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## FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

## Third Semester M.Sc Computer Science Degree Examination, November 2024 MCS3C01 – Advanced Database Management System

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours Max. Weightage: 30

## PART A

## Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 2 weightage

- 1. What is an RDBMS? What are its advantages?
- 2. Write a note on database languages.
- 3. What is a recoverable schedule?
- 4. What is an ER data model? Give an example.
- With a suitable example define transitive dependency.
- 6. What is a distributed database? Give examples.
- 7. What is a semi structured database?

(4x2 = 8 weightage)

# PART B Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 3 weightage

- 8. What are the characteristics of database systems? Explain.
- 9. Briefly describe the three schema architecture of database systems.
- 10. Explain the concepts of stored programming in database systems.
- 11. Briefly explain various data models.
- 12. Briefly describe the concept of functional dependencies in relational databases.
- 13. Write on two phase locking protocol as a concurrency control scheme.
- 14. Briefly describe the motivation behind distributed databases.

(4x3 = 12 weightage)

# Part C Answer any 2 questions. Each question carries 5 weightage

- 15. Explain relational algebra and relational calculus. What is the expressive power of algebra and calculus?
- 16. With suitable examples, explain various normal forms in database design.
- 17. Explain in detail the concept of transaction management in RDBMS.
- 18. What is an OODBMS? Explain its need, advantages and drawbacks.

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## FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

# Third Semester M.Sc Computer Science Degree Examination, November 2024

## MCS3C02 - Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours Max. Weightage: 30

# PART A Answer any four questions. Each question carries two weightage

- 1. What is meant by problem reduction? Explain.
- 2. What is the Turing test? Explain its importance in AI.
- 3. Distinguish Informed searching and Uninformed searching. Give examples.
- 4. Illustrate forward and backward reasoning.
- 5. What do you understand about Alpha-beta cut-offs?
- 6. Give any four characteristics of expert systems.
- 7. What is reinforcement learning? Give an application.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

#### PART B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries three weightage

- 8. Explain any four applications and characteristics of AI problems.
- 9. Write note on Logical equivalences in propositional logic.
- 10. With suitable examples explain Depth First Search and Breadth First Search algorithms.
- 11. Illustrate advantages of predicate logic over propositional logic.
- 12. Demonstrate any four inference rules with examples.
- 13. Explain minimax search procedure.
- 14. Write notes on:
  - a. semantic nets,
  - b. frames and scripts.

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#### PART C

## Answer any two questions. Each question carries five weightage.

- 15. Give the state space representation for 8-tile problem. Explain its importance in solving AI problems.
- 16. With a suitable diagram, explain the expert system development life cycle.
- 17. Solve the given problems:
  - i. Use constraint satisfaction

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ii. Use propositional logic:

Statements:

- b. If it is raining, then the ground is wet.
- c. If the sun is shining, then it is not raining.
- d. The ground is not wet.

Conclusion:

Determine whether the sun is shining.

- 18. Write notes on the following
  - i. Supervised learning
  - ii. Unsupervised learning
  - iii. Deep learning.
  - iv. Artificial neural network.
  - v. Rote learning

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### FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

## Third Semester M.Sc Computer Science Degree Examination, November 2024 MCS3C03 – Object Oriented Programming Concepts

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 30

#### PART A

### Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 2 weightage

- 1. Represent Primitive Data Types in Java.
- 2. "Bytecode in Java is a set of instructions for the JVM". Comment on it.
- 3. What is the importance of 'new' operator in OOP?
- Find the average of N positive integers, raising a user defined exception for each negative input.
- 5. Name and explain any four GUI components.
- 6. Mention any two types of Scripting Elements.
- 7. Define UML?

(4x2 = 8 weightage)

#### PART B

#### Answer any four questions. Each question carries 3 weightage

- 8. Explain about Objects, Attributes and Methods with examples.
- 9. Distinguish between WHILE & DO WHILE control structures.
- 10. Can a class have different Constructors? Explain.
- 11. How Multiple Inheritance is implementing in Java?
- 12. Explain about Byte Streams and Character Streams.
- 13. Differentiate between directive and action elements in JSP.
- 14. Discuss about Activity Diagrams.

