DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

Final Examination (2013/01/14)

(You should show how to get your answers in detail or get no credit.)

- 1. [10%] Find the maximum length of a circuit in (a) K_8 (b) K_{2n} , $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.
- 2. [10%] Please give two examples of planar graphs and two examples of non-planar graphs. (Note that each of your four examples should contain at least 4 vertices and at least 4 edges, or you will get no credit.)
- [10%] Give an example of a connected graph that has (a) neither an Euler circuit nor a Hamilton cycle. (b) an Euler trail but no Hamilton cycle. (c) a Hamilton cycle but no Euler circuit. (d) both a Hamilton cycle and an Euler circuit. (<u>Note that each of your four examples should contain at least 5 vertices and at least 5 edges, or you will get no credit.</u>)
- 4. [10%] Find all the non-isomorphic complete bipartite graphs G = (V, E), where |V| = 7.
- 5. [10%] Determine whether or not each of the following sets of numbers is a ring under ordinary addition and multiplication. If not, explain why.
 - (a) R = the set of positive integers and zero
 - (b) $R = \{a + b\sqrt{3} + c\sqrt{5} \mid a \in Z; b, c \in Q\}$
- [10%] Let (F, +, ∘) be a field where F is a nonempty set and "+", "∘" are two binary operations on F. Please describe the eleven requirements the field must satisfy.
- 7. [10%] Find a simultaneous solution for the system of three congruences: (<u>Please</u> use Chinese Remainder Theorem or get no credit.) $X \equiv 4 \pmod{13}, X \equiv 5 \pmod{12}, X \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$
- 8. [10%] Prove that: A finite integral domain is a field.
- 9. [10%] Prove that: \mathbf{Z}_n is a field if and only if *n* is a prime.
- 10. [10%] Let G = (V, E) be a loop-free graph with $|V| = n \ge 2$. Prove that: If deg(x) $+ \text{deg}(y) \ge n 1$ for all $x, y \in V, x \ne y$, then G has a Hamilton path.