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Course : Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science

Date : November 7, 2014 Time : 08.45-10.30 hrs

## Motivate all your answers. The use of electronic devices is not allowed. A formula sheet is included.

In this exam:  $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \ldots\}.$ 

- 1. Let A and B be sets and let  $f:A\to B$  be a function. Give quantified expressions for the following statements.
  - (a) [3 pt] f is one-to-one.
  - (b) [3 pt] f is onto.
- [6 pt]
   Prove the validity of the following argument using the "Laws of Logic" and the "Rules of Inference".

$$\begin{array}{c} (p \to q) \to r \\ p \to (q \lor s) \\ \hline \therefore r \lor s \end{array}$$

- 3. Let A, B and C be sets in a universe  $\mathcal{U}$ .
  - (a) [4 pt] Prove that:  $(A\Delta B) \cap (B\Delta C) \subseteq A\Delta(B\cap C)$ .
  - (b) [2 pt] Show with a counterexample that the converse inclusion of part (a) is not necessarily true.
- 4. [6 pt] Prove with mathematical induction that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $2^{3n+1}-2$  is divisible by 7.
- 5. Let A, B and C be sets and let  $f: A \to B$  and  $g: B \to C$  be functions such that  $g \circ f$  is one-to-one.
  - (a) [4 pt] Prove that f is one-to-one.
  - (b) [2 pt] Show with a counterexample that g is not necessarily one-to-one.
- 6. Let  $A = \{2, 3, 8, 12, 18, 24, 36, 72\}$ ,  $B = \{18, 24, 36\}$  and let R be the relation on A given by: xRy if and only if y is divisible by x.
  - (a) [3 pt] Show that (A, R) is a poset.
  - (b) [3 pt] Construct a Hasse diagram for (A,R) and determine the least upper bound and greatest lower bound of B, if they exist. Is (A,R) a lattice?

Total: 36 points