



College of Business Peace Leadership and Governance

CSC 201 DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: (3 HRS)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer all questions.

2. Total marks 100

Using laws of equivalence. Show that

$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow q$ is a tautology

$\neg(q \rightarrow p) \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv q$

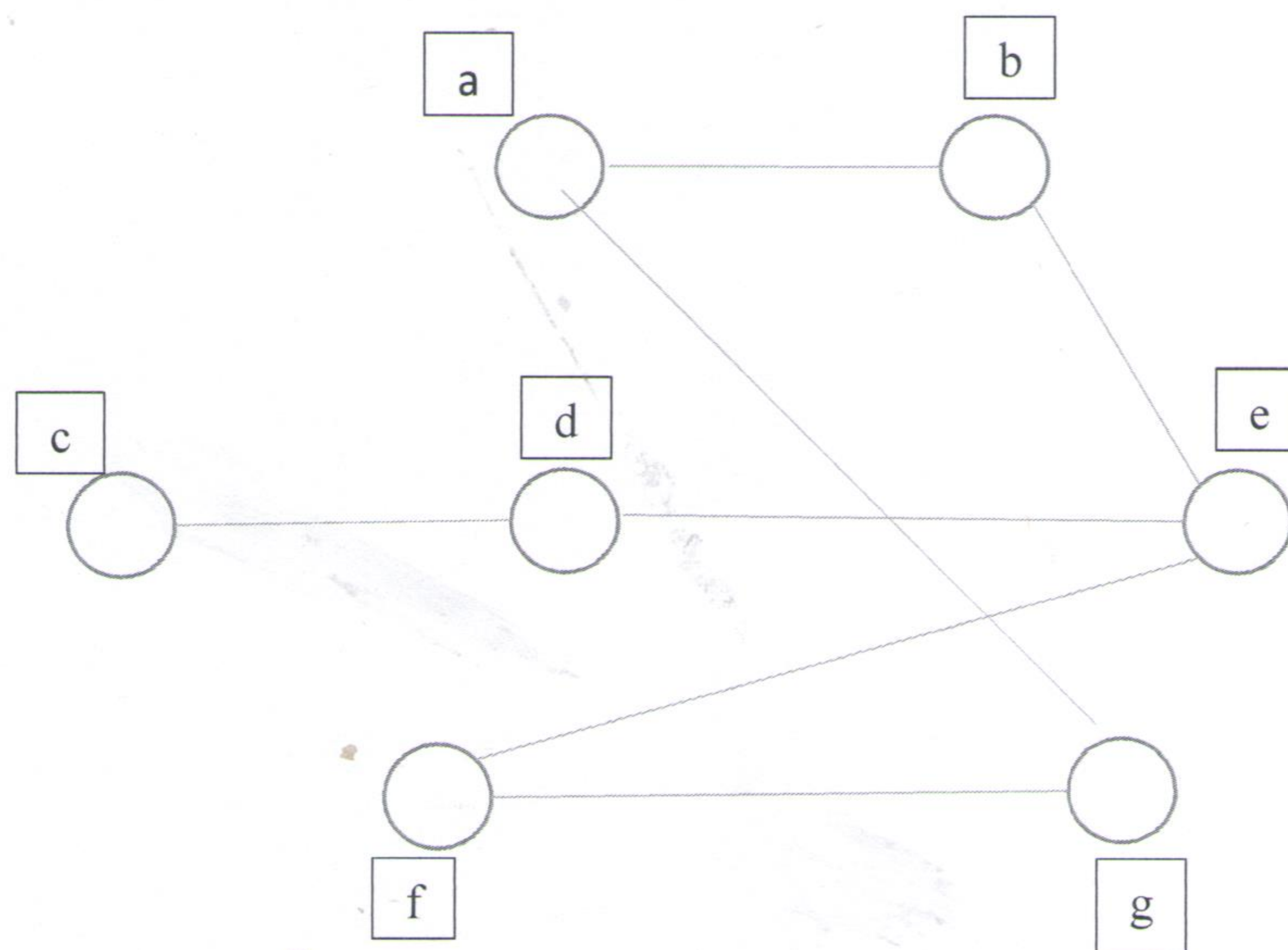
$\neg(p \leftrightarrow q) \equiv (p \leftrightarrow \neg q)$

$P \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$

(5 + 5 + 5 + 5 marks)

Question 2

Study the following graph



a) Represent the graph as:

- Adjacency matrix
- Adjacency list

(6 marks)

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b) What is the degree of the graph

(3 marks)

Question 3

- a) Write a recursive program to compute the Fibonacci sequence
- b) Write a program to determine whether a number is prime or not
- c) Write a recursive program that computes the factorial of the number n
- d) Write a program that finds the maximum of three numbers a , b and c

(5+5+5+5 marks)

Question 4

Suppose $a = 3880$ and $b = 7312$.

- (a) Express a and b as products of primes. (3 marks)
- (b) Find $\gcd(a, b)$ and $\text{lcm}(a, b)$. (3 marks)
- (c) Verify that $\text{lcm}(a, b) = |ab| / \gcd(a, b)$. (4 marks)

Question 5

Use the Euclidean algorithm to find the Greatest Common Divisor (gcd)

- a) $\gcd(12, 22)$.
- b) $\gcd(4411, 301)$.
- c) $\gcd(1001, 1331)$.
- d) $\gcd(12345, 54321)$.
- e) $\gcd(1000, 5040)$.
- f) $\gcd(7888, 4060)$. (20 marks)

g) Proof that: $(p \rightarrow r) \vee (q \rightarrow r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$

Using the truth table below

p	q	r	$p \rightarrow r$	$q \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow r) \vee (q \rightarrow r)$	$p \wedge q$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$
0	0	0					
0	0	1					
0	1	0					
0	1	1					
1	0	0					
1	0	1					
1	1	0					
1	1	1					

(15 marks)