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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**  
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**DSE-P3-MATHEMATICS**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
All symbols are of usual significance.*

**The question paper contains DSE3A and DSE3B. Candidates are required to answer any *one* from the *two* courses and they should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.**

**DSE3A**

**POINT SET TOPOLOGY**

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any *four* questions from the following**

3×4 = 12

1. Give an example of a continuous bijective map between two spaces which is not a homeomorphism. Justify your answer. 3
2. If  $F(\mathbb{N})$  denotes the collection of all finite subsets of  $\mathbb{N}$  then find cardinality of  $F(\mathbb{N})$ . 3
3. The co-countable topology on  $\mathbb{R}$  is defined as the collection of all sets  $U \subset \mathbb{R}$  so that  $\mathbb{R} \setminus U$  is either countable or all of  $\mathbb{R}$ . Is  $[0, 1]$  a compact subspace of  $\mathbb{R}$  with co-countable topology. 3
4. Show that  $\frac{\overset{0}{A}}{\overset{0}{A}} = \overset{0}{A}$  and  $\frac{\overset{c}{A}}{\overset{c}{A}} = \overset{c}{A}$ , where  $A^c$  means complement of  $A$ . 3
5. Let us consider  $\mathbb{R}$  with cofinite topology. Find closure of  $A$  and  $B$  where  $A$  is finite and  $B$  is infinite. 3
6. Examine if every constant function  $f : (X, J_1) \rightarrow (Y, J_2)$  is continuous. 3

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any *four* questions from the following**

6×4 = 24

7. Prove that  $2^a = c$ , where  $|\mathbb{N}| = a$  and  $|\mathbb{R}| = c$ . 6
8. Let  $f : (X, J_X) \rightarrow (Y, J_Y)$  be a mapping then prove that the following are equivalent: 6
  - (i)  $f$  is continuous.

- (ii)  $f(\overline{A}) \subset \overline{f(A)}, \forall A \subset X$
- (iii) for any closed set  $C$  in  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(C)$  is closed in  $X$ .

- 9. Show that  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual topology is not compact but  $\mathbb{R}$  with cofinite topology is compact. 6
- 10. Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be connected spaces. Show that  $X \times Y$  is connected. 6
- 11. Show that  $\{(r, s); r < s, r, s \in \mathbb{Q}\}$  is a basis for usual topology on  $\mathbb{R}$  but  $\{[r, s); r < s, r, s \in \mathbb{Q}\}$  is not a basis for  $\mathbb{R}_\ell$ . 6
- 12.(a) Can we say that metric spaces are topological spaces? — Explain. 2
- (b) Show that projection maps are continuous open but not closed. 4

**GROUP-C**

**Answer any two questions from the following**

12×2 = 24

- 13.(a) Let  $X$  be a compact Hausdorff space and let  $(A_n)$  be a countable collection of closed sets in  $X$ . Show that if each set  $A_n$  has empty interior in  $X$ , then the union  $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} A_n$  also has empty interior in  $X$ . 7
- (b) Prove that continuous image of a connected space is connected. 5
- 14.(a) Show that the function  $f : \mathbb{R}_\ell \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $f(x) = [x] \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$  is continuous. 6
- (b) Show that  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\mathbb{R}^m$  cannot be homeomorphism if  $m \neq n$ . 6
- 15.(a) By giving examples show that  $a + c = c$ , where  $|\mathbb{N}| = a$  and  $|\mathbb{R}| = c$ . 5
- (b) Show that closed subset of a compact space is compact but a compact subset of a topological space may not be closed. 5+2
- 16.(a) Show by an example that connectedness is necessary in the statement of intermediate value theorem. 3
- (b) Let  $A$  be a subset of a topological space  $X$  and  $(x_n)$  be a sequence in  $A$  such that  $x_n \rightarrow x$ . Show that  $x \in \overline{A}$ . Also show that if  $X$  is a metric space then the converse is true. 4+5

