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**B.Tech (CSE) - Cycle Test 2 – January – May 2023**  
**CSPC41– Automata and Formal languages**

Semester: IV  
 Curriculum: NITTUGCSE21  
 Date of Exam: 11<sup>th</sup> April 2023

**Max Marks: 20**  
**Time: 1 hour**

1. Convert the following grammar to Chomsky Normal form where S is the start symbol.  
 (CO2) (4)  

$$S \rightarrow AB \mid ABC$$

$$A \rightarrow BA \mid BC \mid \epsilon \mid a$$

$$B \rightarrow AC \mid CB \mid \epsilon \mid b$$

$$C \rightarrow BC \mid AB \mid A \mid c$$
2. Define a Context free grammar for the following language: (CO2) (2)
  - The set of even length string in  $\{0,1\}^*$  with two middle symbols equal
  - The set of strings over  $\{a,b\}^*$  such that no string begins with 'abb'
3. If G is a grammar and L(G) contains w. If  $|w| = n$ , how long is a derivations of w in G if "G is in GNF" and "G is in CNF"? Justify your answer. (CO5) (2)
4. Find a grammar in GNF for the following grammar where E is the start symbol: (CO2) (5)

$$E \rightarrow E+E$$

$$E \rightarrow E * E$$

$$E \rightarrow (E)$$

$$E \rightarrow a$$
5. Design a PDA that accepts by final state for the following language. (CO2) (5)  
 $\{0^m 1^n \mid m \leq n \leq 2m\}$
6. Using the property of equivalence, convert the designed PDA in Q5 to a PDA accepting by empty stack. (CO2) (2)

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