

**MCA**  
**(SEM IV) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18**  
**COMPILER DESIGN**

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 70

**Note:** Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.

**SECTION A**

- 1. Attempt all questions in brief. 2 x 7 = 14**
- a. What are the two parts of a compilation? Explain briefly.
  - b. Define symbol table.
  - c. List the phases that constitute the front end of a compiler.
  - d. Differentiate tokens, patterns, lexeme.
  - e. List the various error recovery strategies for a lexical analysis.
  - f. Briefly explain the concept of derivation.
  - g. Mention the types of LR parser.

**SECTION B**

- 2. Attempt any three of the following: 7 x 3 = 21**
- a. What is translator? Differentiate between compilation and interpretation.
  - b. Define DFA. Write an algorithm to convert NFA to DFA.
  - c. Check whether the following grammar is LL(1) grammar or not  
 $S \rightarrow iEtSS' / a$   
 $S \rightarrow eS / \epsilon$   
 $E \rightarrow b$
  - d. Make left and right derivation using top down parsing to drive a statement :  
 $W = id + (id) + id * id$  using following grammar :  
 $E \rightarrow E + E$   
 $E \rightarrow E * E$   
 $E \rightarrow (E)$   
 $E \rightarrow id$   
 Check whether the grammar is ambiguous for above statement.
  - e. Explain the working and algorithm of LR parsers.

**SECTION C**

- 3. Attempt any one part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7**
- (a) What is syntax directed translation schemes? Explain how they are used to make syntax trees.
  - (b) Create 3 address code for the following expression  
 $a + a * (b - c) * d$
- 4. Attempt any one part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7**
- (a) Define boot-strapping with the help of an example.
  - (b) What do you mean by operator precedence grammar? Compute the operator

precedence table for the given grammar.

$E \rightarrow E+T / T$

$T \rightarrow T * F / F$

$F \rightarrow (E) / id$

5. **Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

- (a) Describe syntax directed translation. Write the syntax directed translation for simple desk calculator and give annotated parse tree for the expression  $(7-2)*(8-1)$
- (b) Explain any two syntax-directed translation schemes.

6. **Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

- (a) What are different issues in code optimization? Explain it with proper example.
- (b) With the help of diagram explain the various phases of compiler and explain its functioning.

7. **Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

- (a) Explain the problems associated with top down parsing.
- (b) Write short notes on :
  - (i) Panic modes
  - (ii) Peep hole optimization