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V Semester B.Sc. Degree (CBCSS – Reg./Sup./Imp.)
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(2017 Admn. Onwards)
CORE COURSE IN MATHEMATICS
5B09 MAT : Graph Theory

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 48

PART – A

Answer all 4 questions :

(4×1=4)

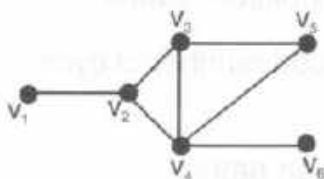
1. Draw a graph on 4 vertices having a cut vertex. Mark the cut vertices.
2. Sketch 2 isomorphic trees on 4 vertices.
3. Plot a strict digraph on 4 vertices.
4. Sketch a symmetric digraph on 4 vertices.

PART – B

Answer any 8 questions :

(8×2=16)

5. Define a complete graph. Draw the graph K_5 .
6. Picturise all non isomorphic graphs on 3 vertices.
7. If $e = xy$ is a cut edge of a connected graph G , prove that there exist vertices u and v such that e belongs to every u - v path in G .
8. Find the cut edges and the cut vertices of the graph given below.



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9. Draw a 2 regular graph on 4 vertices and draw one spanning graph of the same.
10. For a connected graph G , define the terms diameter and eccentricity.
11. Find a covering and a minimal covering for the wheel graph W_5 .
12. Give an example of an Eulerian graph. Explain why it is Eulerian.
13. Explain the terms Directed Walk and Directed Cycle.
14. Define the term tournament. Sketch a tournament on 3 vertices.

PART – C

Answer any 4 questions :

(4×4=16)

15. Plot all non isomorphic graphs on 4 vertices.
16. If a simple graph G is not connected, prove that G^c is connected.
17. Prove that a graph G with at least 3 vertices is 2-connected if and only if any two vertices of G lie on a common cycle.
18. Prove that a graph is a tree if and only if any two distinct vertices are connected by a unique path.
19. For a graph G on n vertices, define the terms independence number α and the covering number β of G . Further show that $\alpha + \beta = n$.
20. Describe Königsberg bridge problem. Represent the problem graphically. Does the problem has a solution ? Explain.

PART – D

Answer any 2 questions :

(2×6=12)

21. Show that a graph G is bipartite if and only if it contains no odd cycle.
 22. Prove that a graph G with at least three vertices is 2-connected if and only if any two vertices of G are connected by at least 2 internally disjoint paths.
 23. Establish the claim : A graph is Eulerian if and only if it has odd number of cycle decompositions.
 24. Prove that every tournament contains a directed Hamiltonian path.
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