

MCA 3rd Semester Current Scheme with new notes  
Maximum Marks Scheme 80  
Examination, December-2015

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND EXPERT SYSTEM  
Paper-MCA-303

*Time allowed : 3 hours] [Maximum marks : 80*

*Note : Question No. 1 is compulsory. Attempt four more questions selecting one question from each unit.*

1. Answer the following questions briefly :
- (a) Explain role of AI in an expert system.
  - (b) Discuss two major applications of PROLOG.
  - (c) Explain two advantages of fuzzy logic.
  - (d) Discuss fuzzy expert system briefly.
  - (e) Explain knowledge engineer.
  - (f) Define semantic net.
  - (g) Write the use and advantages of problem solving with AI.
  - (h) Explain artificial neural network. 8×2=16

**Unit-I**

2. (a) Define best first search ? How is it useful and used?  
Discuss its applications with examples. 8
- (b) Discuss problem reduction process with an example. 8

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3. Explain the following briefly with suitable examples :

- (i) Problem characteristics
- (ii) Knowledge role in expert systems
- (iii) Hill climbing
- (iv) Expert system applications. 4 each

**Unit-II**

4. (a) What is inference engine ? How is it useful and used ? Explain with an example. 8

(b) Discuss formal logic with suitable examples. 8

5. Describe the following with examples :

- (i) Cognitive behaviour
- (ii) Knowledge representation
- (iii) Prototype construction
- (iv) Problem selection. 4 each

**Unit-III**

6. (a) What is fuzzy controller ? How is it used and useful ? Explain with examples. 8

(b) Discuss applications of biological neural networks with examples. 8

7. Explain the following with examples :

- (i) Differentiate between fuzzy logic and fuzzy subset
- (ii) Learning in neural networks. 8 each

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**Unit-IV**

8. (a) What are string operations ? How these are used and useful in PROLOG ? Discuss with examples. 8

(b) What is recursion ? Discuss its advantages through PROLOG code segments. 8

9. Explain the following with PROLOG code segments :

(i) File operations

(ii) Input predicates

(iii) Arithmetic operations

(iv) Fail and cut predicates 4 each

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