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**B.TECH. SEMESTER VI [CE\IT]**

**SUBJECT: (CT614) THEORY OF AUTOMATA AND FORMAL LANGUAGES**

**Examination : Second Sessional**

**Seat No. : \_\_\_\_\_**

**Date : 19/02/2016**

**Day : Friday**

**Time : 12.30 to 1.45**

**Max. Marks : 36**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Figures to the right indicate maximum marks for that question.
2. The symbols used carry their usual meanings.
3. Assume suitable data, if required & mention them clearly.
4. Draw neat sketches wherever necessary.

**Q.1 Do as directed.**

- (a) Using distinguishable string property, find out equivalence classes for  $(0+1)^*0(0+1)$ . [2]
- (b) Suppose  $L \subseteq \Sigma^*$  is a regular language. If every FA accepting L has at least n states, then every NFA accepting L has at least \_\_\_\_\_ states. (Fill in the blank, and explain your answer.) [2]
- (c) Find a CFG for the language  $\{w \mid |w| \text{ is odd and its middle symbol is } 0\}$ . [2]
- (d) State True/False with justification: [2]  
If  $L_1$  is regular and  $L_2$  non-regular, then  $L_1 \cap L_2$  is non-regular.
- (e) Describe "Dangling Else" problem. [2]
- (f) Define :  $\wedge$ - Closure of a set of states. [2]

**Q.2 Attempt Any Two from the following questions.**

[12]

- (a) Using pumping Lemma show that language L is not a regular language.  
 $L = \{xy \mid x, y \text{ belongs to } \{0,1\}^* \text{ and } y \text{ is either } x \text{ or } x'\}$
- (b) Minimize the Finite Automata given in Fig 1.
- (c) Generate a CFG for the language  $L = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i < j+k\}$

**Q.3 (a) Let G be the CFG with production rules  $S \rightarrow aS \mid aSbS \mid \wedge$ .**

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- (i) Show that G is ambiguous.
- (ii) Find out unambiguous CFG for G.

**(b) Convert following NFA- $\wedge$  to DFA given in Fig 2.**

[8]

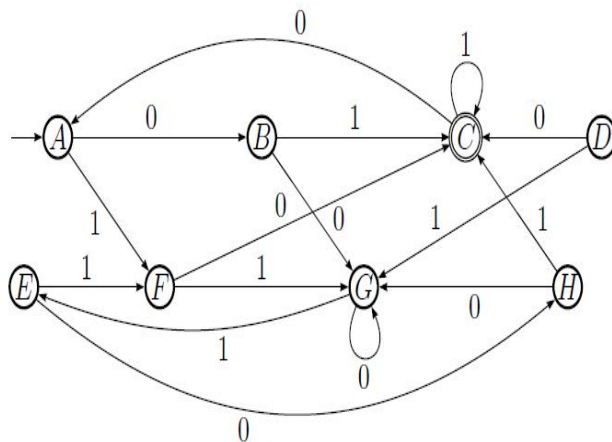
**OR**

**Q.3 (a) Prove that Any regular language is accepted by a finite automaton.**

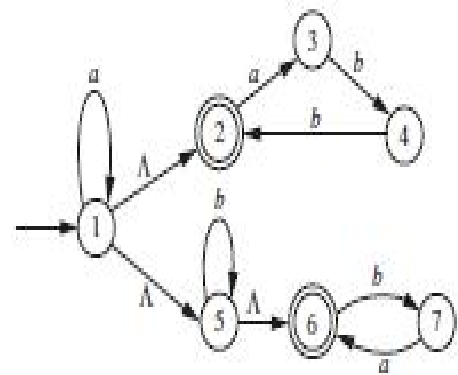
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**(b) Construct NFA- $\wedge$  for  $(0+1)(01)^*(011)^*$**

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**Fig 1**



**Fig 2**