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M.C.A.

Theory Examination (Semester-IV) 2015-16

THEORY OF AUTOMATA AND FORMAL LANGUAGES

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

Note:- Attempt all questions.

1. Attempt any four of the following. (5×4 = 20)

- (a) State and prove Pumping Lemma for Regular Set.
- (b) What is the difference between Recursive and Recursive Enumerable Language?
- (c) Define NPC and NPH Class problem. What is the significance of NPC problem?
- (d) Give Church Turing Thesis.
- (e) Prove that Context Free Languages are closed

2. Attempt any four of the following. (5×4 = 20)

- (a) Explain Ambiguous Grammar with example.

- (b) Write short notes on Universal Turing Machine.
- (c) Explain Halting Turing Machine Problem.
- (d) Prove That DFA=NDFA.
- (e) Remove ϵ -production
 - i. $S \rightarrow AB$
 - ii. $A \rightarrow aAA|\epsilon$
 - iii. $B \rightarrow bBB|\epsilon$

3. Attempt any two of the following. (10 × 2 =20)

- (a) Show that $L=\{0^n \mid n \text{ is a positive integer and } n \text{ is not prime}\}$ is not regular by using Pumping Lemma. Also Prove $L=\{a^{2^n} \mid n \geq 1\}$ is regular.
- (b) Write a regular expression for the following language over the alphabet $\{a, b\}$ -
 “The set of all strings not containing **bab** as a substring”
- (c) Write short notes on Myhill-Nerode Theorem.

4. Attempt any two of the following. (10×2 =20)

- (a) Design a Turing Machine that can compute proper subtraction i.e. $m \text{ \$ } n$, where m and n are positive integers, $m \text{ \$ } n$ is defined as $m-n$ if $m > n$ and 0 if $m \leq n$.

- (b) Design a Turing Machine which recognize a string containing **aba** as a substring.
- (c) What do you understand by undecidable problem? State the Halting problem and prove that Halting problem is undecidable.

5. Attempt any two of the following. (10×2 =20)

(a) Explain MPCP. Does the following PCP has a solution?

i. $A = (10, 01, 0, 100, 1)$

ii. $B = (101, 100, 10, 0, 010)$

(b) Construct a PDA accepting the following language:

i. $\{a^i b^j c^k \mid i \neq j \text{ or } j \neq k\}$

(c) Prove that the language

i. $L = \{0^n \mid n \text{ is prime}\}$ Is not regular.