

Ques 2

a) length =  $m$  for binary string.

if  $m=3$  eg.

$$m=3$$

000

001

$$010 = 8 = \underline{\underline{2^3}} = 2^m.$$

011

100

101

110

111

b)  $m=4$ .

Schema  $S_1 = 1****$

$$1000=8 \quad 1100$$

$$1001=9 \quad 1101$$

$$1010=10 \quad 1110$$

$$1011=11 \quad 1111=15$$

$\Rightarrow$  av. fitness ( $S_1$ ) =

$$\frac{8+9+10+\dots+15}{8} = \checkmark$$

Similarly for  $0**** = S_2$

av. fitness ( $S_2$ ) =

$$\frac{0+1+2+\dots+7}{8} = \checkmark$$