2008

APPLIED MATHEMATICS WITH OCEANOLOGY AND COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

(1st Semester Examination)

(Graph Theory)

PAPER-MA-1106

Full Marks: 25

Time: 1 hour

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers whenever necessary

1. Answer any five questions:

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- (a) Show that a graph is a tree if and only if it is minimally connected.
- (b) Show that a connected planar graph with n vertices can not have more than 3 n-6 edges.

- (c) Define radius and diameter of a graph. Draw a graph whose diameter is not equal to twice the radius.
- (d) Show that every tree is 2-chromatic.
- (e) Define cut-set and cut-vertex. Does the existence of a bridge imply the existence of a cut-vertex?
- (f) What is the incidence matrix of a simple graph? Give its two characteristics.
- (g) Define a regular digraph and a pendant vertex in a digraph. Provide examples.
- (h) Prove that a covering g of a graph is minimal if and only if g contains no path of length three or more.
- 2. Answer any two questions:

5 x 2

(a) Define a spanning tree and a circuit in a graph. If S be a cut-set, T be a spanning tree and Γ be a circuit in a graph G, show that $E(S \cap T) \neq \phi$ and $|E(S \cap \Gamma)|$ is an even number, where E(G) represents the edge set of G.

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- (b) Show that a graph has a dual only if it is planar.
- (c) State and prove five colour theorem.

[Internal Assessment — 5 Marks]