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THEORY OF COMPUTATION

(Computer Science)

Time: 3hrs

Max.Marks:75

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer all questions in Part A. Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART - A**5 × 5 Marks = 25**

- 1.a) Discuss in detail about regular expressions and closure properties of regular expressions. [5]
- b) Define push down automata? Write a note on acceptance of push down automata. [5]
- c) Define Turing machine? Explain its working principle with suitable diagram. [5]
- d) What is recursion theorem and write its applications? [5]
- e) Define P and NP problems and compare each other. [5]

PART - B**5 × 10 Marks = 50**

- 2.a) Define finite automata and explain its notations and mathematical representation.
- b) Design finite automata to recognize strings which do not consist of two consecutive b's. [5+5]

OR

- 3.a) State Pumping lemma for regular sets and prove it.
- b) Show that $L = \{a^p \mid p \text{ is prime}\}$. [5+5]

- 4.a) Define ambiguity grammar? Check the following grammar is ambiguity or not.
 $E \rightarrow E+E, E \rightarrow E^*E, E \rightarrow (E) E \rightarrow id$
- b) Design push down automata for $L = \{WcW^R \mid W \in \{a,b\}^*\}$. [5+5]

OR

- 5.a) Define Greibach Normal Form(GNF)? Write the procedure to convert the grammar to GNF.
- b) Convert the following grammar to GNF. [5+5]
 $S \rightarrow AB \quad A \rightarrow BS/b \quad B \rightarrow SA/a$

6. Design a Turing machine for $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 1\}$. [10]

OR

7. Explain Variants of Turing machines. [10]

8. Explain decision algorithms for regular languages and illustrate with examples. [10]

OR

- 9.a) Prove that halting problem of a Turing machine is undecidable.
- b) Explain Post Correspondence problem. [5+5]

- 10.a) Explain recursive and recursive enumerable languages and its properties. [5+5]
b) Explain Cook's theorem. [5+5]
- OR**
11. Define NP complete problem and show that vertex cover problem is NP complete problem. [10]

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