

OBJECTIVES

- Understand the basic concepts of intelligent agents.
- Develop general-purpose problem-solving agents, logical reasoning agents, and agents that reason under uncertainty.
- Employ AI techniques to solve some of today's real-world problem's.

Subject Code: AI32D1		Subject Name: Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence
Course Outcome – COs		Cognitive Skill
At the end of the course students should be able to,		
CO- 01	Explain autonomous agents that make effective decisions in fully informed, partially observable, and adversarial settings.	U
CO- 02	Choose appropriate algorithms for solving given AI problems	A
CO- 03	Design and implement logical reasoning agents	R, A
CO- 04	Design and implement agents that can reason under uncertainty	R, A
CO- 05	Understand the basic areas of artificial intelligence including problem solving, knowledge representation, reasoning, decision making, planning, perception and action.	U

UNIT I: AI AGENTS**9**

Introduction to AI – Agents and Environments – Concept of rationality – Nature of environments – Structure of agents – Problem solving agents–Search algorithms– Uninformed search strategies.

UNIT II: PROBLEM SOLVING**9**

Heuristic search strategies–heuristic functions - Local search and optimization problems – Local search in continuous space – Search with non-deterministic actions – Search in partially observable environments – Online search agents and unknown environments.

UNIT III: THEORY OF GAME PLAYING**9**

Game theory – Optimal decisions in games – Alpha-beta search – Monte-Carlo tree search – Stochastic games– Partially observable games. Constraint Satisfaction Problems – Constraint propagation – Backtracking search for CSP – Local search for CSP– Structure of CSP.

UNIT IV: KNOWLEDGE BASED LOGICAL AGENTS**9**

Knowledge-based agents – Propositional logic – Propositional theorem proving – Propositional model checking– Agents based on propositional logic. First-order logic – Syntax and semantics – Knowledge representation and engineering – Inferences in first-order logic–Forward chaining– Backward chaining– Resolution.

UNIT V: KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION**9**

Ontological engineering–Objects and categories–Events–Mental objects and Modal logic– Reasoning systems for categories – Reasoning with default information. Classical planning–Algorithms for classical

planning–Heuristics for planning– Hierarchical planning–Non-deterministic domains–Time, Schedule, and Resources– Analysis.

TOTAL: 45 PERIODS

TEXT BOOKS

1. Stuart Russel and Peter Norvig, “Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach”, Fourth Edition, Pearson Education, 2020.

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4. Deepak Khemani, “Artificial Intelligence”, Tata McGraw Hill Education, 2013.
5. Artificial Intelligence by Example: Develop machine intelligence from scratch using real artificial intelligence use cases -by Dennis Rothman, 2018.