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B.Tech. (PT) DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2018
First Semester

PCS203 – DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF ALGORITHMS
(For the candidates admitted from the academic year 2007-2008 to 2016-2017)

Time: Three hours

Max. Marks: 100

Answer ALL Questions

PART – A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Define O-notation.
2. What is meant by 'worst-case'?
3. Differentiate divide and conquer and greedy techniques.
4. What is the average case complexity of linear search algorithm?
5. Define: Dynamic programming.
6. Write down the floyd's algorithm.
7. What is 'state space tree'?
8. Define: branch method.
9. What is the property of NP complete problem?
10. List out some of the characteristics of non-deterministic problem.

PART – B (5 × 16 = 80 Marks)

11. a. Explain in detail about asymptotic notations with examples.

(OR)

- b. Explain in detail about the process of solving recurrence relations with suitable example.

12. a. Illustrate binary search algorithm with an example.

(OR)

- b. Explain minimum spanning tree algorithm in detail.

13. a. Describe the travelling salesman problem. Discuss how to solve it using dynamic programming.

(OR)

- b. Find the optimal solution for given Knapsack problem.

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Weight	2	1	3	2
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14. a. Explain the following:

- (i) Sum of subsets
- (ii) Hamiltonian cycle

(OR)

- b. What is backtracking? Using 8 queens problem explain the algorithm.

15. a. Explain: NPA hard and NP complete problem.

(OR)

- b. Explain in detail about deterministic and non deterministic algorithms.

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