**DSE3B**

**BOOLEAN ALGEBRA AND AUTOMATA THEORY**

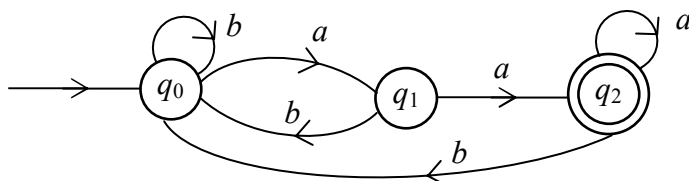
**GROUP-A**

**Answer any four questions from the following**

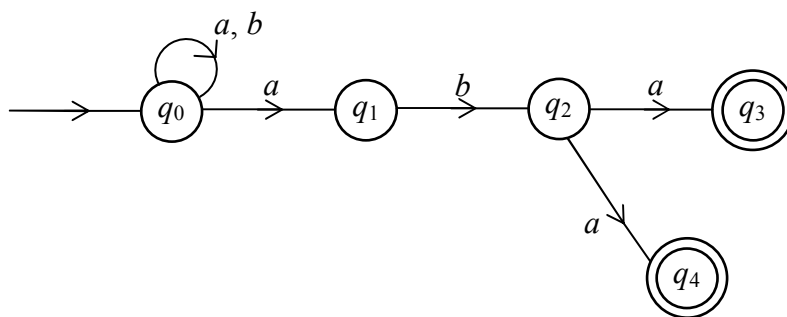
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- 1. Give an example of a bijective mapping between two ordered sets which is not an order isomorphism.

2. Show by an example that union of two sublattices of a lattice may not be a sublattice.
3. Reduce the Boolean term  $((x_1 + x_2).(x_1' + x_3))'$  to DNF.
4. Identify the language  $L(M)$  accepted by the automaton  $M$  in the figure:



5. Let  $M$  be the NFA whose state diagram is given below:



Write down the transition table for this NFA. Also find  $L(M)$ .

6. Let  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$  and  $T = \{\omega \in \Sigma^* : \omega \text{ contains even number of } 1\text{'s}\}$ . Show that  $T$  is an accepted language.

**GROUP-B**

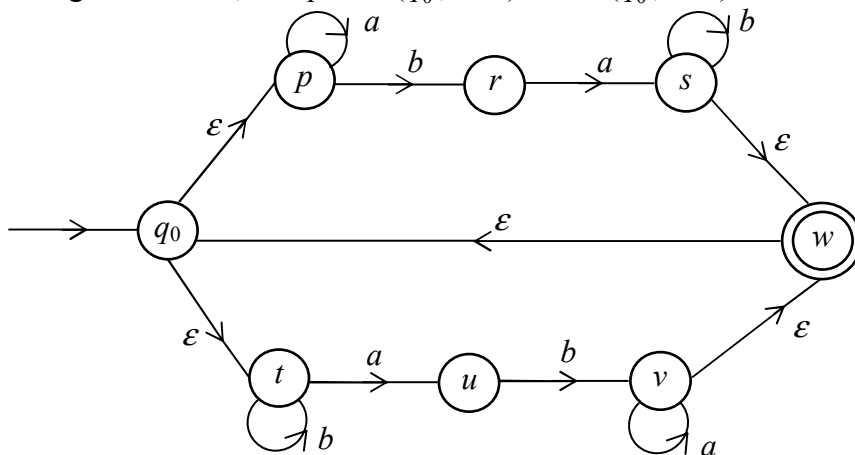
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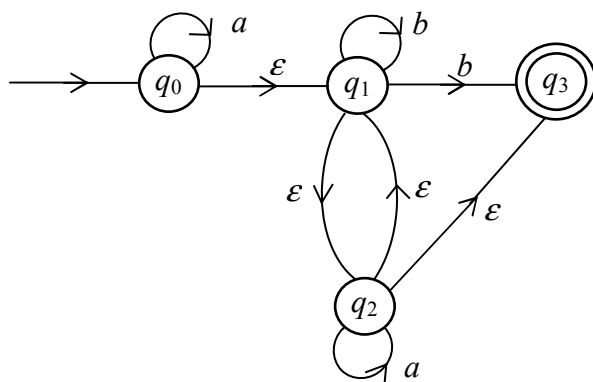
7. (a) Let  $L$  and  $K$  be two lattices and  $f : L \rightarrow K$  be a map. Prove that  $f$  is a lattice isomorphism iff it is order isomorphism. 4
- (b) Prove that every sublattice of a distributive lattice is also distributive. 2
8. (a) Let  $L$  be a Boolean lattice. Then prove that for all  $a, b \in L$ ,  $a \wedge b' = 0$  iff  $a \leq b$ . 3
- (b) Let  $X$  be any set. Define  $FC(X) = \{A \subseteq X : A \text{ is finite OR } X \setminus A \text{ is finite}\}$ . Prove that  $(FC(X), \cup, \cap, ', \phi, X)$  is a Boolean Algebra. 3
9. Suppose a 4-variable Boolean term is given as follows: 6  

$$\phi = \sum m(0, 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 15)$$
 Minimize  $\phi$  using Karnaugh map.

