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**cs330 – Discrete Structures**

Fall 2002

**Midterm**

Closed books/notes

**Starts:** 8:35 am**Ends:** 9:20 am**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ (please print)**ID:** \_\_\_\_\_

Problem	Max points	Your mark	Comments
1	10		10*1
2	8		8*1
3	5		
4	7		7*1
5	5		
6	15		5*3
<b>Total</b>	50		

1. Let  $A = \{\{a, b\}, \{\}\}$ . Decide whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F).

Statement	T/F
$a \in A$	
$\{a\} \subset A$	
$a \subset A$	
$\{a, b, \{\}\} \subset A$	
$\Phi \in A$	

Statement	T/F
$\Phi \subset A$	
$\{a\} \in \text{powerSet}(A)$	
A has three elements	
$\{\{a, b, \{\}\}\} \in A$	
$A \in A$	

2. Let  $Q(x, y)$  be the statement “ $x / y = 1$ ”. If the universe of discourse for both variables is the set of integers, what are the truth values (T/F) of the following?

Statement	T/F
$Q(1,1)$	
$\forall y Q(1,y)$	
$\exists x \exists y Q(x,y)$	
$\exists x \forall y Q(x,y)$	

Statement	T/F
$Q(0,1)$	
$\exists x Q(x,1)$	
$\forall x \exists y Q(x,y)$	
$\forall x \forall y Q(x,y)$	

3. Decide whether the following argument is valid or not: “If I play baseball, then I am sore. I use the swimming pool if I am sore. I did not use the swimming pool. Therefore, I did play baseball”.

4. Assume three sets,  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $B = \{a\}$ , and  $C = \{b, c, d, e\}$ . The universal set is  $U = \{a..z\}$  (the set of all lower case English alphabet letters). Calculate the following:

$A \cap C =$
$A - B =$
$A' =$
$(A \cap B)' =$
$(A \cup B)' =$
$A - (B - C) =$
$A - B' =$

5. Decide whether the relation represented by the matrix below is an equivalence relation or not. Explain.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 6.** Give a definition for:  
a) Relation

- b) Cartesian product of two sets

- c) Alphabet

- d) Implication



e) Syllogism

