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B.Sc. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019.

Sixth Semester

Mathematics/Mathematics with CA – Main

GRAPH THEORY

(For those who joined in July 2016 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. The number of edges in K_6 is _____.

(a) 36

(b) 30

(c) 15

(d) 12

2. Which of the following is not true?

(a) Every walk is a path

(b) Every path is a trail

(c) Every trail is a walk

(d) Every path is a walk

3. If we remove the cut vertices from a graph G , then the number of components

(a) decreases

(b) increases

(c) no change

(d) nothing can be said

4. The number of edges in a tree with 20 vertices is

(a) 20

(b) 21

(c) $\frac{20 \times 19}{2}$

(d) 19

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5. The smallest nm planar complete graph is
 (a) K_3 (b) K_4
 (c) K_5 (d) K_6
6. If G is a (p, q) planar graph with f faces, then
 $p - q + f =$ _____.
 (a) 1 (b) 2
 (c) 3 (d) 4
7. The rank of cut set matrix with p vertices is
 _____.
 (a) $\leq p - 1$ (b) $= p - 1$
 (c) $\geq p - 1$ (d) $= p + 1$
8. The $(i, i)^{th}$ entry of the adjacency matrix of a graph
 _____.
 (a) 1 (b) 0
 (c) 2 (d) -1

9. Chromatic number of $K_{m,n}$ is _____.
 (a) p (b) $p - 1$
 (c) 1 (d) 2
10. Chromatic polynomial $f(K_1, \lambda) =$ _____.
 (a) λ (b) λ^2
 (c) $\lambda^2 + 1$ (d) $\lambda^2 + \lambda$

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Prove that the sum of the degrees of the points of any graph is twice the number of lines.

Or

- (b) A graph G is connected iff for any partition of V into subsets V_1 and V_2 there is a line of G joining a point of V_1 to a point of V_2 .



12. (a) Prove that every tree has either one or two centers.

Or

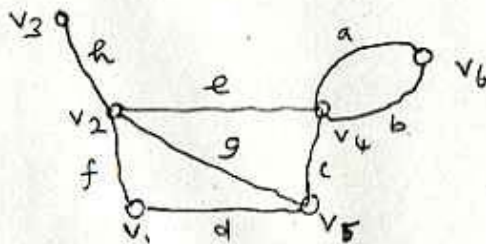
- (b) Prove that every connected graph has a spanning tree.
13. (a) Prove that K_5 is non-planon.

Or

- (b) If G is a (p, q) planon graph in which every face is an n cycle, prove that $q = \frac{n(p-2)}{n-2}$.
14. (a) Let G_1 be a (p_1, q_1) graph and G_2 be (p_2, q_2) graph. Then prove that $G_1 \times G_2$ is a $(p_1 p_2, q_1 p_2 + q_2 p_1)$ graph.

Or

- (b) Find the incidence matrix for the given graph.



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15. (a) If G is a tree with $n \geq 2$ points, prove that the chromatic polynomial $f(G, \lambda) = \lambda(\lambda-1)^{n-1}$.

Or

- (b) Prove that every k -chromatic graph has atleast k vertices of degree atleast $k-1$.

PART C — ($5 \times 8 = 40$ marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

16. (a) State and prove Dirac's theorem.

Or

- (b) Prove that a simple graph with p vertices and k components can have atmost $\frac{(p-k)(p-k+1)}{2}$ edges.

17. (a) Prove that a connected graph has p vertices and $p-1$ edges iff it is a tree.

Or

- (b) For any graph G , prove that vertex connectivity \leq line connectivity $\leq \delta$.

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18. (a) Prove that a connected planar graph with p vertices and q edges has $q - p + 2$ regions.

Or

- (b) Write down the relationship between the planar graph and its dual.

19. (a) Write remarks on adjacency matrix.

Or

- (b) Prove that the rank of cut set matrix $C(G)$ = the rank of incidence matrix $A(G)$ = rank of graph G .

20. (a) State and prove Five colour theorem.

Or

- (b) If d_{\max} is the maximum degree of the vertices in a graph G , then prove that chromatic number of $G \leq 1 + d_{\max}$.
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