10.(a) For the given  $\epsilon$ -NFA, compute  $\hat{\delta}(q_0, aba)$  and  $\hat{\delta}(q_0, bba)$ . 3



(b) Find epsilon closures of all the states of the given  $\epsilon$ -NFA. 3



11. For  $\Sigma = \{a, b, c\}$ , design a Turing machine that accepts  $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 1\}$ . 6

12.(a) Show that the language of palindromes over  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$  is a context free language. 4

(b) Distinguish between NFA and  $\epsilon$ -NFA. 2

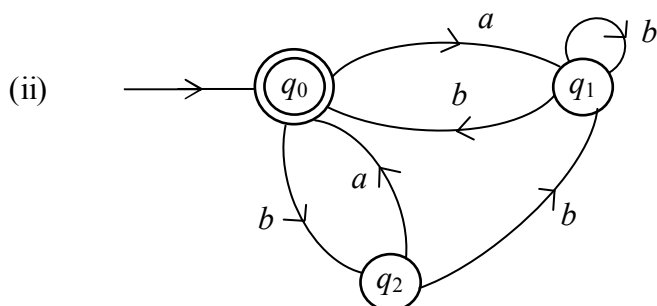
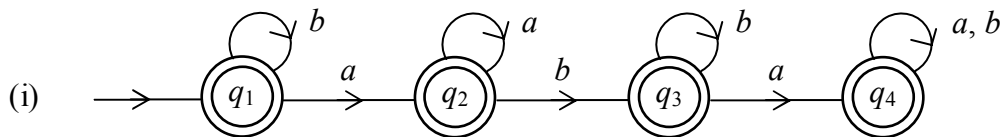
**GROUP-C**

**Answer any two questions from the following**

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13.(a) Prove that a language  $L$  is accepted by some DFA iff  $L$  is accepted by some NFA. 6

(b) Find regular expression for the following DFAs: 3+3



14.(a) Draw the transition graph of the NPDA,  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, q_0, z, F)$ , where  $Q = \{q_0, q_1, q_2\}$ ,  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ ,  $\Gamma = \{a, b, z\}$ ,  $F = \{q_2\}$  and  $\delta$  is given by: 6

$$\delta(q_0, a, z) = \{(q_1, a), (q_2, \lambda)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, b, a) = \{(q_1, b)\}$$

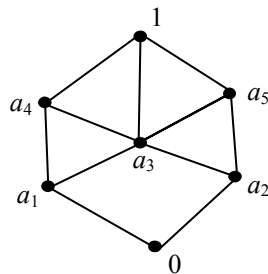
$$\delta(q_1, b, b) = \{(q_1, b)\}$$

$$\delta(q_1, a, b) = \{(q_2, \lambda)\}$$

(b) Let  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$  be an alphabet. Show that the language  $L = \{a^n b^n : n \geq 1\}$  is not a regular language but it is a CFL. 6

15.(a) Prove that a lattice  $L$  is non-distributive iff  $N_5 \rightarrow L$  OR  $M_3 \rightarrow L$ . Here  $L_1 \rightarrow L_2$  means  $L_2$  contains a sublattice isomorphic to  $L_1$ . 8

(b) Consider the lattice  $L$  given below: 4



Which of the following are sublattices of  $L$ ?

$$L_1 = \{0, a_1, a_2, 1\}, \quad L_2 = \{0, a_1, a_5, 1\}$$

Justify your answer.

16.(a) Draw a switching circuit which realizes the following Boolean expressions: 3+3

(i)  $x(yz + y'z') + x'(yz' + y'z)$

(ii)  $(x + y + z + u)(x + y + u)(x + z)$

(b) For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , suppose  $D_n$  denotes the set of all positive divisors of  $n$ . Then prove that  $(D_n, \leq)$  is a Boolean lattice iff  $n$  is square free. Here,  $a \leq b$  iff  $a|b$ . Here for  $a \in D_n$ ,  $a' = \frac{n}{a}$ . 6

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