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B.Tech III SEMESTER END EXAMINATIONS (REGULAR/ SUPPLEMENTARY) - FEBRUARY 2024

Regulation: UG20

(MATHEMATICAL FOUNDATION FOR CYBER SECURITY)

Time: 3 Hours

CSE(CYBER SECURITY)

Max Marks: 70

Answer ALL questions in Module I and II

Answer ONE out of two questions in Modules III, IV and V

All Questions Carry Equal Marks

All parts of the question must be answered in one place only

## MODULE – I

- (a) Explore the step-by-step process of the Euclidean algorithm, which involves iteratively applying the division remainder operation until reaching a remainder of zero.  
[BL: Understand| CO: 1|Marks: 7]
- (b) Solve the simultaneous congruences  $x \equiv 6 \pmod{11}$ ,  $x \equiv 13 \pmod{16}$ ,  $x \equiv 9 \pmod{21}$ ,  $x \equiv 19 \pmod{25}$ .  
[BL: Apply| CO: 1|Marks: 7]

## MODULE – II

- (a) What are subrings, ideals, and quotient rings in abstract algebra, and how do these concepts contribute to the study of ring theory and algebraic structures?  
[BL: Understand| CO: 2|Marks: 7]
- (b) Let  $R$  be a group of all real numbers under addition and  $R_+$  be a group of all positive real numbers under multiplication. Show that the mapping  $f : R \rightarrow R_+$  defined by  $f(x) = 2^x$  for all  $x \in R$  is an isomorphism.  
[BL: Apply| CO: 2|Marks: 7]

## MODULE – III

- (a) Write about discrete-random processes. How do they differ from continuous-random processes? Describe the key characteristics and components of discrete-random processes.  
[BL: Understand| CO: 3|Marks: 7]
- (b) Outline about conditional probability in terms of the probability of event B given event A, denoted as  $P(B|A)$ , and discuss how it can be calculated using the formula  $P(B|A) = P(A \cap B)/P(A)$ , where  $P(A \cap B)$  represents the probability of both events A and B occurring.  
[BL: Understand| CO: 3|Marks: 7]
- (a) Describe the essential components of Markov chains, including state spaces, transition probabilities, and the memoryless property with transition diagram.  
[BL: Understand| CO: 4|Marks: 7]
- (b) The record of weights of the male population follows the normal distribution. Its mean and standard deviations are 70 kg and 15 kg respectively. If a researcher considers the records of 50 males, then what would be the mean and standard deviation of the chosen sample? Using central limit theorem.  
[BL: Apply| CO: 4|Marks: 7]

## MODULE – IV

5. (a) Explore the principles behind next-bit predictors, which aim to forecast the value of the next bit in a data stream based on patterns and correlations observed in previous bits. [BL: Understand| CO: 5|Marks: 7]
- (b) Let  $C$  be a binary  $(5,3)$  code with generator matrix,  $G = \begin{bmatrix} 10110 & 11010 & 01001 \end{bmatrix}$
- Reduce  $G$  to standard form.
  - Find a parity-check matrix for  $C$ .
  - Write out the elements of the dual code  $C$  [BL: Apply| CO: 5|Marks: 7].
6. (a) Compare and contrast the error detection and correction capabilities of Hamming codes, Hadamard codes, and Goppa codes in the context of forward error correction. [BL: Understand| CO: 5|Marks: 7]
- (b) A binary symmetric channel has probability  $p = 0.05$  of incorrect transmission. If the code word  $c = 011\ 011\ 101$  is transmitted. What is the probability that
- We receive  $r = 011\ 111\ 101$
  - We receive  $r = 111\ 011\ 100$
  - A single error occurs
  - A double error occurs
  - A triple error occurs [BL: Apply| CO: 5|Marks: 7]

## MODULE – V

7. (a) Write the importance of pseudorandom number generation in various computational tasks, including simulations, cryptography, and randomized algorithms. Explain the different types used to generate pseudorandom numbers. [BL: Understand| CO: 6|Marks: 7]
- (b) Describe in detail about Blum blum shub bit generator. Find the first 8 bits for Blum blum shub bit generator when seed = 101355 and  $n = 192649$ . [BL: Understand| CO: 6|Marks: 7]
8. (a) Discuss in detail about random and pseudorandom generators with necessary diagrams and differentiate them. [BL: Understand| CO: 6|Marks: 7]
- (b) Show that A PRG  $G$  passes all polynomial time statistical tests if and only if it passes all polynomial time next-bit tests. [BL: Apply| CO: 6|Marks: 7]

