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**Formal Language and Automata Theory**

Full Marks : 100

Time : Three hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.*

*Answer any five questions.*

1. a) Consider the grammar  $S \rightarrow 0S0 \mid 1S1 \mid SS \mid \epsilon$ . Given the string 0101101110, find a leftmost derivation and a rightmost derivation with corresponding parse trees. 6
- b) Show that  $S \rightarrow SaS \mid b$  is ambiguous. Construct an unambiguous equivalent of the grammar. 6
- c) Convert the following grammar to Greibach Normal Form:  
 $S \rightarrow SS \mid 0S1 \mid 01$ . 8
2. Define a Push Down Automata. What is Acceptance by Empty Stack and Acceptance by Final State? Design a PDA for  $L = \{a^n b^n \mid n \geq 1\}$ . 4+6+10
3. a) Given the grammar  $S \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow a, B \rightarrow C \mid b, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow a$ , find an equivalent grammar which is reduced and has no unit productions. 10
- b) Briefly explain the Closure Properties of Regular Languages. 10
4. a) Construct a NFA accepting  $\{ab, ba\}$ . Convert the NFA to DFA. 15
- b) Say  $L = \{\text{Any binary number ending with } 0\}$ . Find the Regular Expression and Regular Grammar for this language. 5
5. a) Consider the grammar G given by  
 $S \rightarrow 0SA2 \mid 012, 2A \rightarrow A2, 1A \rightarrow 11$ . Test whether  
i)  $00112 \in L(G)$ ?  
ii)  $001122 \in L(G)$ ? 5
- b) Explain with an example Minimization of a Finite Automata 10

c) Define a Grammar. Give example of a Regular Grammar.

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6. Write short notes on (Any Two)

10+10=20

a) Chomsky Hierarchy

b) Turing Machine

c) Pumping Lemma

