

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**BE- SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2020**

Subject Code: 2160704

Date: 27/01/2021

Subject Name: Theory of Computation

Time: 02:00 PM TO 04:00 PM

Total Marks: 56

Instructions:

1. Attempt any FOUR questions out of EIGHT questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**Q.1 (a)** Discuss Recursive definition. Also define the language L defined by the following recursive definition over  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ : **03**

 $\epsilon \in L$ ;For every  $x \in L$ ,  $xa$ ,  $bx$ , and  $abx$  are in L;

Nothing else is in L.

**(b)** Let relation  $R = \{(a,b) : a + b = 10 \text{ and } a, b \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . Decide whether R is an equivalence relation or not. Justify your answer with proper reason. **04**

**(c)** Using the principle of mathematical induction, for all  $n > 0$ , prove that, **07**

$$1 \times 2 + 3 \times 4 + 5 \times 6 + \dots + (2n - 1) \times 2n = \frac{n(n+1)(4n-1)}{3}$$

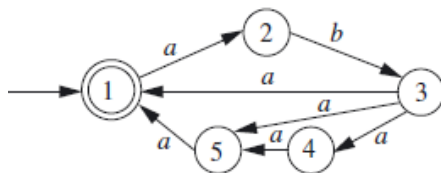
**Q.2 (a)** Write regular expressions for the following languages defined over  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$ : **03**

**(i)** The language of all the strings that do not end with 01.**(ii)** The language of all the strings containing even number of 0's and even number of 1's.

**(b)** Draw DFA for the following languages defined over  $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ : **04**

**(i)** The language of all the strings with next-to-last symbol is a.**(ii)** The language of all the strings containing substring bba.

**(c)** Convert the following NFA into its equivalent DFA using the subset construction. **07**



**Q.3 (a)** Prove that the context-free languages are closed under union. **03**

**(b)** For the following CFG, find out two left most derivations for the string "aaabb" and also draw the corresponding parse trees. **04**

 $S \rightarrow XY$  $X \rightarrow XX \mid a$  $Y \rightarrow YY \mid b$ 

**(c)** Define CNF. Also convert the following CFG into its equivalent CNF. **07**

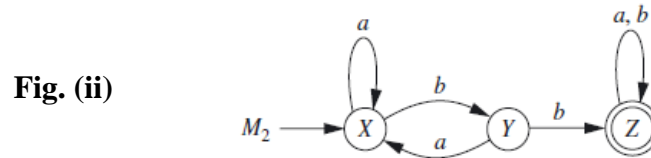
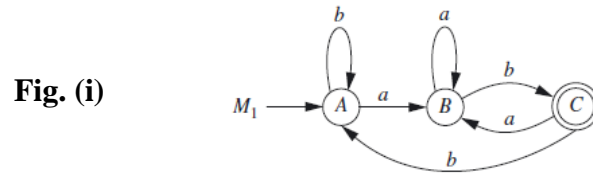
 $S \rightarrow aX \mid Y \mid bab$  $X \rightarrow \epsilon \mid Y$  $Y \rightarrow bb \mid bXb$ 

**Q.4 (a)** What language over  $\{a, b\}^*$  does the CFG with productions **03**

 $S \rightarrow aT \mid bT$  $T \rightarrow aS \mid bS \mid \epsilon$ 

generate? Prove your answer.

- (b) Let  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  be the FAs pictured in Fig. (i) and Fig. (ii) accept the languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , respectively. **04**



Draw FAs accepting the following languages:

- (i)  $L_1 \cup L_2$   
 (ii)  $L'_2$   
 (c) Find context-free grammar generating the languages below. **07**  
 (i)  $\{a^i b^j c^k \mid j = i \text{ or } j = k\}$   
 (ii)  $\{a^i b^j c^k \mid j \neq i + k\}$

- Q.5** (a) Define - A Pushdown Automaton and acceptance by a PDA. **03**  
 (b) Convert the CFG with following productions into its equivalent PDA. **04**  
 $S \rightarrow [S] \mid SS \mid \wedge$   
 (c) Design a PDA to accept  $L = \{wcw^R \mid w \in (a,b)^*\}$ . **07**
- Q.6** (a) Discuss pumping lemma for context free languages. **03**  
 (b) Define bijection. Decide and justify whether the function  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  defined by  $f(n) = n^2$  is bijection or not. **04**  
 (c) Design a PDA to accept  $L = \{xcy \mid x, y \in (a,b)^* \text{ and } |x| = |y|\}$ . **07**
- Q.7** (a) Discuss - recursively enumerable languages. **03**  
 (b) Discuss - universal Turing machine. **04**  
 (c) Draw Turing machine for  $L = \{xx \mid x \in \{a, b\}^*\}$ . Also trace out the same on input string aba. **07**
- Q.8** (a) Discuss chomsky hierarchy. **03**  
 (b) Discuss primitive recursive function using proper example. **04**  
 (c) Draw Turing machine to accept language  $L = \{x \in \{a, b\}^* \mid x \text{ ends with aba}\}$ . **07**  
 Also trace out the same on input string aba.

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