

MCA (Revised)

Term-End Examination

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MCSE-003 : ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND
KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT*Time : 3 hours**Maximum Marks : 100**Note : Question number 1 is compulsory. Attempt any three questions from the rest.*

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1. (a) Transform the following into Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF) : 5
 $\sim (C \rightarrow D) \vee (C \wedge D)$
- (b) Determine the output on execution of the function given below, when $n = 5$. Write the intermediate results of each step while calculating the result also. 5
 (defun func (n)
 (cond ((zerop n) -1)
 (t
 (*(- 0 n)
 func (- n 1)))
)))
- (c) Give conceptual dependency representation of the sentence given as follows : 5
 "Mohan will eat Dosa from the plate with fork and knife"
- (d) With the help of a suitable example, describe the "member" function of PROLOG. How the same can be used to perform recursive search of a data in a list ? 5

- (e) Transform the following formula into Prenex Normal form. 5
- $$(\forall_x) (\forall_y) ((\exists_z) Q(x, y, z) \wedge ((\exists_u) R(x, u) \rightarrow (\exists_v) R(y, v)))$$
- (f) Briefly discuss, the “Turing Test” along with its significance. 5
- (g) Transform the following conceptual graph into FOPL statement : 5
- [PERSON : Anita] ← (AGENT) ← [DRINK]
 → (OBJECT) → [FOOD : MILK]
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 (Instrument Glass)
- (h) What are Agents ? Briefly discuss the properties of agents. 5
2. (a) Discuss Truth Maintenance System (TMS), with the help of a suitable diagram. 4
- (b) Under what conditions would it make sense to use both forward and backward chaining ? Give an example where both of these are used. 6
- (c) Explain the term “Knowledge” with respect to a Knowledge Base System. How “Knowledge” differs from “Intelligence” ? Distinguish between procedural and declarative knowledge, while citing an example for each. 10

3. (a) Write short notes on the following : **10**
(i) AO* Algorithm
(ii) Reasoning techniques and its types
- (b) Explain any two of the following logic concepts, using suitable examples : **5**
(i) Modus Tollens
(ii) Satisfiable statement
(iii) Resolution principle in proposition logic
- (c) Machines can be made intelligent artificially but ultimately persons make the machines. So, who is more intelligent - the artificial machine or the person ? Justify your answer. **5**
4. (a) Briefly discuss Data Structures and Data Values in LISP. **5**
- (b) Briefly discuss "Default Reasoning Systems" as a mechanism of handling incompleteness of a Knowledge Base. **5**
- (c) What is an Expert System ? Explain the architecture of Expert System. Create an Expert System to infer whether a student has secured excellent, good, average or poor marks in his/her exams. **10**
5. (a) Compare and contrast precisely the following pair of terms : **10**
(i) BFS and Heuristic Search
(ii) Conceptual graph and Conceptual Dependency
(iii) Associative Network and Semantic Network
(iv) Abductive inference and Analogical inference
(v) Knowledge and information

- (b) Write DFS algorithm and use it, to search the Goal node $\textcircled{\textcircled{G}}$ in the tree given as follows : 10

