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Civil Engineering

15UEE976 - APPLIED SOFT COMPUTING

(Common to CSE, ECE, MECH, EIE ,IT and Chemical Engineering branches)

(Regulation 2015)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

- Which AI system will work for you to find information on the internet? CO1- R
(a) Intelligent agent (b) Neural network
(c) Genetic algorithm (d) Expert system
- Semantic Networks is CO1- R
(a) A way of representing knowledge (b) Data Structure
(c) Data Type (d) None of the mentioned
- Artificial neural network used for CO2- R
(a) Pattern recognition (b) Classification (c) Clustering (d) All of these
- Which of the following is not the promise of artificial neural network? CO2- R
(a) It can explain result (b) It can survive the failure of some nodes
(c) It has inherent parallelism (d) It can handle noise
- Where are Genetic Algorithms applicable? CO3- R
(a) Real time application (b) Biology (c) Artificial Life (d) All the above
- Which approach is most suited to complex problems with significant uncertainty, a need for experimentation, and time compression? CO3- R
(a) Simulation (b) Optimization (c) Human intuition (d) Genetic algorithms

7. The values of the set membership is represented by CO4- R
 (a) Discrete Set (b) Degree of truth (c) Probabilities (d) Both b & c
8. There are also other operators, more linguistic in nature, called CO4- R
 _____ that can be applied to fuzzy set theory.
 (a) Hedges (b) Lingual Variable (c) Fuzz Variable (d) None of the mentioned
9. Fuzzy logic controllers are based on _____ CO5- R
 (a) Heuristics (b) Linear variables (c) Non-linear variables (d) None of the above
10. Weighted average method is valid for _____ output MF only. CO5-R
 (a) Asymmetric (b) Symmetric (c) Both (d) None of the above

PART – B (5 x 2= 10 Marks)

11. List the various types of soft computing technique. CO1- R
12. Summarize merits and demerits of Back Propagation Algorithm. CO2-U
13. List the application of genetic algorithm. CO3- U
14. Differentiate fuzzification and defuzzification. CO4- U
15. List the different selection mechanism in genetic algorithm. CO5- U

PART – C (5 x 16= 80 Marks)

16. (a) Explain in detail about the artificial intelligence approach for knowledge representations. CO1- U (16)
- Or
- (b) Describe in detail about the approaches for intelligent control architecture. CO1- U (16)
17. (a) Demonstrate OR function using Hebb net with Bipolar inputs and targets. CO2-Ana (16)
- Or
- (b) Demonstrate error back propagation training algorithm with the help of a flowchart. CO2-Ana (16)
18. (a) Explain the genetic algorithm for optimization problem CO3- U (16)
- Or
- (b) Describe the Ant Colony optimization technique with flow chart. CO3- U (16)

19. (a) Develop Fuzzy Inference System(FIS) using rule based components also illustrate Mamdani FIS. CO4- App (16)

Or

(b) Analyze the different methods of defuzzification with an example. CO4- Ana (16)

20. (a) Apply genetic algorithm to find the optimal Capacitor placement in distribution systems CO5- App (16)

Or

(b) Briefly explain the neural network toolbox in MATLAB. CO5- App (16)

