## GRAPH THEORY AND COMBINATORICS (Common to CSE & ISE)

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## PART – A

**UNIT 1:** 

1. Introduction to Graph Theory: Definitions and Examples, Subgraphs, Complements, and Graph Isomorphism, Vertex Degree, Euler Trails and Circuits

7 Hours

## **UNIT 2:**

1. Introduction to Graph Theory *contd*.: Planar Graphs, Hamilton Paths and Cycles, Graph Colouring, and Chromatic Polynomials

## 6 Hours

## **UNIT 3:**

1. Trees: Definitions, Properties, and Examples, Routed Trees, Trees and Sorting, Weighted Trees and Prefix Codes

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#### UNIT 4:

1. Optimization and Matching: Dijkstra's Shortest Path Algorithm, Minimal Spanning Trees – The algorithms of Kruskal and Prim, Transport Networks – Max-flow, Min-cut Theorem, Matching Theory

7 Hours

PART – B

#### UNIT 5:

1. Fundamental Principles of Counting: The Rules of Sum and Product, Permutations, Combinations – The Binomial Theorem, Combinations with Repetition, The Catalon Numbers

#### 6 Hours

#### **UNIT 6:**

1. The Principle of Inclusion and Exclusion: The Principle of Inclusion and Exclusion, Generalizations of the Principle, Derangements – Nothing is in its Right Place, Rook Polynomials

#### 6 Hours

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## UNIT 7:

1. Generating Functions: Introductory Examples, Definition and Examples – Calculational Techniques, Partitions of Integers, The Exponential Generating Function, The Summation Operator

#### 7 Hours

#### **UNIT 8:**

1. Recurrence Relations: First Order Linear Recurrence Relation, The Second Order Linear Homogeneous Recurrence Relation with Constant Coefficients, The Non-homogeneous Recurrence Relation, The Method of Generating Functions

## 7 Hours

# **Text Book**

1. **Discrete** and Combinatorial Mathematics, Ralph P. Grimaldi, 5<sup>th</sup> Edition, PHI/Pearson Education, 2004.

(Chapter 11, Chapter 12.1 to 12.4, Chapter 13, Chapter 1, Chapter 8.1 to 8.4, Chapter 9 Chapter 10.1 to 10.4).

# **Reference Books**

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- 1. **Graph Theory** and Combinatorics, Dr. D.S. Chandrasekharaiah, Prism, 2005.
- 2. Introduction to Graph Theory, Chartrand Zhang, TMH, 2006.
- 3. Introductory Combinatorics, Richard A. Brualdi, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, Pearson Prentice

Hall, 2004.

4. **Graph Theory Modeling, Applications, and Algorithms**, Geir Agnarsson & Raymond Geenlaw, Pearson Prentice Hall, 2007.

# Note

The Question paper consists of two parts A and B containing 4 questions each. The student is required to answer any 5 questions selecting at least two questions from each part.