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End - Term Examinations – MAY 2025

Date: 27-05-2025

Time: 09:30 am – 12:30 pm

School: SOCSE	Program: B Tech	
Course Code: CSE2018	Course Name: Theory of Computation	
Semester: VI	Max Marks: 100	Weightage: 50%

CO - Levels	C01	C02	C03	C04
Marks	26	26	24	24

Instructions:

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.
- (ii) Do not write anything on the question paper other than roll number.

Part A

Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 2marks.

10Q x 2M=20M

1.	Explain hierarchy of Automata in terms of representation power	2 Marks	L2	C01
2.	Define language with an example.	2 Marks	L2	C01
3.	Explain reversal and length of the string with example	2 Marks	L2	C01
4.	State pumping lemma theorem for regular languages	2 Marks	L2	C02
5.	Define Context Free Grammar with example	2 Marks	L2	C02
6.	Differentiate NFA and DFA	2 Marks	L2	C02
7.	Define left recursion in grammar the suitable example	2 Marks	L2	C03
8.	Define Leftmost derivation and rightmost derivation	2 Marks	L2	C03
9.	Differentiate Turing machine and PDA	2 Marks	L2	C04
10.	Explain the 7 tuples of Turing machine	2 Marks	L2	C04

Part B

Answer the Questions.

Total Marks 80M

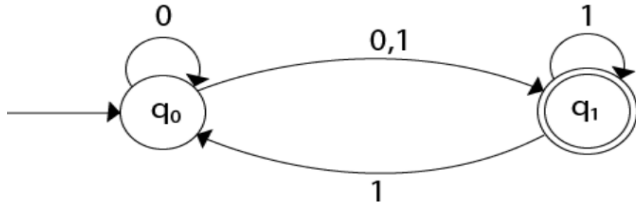
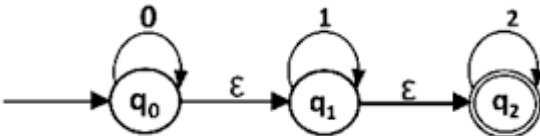
11.	a.	Let $L_1 = \{a, b, ab\}$ $L_2 = \{00, 11\}$ and $L_3 = \{x, xy, yx\}$, Find the following operations. 1. Concatenation of L_1L_2 . 2. $L_2 L_2^R$ 3. L_3^* 4. L_2^+ 5. L_3^3	10 Marks	L3	CO 1
	b.	List out the applications of 1. Finite Automata 2. Pushdown Automata 3. Turing Machine	10 Marks	L2	CO 1

Or

12.	a.	Let $L = \{a, b\}^2$ and $M = \{0, 1\}^2$. Generate the language X Such that string in $X = \{w/w \in LM\}$, show any three operations possible on the resultant language.	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
	b.	Explain about the following with examples. 1) Alphabet 2) Strings 3) Empty Strings 4) Length of the string 5) Concatenation of two strings	10 Marks	L2	CO 1

13.	a.	Convert the Regular Expression $(b + (ab))^* a$ into NFA with ϵ using Thompson's rule.	10 Marks	L3	CO 2
	b.	Construct DFA to accept the strings with a's and b's such that the string end with 'aab'.	10 Marks	L3	CO 2

Or

14.	a.	Convert the given NFA into its equivalent DFA. 	10 Marks	L3	CO 2
	b.	Convert the given NFA into its equivalent DFA. 	10 Marks	L3	CO 2

15.	a.	Consider the following grammar, $S \rightarrow aB \mid bA$ $A \rightarrow aS \mid bAA \mid a$	10 Marks	L3	CO 3
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		$B \rightarrow bS \mid aBB \mid b$ Find the Left most Derivation, Right most Derivation and Parse Tree for the string aabbabba.			
	b.	Minimize the given grammar $S \rightarrow ASB$ $A \rightarrow aAS \mid a \mid \epsilon$ $B \rightarrow SbS \mid A \mid bb$	10 Marks	L3	CO 3
Or					
16.	a.	Consider the following grammar, $E \rightarrow E+T \mid T$ $T \rightarrow T * F \mid F$ $F \rightarrow (E) \mid id$ Find the Left most Derivation, Right most Derivation and Parse Tree for the string $id + (id * id)$.	10 Marks	L3	CO 3
	b.	Prove using pumping Lemma that $L=\{a^n b^n / n > 0\}$ is regular or not	10 Marks	L3	CO 3
17.	a.	Design PDA for $L=\{a^n b^n / n > 0\}$ with empty stack design	10 Marks	L3	CO 3
	b.	Design a Turing Machine to perform the proper Subtraction of two unary numbers.	10 Marks	L3	CO 4
Or					
18.	a.	Design PDA for $L=\{PP^R / P \in (x,y)^+\}$ with final state acceptance	10 Marks	L3	CO 4
	b.	Design a Turing Machine to accept $L=\{2^n 3^n / n > 0\}$ and represent in all three forms	10 Marks	L3	CO 4