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Time: 3hrs.

Max.Marks:80

Part A

Short answer questions

(Answer **all** questions. Each question carries 1 mark)

1. Find $A \times B \times C$ if $A=\{x,y\}$, $B=\{1,2,3\}$ and $C=\{0,1\}$
2. Find $\sum_{i=0}^{10}(i + 6)$.
3. Find two sets A and B such that $A \in B$ and $A \subseteq B$
4. Define a transitive relation on a set A .
5. Represent the relation $R=\{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (3,4)\}$ on $\{1,2,3,4\}$ using a directed graph.
6. Give an example of a lattice.
7. Write the converse of the statement “If the space shuttle was launched, then a cloud of smoke was seen.”
8. Let p and q be propositions
 p : 2 is a prime number
 q : 4 is a perfect square
Write the proposition 2 is a prime number or 4 is a perfect square using logical connectives.
9. Find $\Phi(1024)$, the Euler phi function.
10. State Fermat’s theorem.

(10 x 1 = 10)

(P.T.O.)

Part B

Brief answer questions

(Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries 2 marks)

11. Why $f(x)=\sqrt{x}$ is not a function from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}
12. Find $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$ where f and g are two function from set of integers onto itself defined by $f(x)=x^3$ and $g(x)=2x+9$
13. State De Morgan's laws for sets.
14. If $M_{\mathbb{R}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ find the matrix representing its inverse relation.
15. Give an example of a relation which is symmetric but not transitive.
16. Write down $[1]_5$ and $[2]_5$, the equivalence classes of modulo 5.
17. Let $p(x)$ be the statement $x+1 > x$. what is the truth value of $\forall x p(x)$, where the universe of discourse consists of all real numbers and justify your answer?
18. Construct a truth table for the compound proposition $(p \vee q) \oplus (p \wedge q)$
19. Translate into logic "Some integers are even and some are odd" where the universe of discourse consists of all integers.
20. Find the highest power of 7 contained in $900!$
21. Show that $n^7 - n = M(42)$
22. Find the remainder when 2^{1000} is divided by 17.

(8x2=16)

Part C

Descriptive (short essay questions)

(Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries 4 marks)

23. How many relations are there on a set with n elements. How many of them are reflexive?
24. Show that the function $f(x) = 3x+4$ is a bijection on set of integers also find the inverse.
25. Show that the relation $(a,b) R (c,d) \Leftrightarrow a+d=b+c$ is an equivalence relation on the set of real numbers.

26. Represent the relation $R = \{(1,2), (2,3), (3,3), (3,2), (3,4), (4,2)\}$ on $\{1,2,3,4\}$ using
- Matrix
 - Directed graph
27. Show the $(p \rightarrow q) \vee (q \rightarrow p)$ is a tautology.
28. Write the converse, inverse, contra positive and biconditional statement of “ If you play tennis , then you're an athlete .”
29. Prove that “n is odd, if and only if $5n+6$ is odd”, where n is an integer.
30. Show that $3^{2n+1} + 2^{n+2}$ is divisible by 7.
31. Show $18!+1$ is divisible by 437.

(6x4=24)

Part D

Essay type questions

(Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 15 marks)

32. i). Using membership table show $A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$.
- Show that set of all integers is countable.
 - Define floor function and ceiling functions and draw the graphs of both functions.
33. Show that following statements are equivalent
- n^2 is odd
 - $1-n$ is even
 - n^3 is odd
 - n^2+1 is even
34. i) Show that $p \rightarrow q$ and $\neg p \vee q$ are logically equivalent.
- Prove that $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational by giving a proof by contradiction.
 - Which rule of inference is used in the following argument?
 “If you have a current password, then you can log onto the network”
 “You have a current password”
 Therefore: “You can log onto the network”

(P.T.O.)

35. i) Solve $5x \equiv 2 \pmod{7}$

ii) Show that 27 and 48 are prime to each other using Euclidean algorithm

iii) Prove that if m is prime to n , then $(mn) = (m)(n)$.

(2 x 15 = 30 marks)