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Sixth Semester
Computer Science and Engineering
CS 1351 – ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
(Regulations 2008)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions

PART – A

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. Give an example of a problem for which breadth-first-search would work better than depth-first-search.
2. Define intelligent agent with an example.
3. What are the disadvantages of the Best-First Search technique ?
4. How can you calculate minmax value for games that include an element of chance ?
5. Decide whether the following sentence is valid, unsatisfiable or neither :
Smoke \Rightarrow Heat.
6. Represent the following sentence in first-order logic : No person buys an expensive policy.
7. State explanation based learning with an example.
8. What is inductive learning ?
9. How are machine translation systems implemented ?
10. What do you mean by Grammar induction ?

PART – B

(5×16=80 Marks)

11. a) i) Distinguish an agent of AI and non AI program. **(8)**
ii) Explain tree search algorithm in detail. **(8)**

(OR)



- b) i) Write short notes on the following Depth First Search and breath first search. (8)
- ii) Write short notes on Iterative deepening depth first search. (8)
12. a) How will you Solve n-Queens problem using backtracking method ? Explain the algorithm and draw the state space tree that is generated. (16)
- (OR)
- b) Explain the various refinements added to improve the performance of minmax procedure. Illustrate with an example. (16)
13. a) Illustrate the use of first-order-logic to represent the knowledge. (16)
- (OR)
- b) Elaborate the Forward and Backward chaining. (16)
14. a) In the recursive construction of decision trees, it sometimes happens that a mixed set of positive and negative examples remains at a leaf node, even after all the attributes have been used. Suppose that we have p positive example and n negative examples, show that the class probability $p/(p + n)$ minimizes the sum of squared errors. (16)
- (OR)
- b) Suppose that a training set contains only a single example, repealed 100 times. In 80 of the 100 cases, the single output values is 1; in the other 20 it is 0. What will be a back propagation network predict for this example, assuming that it has been trained and reaches a global optimum ? (16)
15. a) i) For the following sentence, explain the processes involved in communication. (10)
- “I feel a breeze”.
- ii) Explain top-down parsing and bottom-up parsing in syntactic analysis. (6)
- (OR)
- b) i) What are the characteristics of Information Retrieval ? How do Bayes rules apply to IR systems ? (8)
- ii) Give details about machine translation. (8)
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