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**B. C. A. (Second Semester) (Regular/Back)  
Examination, 2015**

**Paper - Fourth**

**BCA-204-Discrete Mathematics**

**Time : Three Hours ] [ Maximum Marks : 75**

**Note :** Attempt questions from *all* Sections as per instructions.

**SECTION - A**

**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt *all* parts of this question. Give answer of each part in about 50 words.  $1\frac{1}{2} \times 10 = 15$

1. (i) Define Cartesian product of two sets with an example.
- (ii) Define group with the help of an example.
- (iii) State the relation and types of relation.
- (iv) Define logical conjunction and disjunction.
- (v) Define a simple graph with an example.
- (vi) Define sub graph and isomorphic graph.
- (vii) State Euler path and Euler circuit.
- (viii) Show that every self complementary graph has  $4K$  or  $4K + 1$  vertices.

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- (ix) Define tree and their properties.
- (x) Write the Fulkerson algorithm of network flow.

**SECTION - B  
(Short Answer Type Questions)**

**Note :** Attempt all questions. Give answer of each question in about 200 words.  $8 \times 5 = 40$

2. If  $R$  is a relation from  $A$  to  $B$ ,  $S$  is a relation from  $B$  to  $C$  and  $T$  is a relation from  $C$  to  $D$  then show that :

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**OR**

The necessary and sufficient condition for a non-empty subset  $H$  of a group  $(G, *)$  to be a subgroup is  $a \in H, b \in H \Rightarrow a * b^{-1} \in H$  where  $b^{-1}$  is the inverse of  $b$  in  $G$ .

3. Show that  $(p \vee q) \wedge (\sim p \wedge \sim q)$  is a contradiction.

**OR**

Show that  $\sim r$  is a valid conclusion from the premises.  $p \Rightarrow \sim q, r \Rightarrow p, q$  with truth table.

4. Show that the maximum number of edges in a simple graph with  $n$  vertices is  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$ .

**OR**

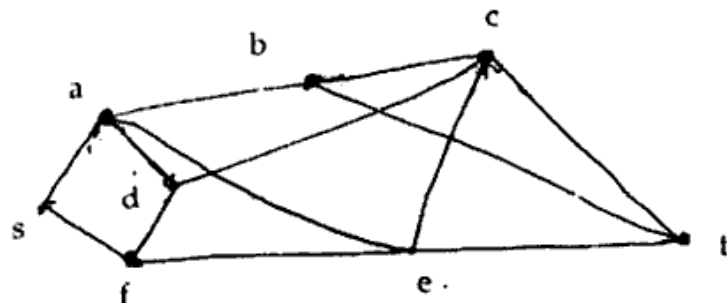
Prove that the sum of degrees of the vertices in an undirected graph is even.

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5. Give an example of a graph which is Hamiltonian but not non-Eulerian.

OR

Find the shortest path from vertex  $s$  to  $t$  and its length from the graph given below :



6. A tree has two vertices of degree 2, one vertex of degree 3 and three vertices of degree 4. How many vertices of degree 1 does it have ?

OR

A simple graph  $G$  has a spanning tree if and only if  $G$  is connected.

### SECTION - C

#### (Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note :** Attempt any *two* questions. Give answer of each question in about 500 words.  $10 \times 2 = 20$

7. Set  $(G, *)$  and  $(G_1, *_1)$  be two groups and let  $f : G \rightarrow G_1$  be a homomorphism from  $G$  to  $G_1$  then :

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- (a)  $f(e) = e_1$  where  $e$  is the identity in  $G$  and  $e_1$  is the identity in  $G_1$ .
- (b)  $f(a^{-1}) = (f(a))^{-1}$  for all  $a \in G$ .
- (c) If  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$  then  $f(H) = \{f(h) : h \in H\}$  is a subgroup of  $G_1$ .

8. For the set  $I_4 = \{0, 1, 3\}$  show that the modulo 4 system is a ring.

9. Write short notes on the following :

- (a) Path and circuits
- (b) Shortest path problem.

10. Write short notes on the following :

- (a) Hamiltonian graph.
- (b) Travelling salesman problem.

11. (a) A full  $m$ -ary tree with  $i$  internal vertex has  $n = mi + 1$  vertices.
- (b) There are at most  $m^h$  leaves in an  $m$ -ary tree of height  $h$ .

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