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Semester End Examination II B. Tech- II Semester- AUGUST -2022 Formal Language and Automata Theory

Common to CSM, CSD

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

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Answer any 5 Questions out of 8 Questions from the following

Q.No	Question	Marks
1. a)	What is Automata Theory? Explain with example	7
b)	Design a DFA which accepts the strings starting with 'a' and ending with 'b' over $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$	7
2. a)	Construct NFA for $(0 + 1)^*010(0 + 1)^*$?	7
b)	Design a Moore Machine to determine the residue mod 4 for each binary string treated as integer?	7
3. a)	What are the applications of Regular Expressions?	7
b)	Simplify the Regular Expression - $\epsilon + 1^*(011)^*(1^*(011)^*)^*$	7
4. a)	Construct a finite Automaton to accept the regular expression $(0+1)^*(00+11)(0+1)^*$	7
b)	Show that the following grammar is ambiguous with respect to the string aaabbabbba. $S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$ $A \rightarrow aS \mid bAA \mid a$ $B \rightarrow bS \mid aBB \mid b$	7
5. a)	Convert the right linear grammar to left linear grammar $S \rightarrow bB$ $B \rightarrow bC$ $B \rightarrow aB$ $C \rightarrow a$ $B \rightarrow b$	7
b)	Design a Push Down Automaton for the language $L = \{a^n b^{2n} \mid n \geq 1\}$	7
6. a)	Prove that the Following Language is not Context free language $L = \{www \mid w \in \{a,b\}^*\}$.	7

6. b)	Optimize the CFG given below by reducing the grammar, S is the start symbol. S \rightarrow A 0C1 A \rightarrow B 01 10 C \rightarrow ϵ CD	7
7. a)	Construct a Turing machine to recognize the language $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$	7
b)	Explain about the Decidability of Post Correspondence Problem.	7
8. a)	Write the properties of recursive languages.	7
b)	Discuss briefly about decidability and undecidability problems?	7

