

(b) Find the k-map for the following

(i) $(x' \wedge y' \wedge z) \vee (x' \wedge y \wedge z') \vee (x \wedge y \wedge z')$

(ii) $(x' \wedge y' \wedge z \wedge w) \vee (x' \wedge y \wedge z \wedge w') \vee (x \wedge y' \wedge z \wedge w) \vee (x \wedge y \wedge z \wedge w')$

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10. (c) Use k-map to minimize the Boolean expression

(i) $f(a, b, c) = \Sigma 0, 2, 3, 7$

(ii) $f(a, b, c, d) = \Sigma 0, 1, 2, 3, 13, 15$

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(d) For the Boolean expression represented by the following table, give the k-map representation also write the expression.

x	y	z	f(x, y, z)
0	0	0	1
0	0	1	1
0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0
1	1	0	1
1	1	1	0

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Note : Solve one question from each unit.

UNIT I

1. (a) Prove that

$$(\exists x) (P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \Rightarrow (\exists x) P(x) \wedge (\exists x) Q(x).$$

Is the converse true ? Justify.

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(b) Show that $R \rightarrow S$ can be derived from the premises $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow S)$, $\neg R \vee P$ and Q . Also state the rules of inferences.

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2. (c) (i) Show that without truth table

$$\sim(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow (\sim P \vee (\sim P \vee Q)) \iff (\sim P \vee Q).$$

(ii) Express $P \rightarrow (\sim P \rightarrow Q)$ in terms of $\uparrow$ only.

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- (d) State rules of specification and Generalization and show that $(\exists x) M(x)$ follows logically from the premises $(x) (H(x) \rightarrow M(x))$ and $(\exists x) (H(x))$. 8

UNIT II

3. (a) Define :—

- (i) Semi group
(ii) Monoids.

And show that the set N of natural number is semigroup under the operation $x*y = \max\{x, y\}$. Is it a monoid ? 8

- (b) Define :

- (i) Substitution property
(ii) Congruence relation on algebraic system.

Also, given the algebraic system $\langle N, + \rangle$ and $\langle Z_4, +_4 \rangle$, where N is the set of natural no's and $+$ is the operation of addition on N , show that there exists a homo-morphism from $\langle N, + \rangle$ to $\langle Z_4, +_4 \rangle$. 8

4. (c) Define :

- (i) Direct product

- (ii) Free semigroup.

And let X be the set containing n elements let X^* denote the free semigroup generated by x and $\langle S, + \rangle$ be any other semigroup generated by any n -generators then show that there exists a homomorphism $g: X^* \rightarrow S$. 8

- (d) (i) Prove that for any commutative monoid $\langle M, * \rangle$ the set of idempotent elements of M forms a submonoid.

- (ii) If $\langle S, * \rangle$ and $\langle T, \Delta \rangle$ are monoids with e_s and e_T as their identity elements respectively then their direct product $\langle S \times T, 0 \rangle$ is also monoid with $\langle e_s, e_T \rangle$ as identity element. Prove this. 8

UNIT III

5. (a) Define :—

- (i) Partial ordered relation
(ii) Lattice.

And show that, in a lattice if $a \leq b \leq c$ then $a+b = a*c$ and $(a*b) + (b*c) = b = (a+b)* (a+c)$. 8

- (b) Give an example of a lattice which is neither distributive nor modular lattice and Justify. 8

6. (c) In a lattice prove that

$$(i) (a * b) + (a * c) \leq a * [b + (a * c)]$$

$$(ii) (a + b) * (a + c) \geq a + [b * (a + c)] \quad 8$$

- (d) Let $\langle L, \leq \rangle$ be a lattice, for any $a, b, c \in L$ then show that

$$(i) a \vee (a \wedge b) = a$$

$$(ii) b \leq c \implies a \wedge b \leq a \wedge c$$

$$a \vee b \leq a \vee c. \quad 8$$

UNIT IV

7. (a) In a Boolean algebra $\langle B, *, +, 1, 0, 1 \rangle$ show that

$$(i) a = b \iff ab' + ba' = 0$$

$$(ii) a = 0 \iff ab' + a'b = b$$

$$(iii) a \leq b \implies a + bc = b(a + c) \quad 8$$

- (b) Let $\langle p(s), \cap, \cup, \sim, \phi, s \rangle$ be the algebra of the subsets of $S = \{a, b, c\}$ and let $g: p(s) \rightarrow B$ be a mapping onto the two element Boolean algebra given as $B = \{0, 1\}$ such that $g(x) = 1$, if x contains the element b , otherwise $g(x) = 0$. Show that g is a Boolean homomorphism. 8

8. (c) Simplify the following Boolean expressions :

$$(i) (a' * b' * c) \oplus (a * b' * c) \oplus (a * b' * c')$$

$$(ii) (a * c) \oplus c \oplus [(b \oplus b') * e] \quad 8$$

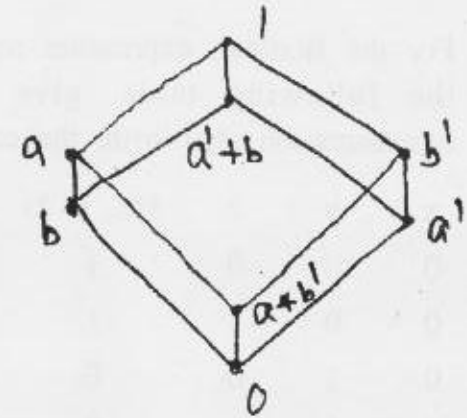
- (d) Consider the Boolean algebra given by the following diagram.

Let $S_1 = \{a, a', 0, 1\}$,

$S_2 = \{a \wedge b', b', a, 1\}$,

$S_3 = \{a, b', 0, 1\}$,

whether S_1, S_2, S_3 are sub-boolean algebra ?



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UNIT V

9. (a) Write the following Boolean expression in an equivalent sum of product canonical forms in three variables x_1, x_2, x_3 as

$$(i) x_1 \oplus x_2 \quad (ii) x_2 \oplus x_3'. \quad 8$$