



Beijing-Dublin International College



SEMESTER I FINAL EXAMINATION - 2017/2018

School of INSERT SCHOOL

BDIC2002J Discrete Mathematics

Time Allowed: 95 minutes

Instructions for Candidates

All questions carry equal marks. The distribution of marks in the right margin shown as a percentage gives an approximate indication of the relative importance of each part of the question.

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I have read and clearly understand the Examination Rules of both Beijing University of Technology and University College Dublin. I am aware of the Punishment for Violating the Rules of Beijing University of Technology and/or University College Dublin. I hereby promise to abide by the relevant rules and regulations by not giving or receiving any help during the exam. If caught violating the rules, I accept the punishment thereof.

Honesty Pledge: _____ **(Signature)**

Instructions for Invigilators

Non-programmable calculators are permitted.
No rough-work paper is to be provided for candidates.

The Full Score of All Items of the Exam Paper

Item	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Full
Full score	14	16	14	14	14	14	14	100

Obtained score

Question 1: Suppose that R is a reflexive relation on the set A . Suppose that for arbitrary $a, b, c \in A$, if $(a, b) \in R$, $(a, c) \in R$, then $(b, c) \in R$ holds.

Prove that R is an equivalence relation on A .

Obtained score

Question 2: A square number is defined to be the square of some integer (e.g. 1,4,9,16 are square numbers). Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 24, 25\}$ be the set of all positive integers no greater than 25. Let R be a relation on A , defined by

$(x, y) \in R$ iff xy is a square number.

- (1) Prove that R is an equivalence relation on A .
- (2) List all different equivalence classes (whose cardinality is greater than one) of elements of A .
- (3) Give the cardinality of A/R (don't have to show details)

Obtained score

Question 3: Compute the Principle Disjunctive Normal Form of

$$(P \wedge Q) \leftrightarrow R$$

Obtained score

Question 4: Compute the Prenex Normal Form of

$$\{\neg \exists x B(x) \vee \forall x [A(x) \rightarrow C(x, y)]\} \wedge \neg \forall y D(x, y)$$

Obtained score

Question 5: Let $G := \{(a, b) | a \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$. The operator $*$ is defined by $(a, b) * (c, d) = (ac, ad + b)$. Prove that $(G, *)$ is a group.

Obtained score

Question 6: Let $(G, *)$ be a group of order 50. Show that G has at least a subgroup of order 5.

Obtained score

Question 7: Prove that the complete bipartite graph $K_{3,3}$ is a non-planar graph.