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# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

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## August 2024 Supplementary Examinations

**Programme: B E**

**Branch: Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning**

**Course Code: 20AM4PCIAI**

**Course: Introduction to Artificial Intelligence**

**Semester: IV**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

### UNIT - I

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|---|----|---|----|
| 1 | a) | Define Artificial Intelligence and mention its applications.              | 4  |
|   | b) | Write an algorithm for uniform cost search with an example.               | 6  |
|   | c) | Discuss the production rules for solving the water-jug problem using BFS. | 10 |

### UNIT - II

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|---|----|--|---|
| 2 | a) | Write an algorithm for simple Hill Climbing and list its limitations.  | 7 |
|   | b) | Describe the cryptarithmic problem of eliminating possibilities. Apply the same to solve the following example.<br>USA + USSR = PEACE. | 7 |
|   | c) | Explain problem reduction with respect to AND-OR graph.  | 6 |

### OR

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| 3 | a) | Implement AO* search algorithm with an example.              | 12 |
|   | b) | Apply means-end analysis on a simple household robot domain. | 8  |

### UNIT - III

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| 4 | a) | Describe the issues of knowledge representation. | 6 |
|   | b) | Consider the following predicates:               | 6 |

Man(Marcus)

Pompeian(Marcus)

Born(Marcus, 40)

$\forall x: man(x) \rightarrow mortal(x)$

**Important Note:** Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

$\forall x: pompeian(x) \rightarrow died(x, 79)$

Erupted(volcano,79)

$\forall x: \forall t1: \forall t2: mortal(x) \Delta born(x, t1) \Delta gt(t2 - t1, 150)$   
 $\rightarrow dead(x, t2)$

Now=1991

$\forall x: \forall tL[alive(x, t) \rightarrow \sim dead(x, t)] \Delta [\sim dead(x, t) \rightarrow alive(x, t)]$

$\forall x: \forall t1: \forall t2: dead(x, t1) \Delta gt(t2, t1) \rightarrow dead(x, t2)$

Prove that:  $\sim alive(Marcus, now)$

- c) Explain semantic knowledge and ontology-based representation with an example. **8**

**OR**

- 5 a) Differentiate forward chaining and backward chaining used in logical inference algorithms. **8**
- b) With an illustration, explain the process of converting well-formed formulas to clause form. **8**
- c) Differentiate between procedural and declarative knowledge. **4**

#### **UNIT - IV**

- 6 a) Describe the uncertain knowledge in AI with an example. How to handle them? **5**
- b) State and explain Baye's rule in combining evidences with an example. **7**
- c) Outline the steps on how to construct a Bayesian network in such a way that the resulting joint distribution is a good representation of a given domain, with an example. **8**

#### **UNIT-V**

- 7 a) Define expert systems. Why is an expert system needed? **6**
- b) Explain the application of EMYCIN with an example. **6**
- c) Explain the EMYCIN rule from the SACON expert systems. **8**

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