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**(SEM. IV) THEORY EXAM. 2014-15**  
**ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE**

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 100

**Note :** Attempt the questions as indicated.

**Q1.** Attempt any *four* questions from the following :  $5 \times 4 = 20$

- a) Define the terms - natural intelligence and artificial intelligence. How do you differentiate between the two?
- b) Write four properties a good system should possess for the knowledge representation in a particular domain.
- c) What is natural language processing?

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- d) State and explain the Branch-and-bound searching technique.
- e) Define and differentiate between weak and strong AI.
- f) Write down the foundation of AI.

**Q2.** Attempt any *four* questions from the following :  $5 \times 4 = 20$

- a) What is the difference between knowledge representation and knowledge acquisition?
- b) What do you mean by constraint satisfaction problem? Explain constraint satisfaction algorithm.
- c) Explain the effect of over-estimation and under-estimation on A\* algorithm.
- d) Explain AND-OR graph.
- e) Differentiate between simple hill climbing and steepest-ascent hill climbing algorithms.
- f) Discuss MIN-MAX algorithm for game playing.

**Q3.** Attempt any *two* questions from the following :  $10 \times 2 = 20$

a) Convert the following sentences to FOPL-

- Jack owns a dog
- Every dog owner is an animal lover.
- No animal lover kills an animal.
- Either Jack or Curiosity killed the cat, who is named Tuna.

Also prove by resolution – **Did curiosity kill the cat**

b) Using propositional linear resolution, show the following propositional sentence is unsatisfiable. Convert this sentence to clause form and derive the empty clause using resolution –

$$(P \vee Q \vee \neg R) \vee ((\neg R \vee Q \vee P) \Rightarrow (R \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg P)$$

c) What is Bayesian reasoning? What does a Bayesian network represent? Explain.

**Q4.** Attempt any *two* questions from the following : 10x2=20

a) What is machine learning? Differentiate between supervised, unsupervised and reinforcement learning.

- b) Explain how classification is done by using Bayes classifier.
- c) Explain the expectation and maximization (EM) algorithm for finding the maximum likelihood with hidden variables.

**Q5.** Attempt any *two* questions from the following :  $10 \times 2 = 20$

- a) With the help of a suitable diagram, explain the classification process in a pattern recognition system.
- b) To which category of clustering schemes does the k-means algorithm belong? What is its major advantage? Which are the factors that influence the computation duration of this algorithm?
- c) Write short notes on the following :
  - i) Computer vision
  - ii) Control strategy
  - iii) Alpha-beta pruning