, x, y, v, r\}]$ [1]

Question 2

- a) Prove by induction that $1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + 4^2 + \dots + n^2 = n(n+1)(2n-1)/6$ [5]
- b) Using indirect proof, prove that given that n is a natural number and n^2 be even then n is even. [5]

Question 3

- a) Explain the following terms with the aid of diagrams
 - i. Injective function [2]
 - ii. Many to one function [2]
 - iii. Onto function [2]
- b) Determine which of the following equations are functions and which are not functions
 - i. $y^2 = x + 1$ [2]
 - ii. $y = x^2$ [2]

Question 4

- a) Which of the following expressions are propositions?
 - i. The sun is shining [1]
 - ii. $X - 5 = 7$ [1]
 - iii. $5 - 3 = 21$ [1]
 - iv. Please come here [1]
 - v. Are the roses red? [1]
 - vi. What a great book! [1]
- b) Show that $P \wedge \neg Q \equiv \neg(P \rightarrow Q)$. [4]

Question 5

- a) Given that set $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and set $B = \{x, y, z\}$ find
 - i. $A \times B$ [2]
 - ii. $B \times A$ [2]
 - iii. A^2 [2]
- b) Determine giving reasons if A^2 is Reflexive and /or Symmetric [4]

Question 6

a) Compute the following

i. $3!$ [1]

ii. $\frac{6!}{5!}$ [2]

iii. $\binom{7}{4}$ [3]

b) Find the number of permutations that can be formed that can be formed from the letters of the letters

i. DIEGO [1]

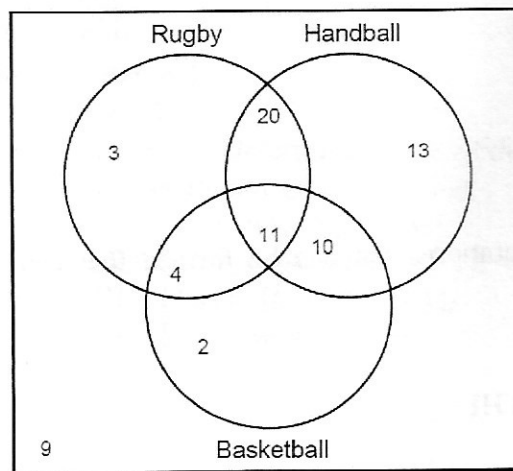
ii. ISIPHITHIPHITHI [3]

Question 7

- a. Draw a directed graph with five vertices and seven edges. Exactly one of the edges should be a loop, and do not have any multiple edges. [4]
- b. Draw an undirected graph with five edges and four vertices. The vertices should be called v_1 , v_2 , v_3 and v_4 and there must be a path of length three from v_1 to v_4 . Draw a squiggly line along this path from v_1 to v_4 . [6]

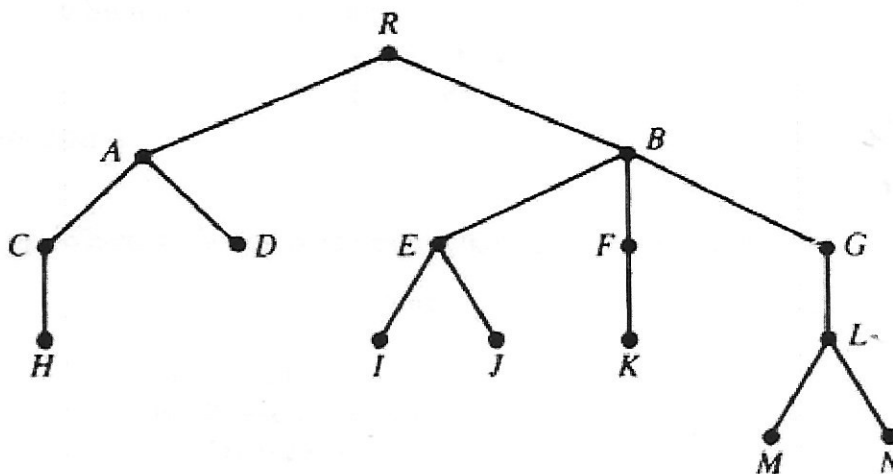
Question 8

Figure 1



- a) The Venn Diagram above represents the numbers of students who play rugby, handball and basketball. Using the Venn diagram answer the questions that follow.
- Students who play all the three sports [2]
 - All students who play basketball only [2]
 - Students who play either rugby or basketball [2]
 - Students who play rugby but do not play basketball [2]
 - Students who do not play basketball [2]

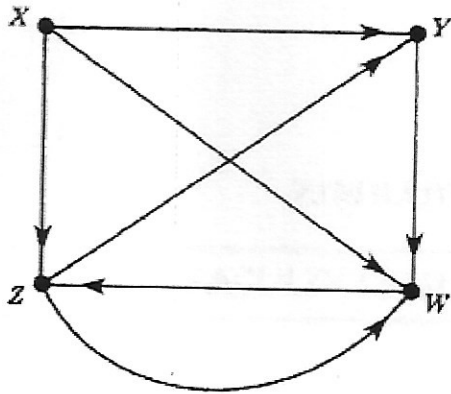
Question 9



Let T be the rooted tree in figure above

- Identify the path α from the root R to each of the following vertices, and find the level number n of the vertex:
 - H ; [2]
 - F ; [2]
 - M . [2]
- Find the siblings of E . [2]
- Find the leaves of T . [2]

Question 10



Let G be the directed graph in the diagram above

- i. Describe G formally.
- ii. Find all cycles in G .
- iii. Find all simple paths from X to Z .
- iv. Is G strongly connected

[4]
[2]
[3]
[1]