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Mid - Term Examinations – October 2025	
Date: 28-10-2025	Time: 11.00am to 12.30pm

School: SOE/SOCSE	Program: B .Tech Computer Science Technology Big Data	
Course Code: CBD3414	Course Name: GENERATIVE AI AND LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS	
Semester: VII	Max Marks:50	Weightage: 25%

CO - Levels	C01	C02	C03	C04
Marks	26	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. 5Q x 2M=10M

1	What is a Generative Model, and how does it differ from a Discriminative Model?	2 Marks	L1	C01
2	Define Embeddings in Machine Learning and state one of their uses.	2 Marks	L2	C01
3	What makes BERT embeddings different from Word2Vec embeddings?	2 Marks	L1	C01
4	Explain why monitoring and periodic retraining is important after deploying a fine-tuned model.	2 Marks	L2	C02
5	Mention two applications of GPT models.	2 Marks	L1	C02

**Part B**

**Answer the Questions.**

**Total Marks 40M**

<b>6.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Define Generative Artificial Intelligence. Explain the working principle of a generative model with examples.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L2</b>	<b>C01</b>
<b>Or</b>					
<b>7.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Describe different types of tokenization methods (word-level, sub word-level, and character-level) with suitable examples.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L2</b>	<b>C01</b>

<b>8.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Explain the concept of Word2Vec. Describe in detail the CBOW and Skip-Gram models with suitable examples.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L2</b>	<b>C01</b>
<b>Or</b>					
<b>9.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Explain the concept of Causal Language Modeling (CLM) and its importance in text generation models like GPT.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L4</b>	<b>C01</b>

<b>10.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Describe Encoder–Decoder Architecture and Working of Encoder Decoder Model.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L2</b>	<b>C02</b>
<b>Or</b>					
<b>11.</b>	<b>a.</b>	What is fine-tuning in Transformer models? Describe the design and stages of a fine-tuning pipeline for generative AI applications.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L3</b>	<b>C02</b>

<b>12.</b>	<b>a.</b>	What is Masked Token Prediction? Describe the masked token prediction method in detail, give the exact step-by-step training workflow with an example.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L3</b>	<b>C02</b>
<b>Or</b>					
<b>13.</b>	<b>a.</b>	Explain Decoder-Only Transformer Models. Describe their structure, working, and use cases in generative AI.	<b>10 Marks</b>	<b>L2</b>	<b>C02</b>