(4x3 = 12 weightage)

#### Part C

#### Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage

- 15. Describe about Dynamic Method Dispatch.
- 16. Neatly present Thread life cycle.
- 17. Summarize InetAddress and URL in Java Networking.
- 18. Write notes on:
  - (a) Deployment Diagrams
- (b) State Diagrams

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### FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

## Third Semester M.Sc Computer Science Degree Examination, November 2024 MCS3E01(b)—Introduction to soft computing

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

#### PART A

Questions 1 to 7. Answer any four. Each question carries two weightage.

- 1. What is classification?
- 2. What do you mean by discriminant functions?
- 3. List the GA operators.
- 4. What are the four primary premises of Genetic Algorithm?
- 5. What do you mean by feed forward network?
- 6. Differentiate Crisp relations and Fuzzy relations.
- 7. What is the analogy between music and optimization that is applied in Harmonic search?

#### PART B

## Questions 8 to 14. Answer any four. Each question carries three weightage

- 8. Differentiate two category classification and minimum error rate classification.
- 9. Explain how genetic algorithm works, with the help of a flowchart.
- 10. Explain the Perceptron learning mechanism.
- 11. What are the applications of fuzzy logic, illustrate.
- 12. What do you mean by Hopfield networks.
- 13. Explain briefly Swarm Intelligence.
- 14. Explain different evolutionary computing strategies.

#### PART C

## Questions 15 to 18. Answer any two. Each question carries five weightage

- 15. Explain Bayes decision theory with an example.
- 16. Explain the different artificial neural network architectures.

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18. Describe. (a) Support Vector Machines. (b). Evolutionary Algorithms.



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### FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

# Third Semester M.Sc Computer Science Degree Examination, November 2024 MCS3E02(f)— Data ware housing and Data Mining

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage: 30

#### PART A

### Answer any Four (4) questions. Each question carries 2 weightage

- 1. How is a data warehouse different from a database? How are they similar?
- 2. Define a Data Warehouse. Discuss the role of a Data Warehouse in Data Mining.
- 3. What are Data Scrubbing Tools and Data Auditing Tools?
- 4. Expand Market Basket Analysis.
- 5. Recall various process steps in association rule mining.
- 6. What is a measure? Explain various types of measures in data cube.
- 7. Define the concept of Spatial Mining.

#### PART B

### Answer any Four (4) questions. Each question carries 3 weightage

- 8. List and explain various OLAP operations.
- 9. Define the following
  - a. Multi-dimensional Data Models
  - b. Data Cubes, and Lattice of a Cuboid
- 10. Identify and explain various strategies for Data Transformation.
- Describe the Constraint-Based Frequent Pattern Mining strategy and list various constraints.
- 12. Summarize various techniques to improve the efficiency of Apriori-based mining.
- 13. Elaborate on the associative classification and the steps involved.
- Explain Density-based and Grid-based methods of clustering with their characteristics.

# PART C Answer any Two (2) questions. Each question carries 5 weightage

- 15. Illustrate the architecture of the Data Mining system with a neat block diagram.
- Define Missing values. Elaborate on various methods of filling in the missing values for attributes in data preprocessing.
- 17. Define Support and Confidence.

| Transaction No. | Item                                 |
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| 1               | Tea, Cake, Cold Drink                |
| 2               | Tea, Coffee, Cold Drink              |
| . 3             | Eggs, Tea, Cold Drink                |
| 4               | Cake, Milk, Eggs                     |
| 5               | Cake, Coffee, Cold Drink, Milk, Eggs |

- (a) Calculate the support that a person buys Tea, also buy Cold Drink.
- (b) Calculate the confidence that if a person buy Tea, also buy cake.
- 18. Recollect various requirements of clustering in data mining.