

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI
(MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION SP/2023)**

**CLASS: BTECH
BRANCH: IT**

**SEMESTER : VII
SESSION : SP/2023**

SUBJECT: MA205 DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

TIME: 02 Hours

FULL MARKS: 25

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates

		CO	BL
Q.1(a) Define well ordering Principle.	[2]	1	1
Q.1(b) Show that $\forall x(P(x) \wedge Q(x))$ and $\forall xP(x) \wedge \forall xQ(x)$ are logically equivalent.	[3]	2	3
Q.2(a) Using Tautologies prove that $(\sim(p \wedge \sim q) \wedge (\sim q \vee r) \wedge (\sim r)) \rightarrow \sim p$.	[2]	1	2
Q.2(b) Use the Principle of Mathematical Induction to verify that for any positive integer n, $6^n - 1$ is divisible by n.	[3]	2	4
Q.3(a) Find the generating function for the given recurrence relation $a_r - 8a_{r-1} + 15a_{r-2} = 0$ with the initial condition $a_0 = 0$ and $a_1 = 3$.	[2]	2	3
Q.3(b) Solve the recurrence relation $a_r - 2a_{r-1} - 15a_{r-2} = r^2$.	[3]	2	3
Q.4(a) Find the generating function for the sequence $0^2, 1^2, 2^2, 3^2, 4^2, 5^2 \dots$	[2]	2	1
Q.4(b) Find the generating function for the given recurrence relation $a_r = -2a_{r-2} + 3a_{r-1}; r \geq 2$ with the initial condition $a_0 = 2$ and $a_1 = 3$.	[3]	3	3
Q.5(a) Define equivalence relation with example.	[2]	3	1
Q.5(b) Using Warshall's algorithm compute transitive closure of the relation $R = \{(1,1), (1,4), (2,1), (2,2), (3,4), (4,4)\}$ defined over non empty set $A = \{1,2,3,4\}$.	[3]	2	4

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