

VASAVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (Autonomous), HYDERABAD
B.E. (C.S.E.) III Year I-Semester Supplementary Examinations, May/June-2017

Automata, Languages and Computation

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

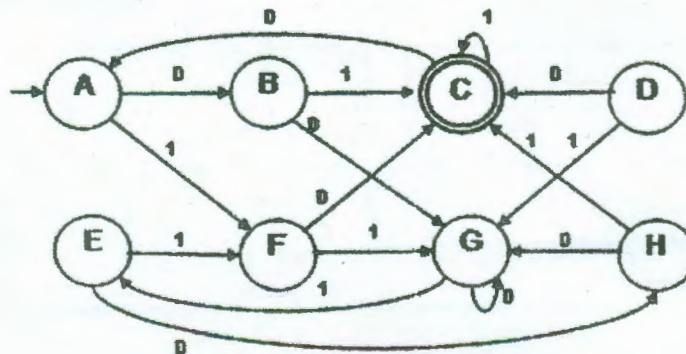
Note: Answer ALL questions in Part-A and any FIVE from Part-B

Part-A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

- Write the regular expression for the following languages.
 - Set of strings starting with 1 and ending with 10.
 - Set of strings with at most two 0's.
- Draw DFA for strings with a's and b's having three consecutive a's.
- State the pumping lemma for regular sets and its use.
- Identify the language generated by the following grammar.
 $S \rightarrow aA \mid bB$ $A \rightarrow b \mid bS$ $B \rightarrow a \mid Sa$
- Name the language accepted by empty stack. Justify.
- List the various forms of simplifying the context free grammar.
- What is restricted Turing machine?
- Define the language accepted by a Turing Machine.
- Compare class NP and NP-Complete problems.
- Define MPCP.

Part-B (5 × 10 = 50 Marks)

- Design DFA for set of all strings formed with 0's and 1's such that the number of 0's is twice the number of 1's. [5]
 - Define regular expression, build NFA for the given expression $(ab+b)^*ab$. [5]
- Define ambiguous grammar? Give suitable example for ambiguous grammar. [3]
 - Construct equivalent minimum state DFA for the given automata. Prove that the constructed DFA accepts the same language. [7]



- Convert the grammar to GNF. [5]
 $S \rightarrow AB$ $A \rightarrow BA / a$ $B \rightarrow SB / b$
 - Prove the equivalence of PDA and CFG. [5]

- 14. a) Design a Turing machine M to recognize the language $\{ ww^R / w \in (1+0)^* \}$. [6]
- b) Explain types of Turing Machines. [4]
- 15. a) Define Post's Correspondence problem, and state whether the following instance of PCP has a solution. $A = (110, 0011, 0110)$; $B = (110110, 00, 110)$ [5]
- b) Define the classes of P, NP Hard and NP Complete. [5]
- 16. a) Write the procedure for converting NFA to DFA. [5]
- b) State whether $L = \{ a^p / \text{where } p \text{ is prime} \}$ is regular or not. [5]
- 17. Write short notes on any *two* of the following: [5]
 - a) Chomsky Hierarchy of languages. [5]
 - b) Decision properties of CFL's. [5]
 - c) Recursive and recursively enumerable language. [5]

