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**CS / B.TECH (IT) / SEM-7 / IT-703C / 2010-11**

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**SOFT COMPUTING**

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words  
as far as practicable.*

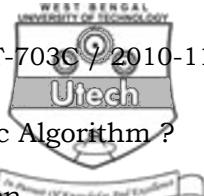
**GROUP – A**

**( Multiple Choice Type Questions )**

1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following :  $10 \times 1 = 10$

- i) Which of the following explains the support of a fuzzy set  $A$  ?
- a)  $\text{Support } (A) = \{X \mid \mu_A (x) > 0\}$
- b)  $\text{Support } (A) = \{X \mid \mu_A (x) \geq 0\}$
- c)  $\text{Support } (A) = \{X \mid \mu_A (x) < 0\}$
- d)  $\text{Support } (A) = \{X \mid \mu_A (x) \leq 0\}$

Where  $A$  is the set of all points  $x$  in  $X$ .



- ii) What are the 3 basic operators of Genetic Algorithm ?
- a) Selection, inverse selection, mutation
  - b) Selection, crossover, mutation
  - c) Selection, crossover, double mutation
  - d) Selection, Roulette wheel selection, mutation.
- iii) The disadvantage of  $k$ -means algorithm is overcome by
- a)  $k - k$  means algorithm
  - b) Back propagation algorithm
  - c)  $k$  -medoid algorithm
  - d)  $A^*$  algorithm.
- iv) Lukasiewicz Implication relation states
- a)  $\mu_R(x, y) = \max [\mu_A(x) \wedge \mu_B(y), 1 - \mu_A(x)]$
  - b)  $\mu_R(x, y) = \min \left[ 1, \frac{\mu_B(y)}{\mu_A(x)} \right]$
  - c)  $\mu_R(x, y) = \min \{ 1, \mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y) \}$
  - d)  $\mu_R(x, y) = \min \{ 1, [1 - \mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y)] \}.$
- v) Signum function is used in
- a) ADALINE neuron
  - b) Perceptron
  - c) Self-organizing neural network
  - d) Neurons in Back-propagation algorithm.



- vi) The order of schema  $H = ? \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ ? \ 1 \ ?$  in the genetic algorithm is
- a) 7
  - b) 4
  - c) 3
  - d) 2.
- vii) When the input of a Sigmoid type non-linearity is zero, its output is
- a) 1
  - b)  $-\alpha$
  - c)  $\frac{1}{2}$
  - d)  $+\alpha$ .
- viii) Who is the designer of the ADALINE neural network ?
- a) John Hopfield and Tank
  - b) McCulloch Pitts
  - c) Rosenblatt
  - d) Widrow and Hoff.
- ix) Clustering algorithm usually employ
- a) unsupervised learning
  - b) reinforcement learning
  - c) supervised learning
  - d) competitive learning.
- x) Intersection of two fuzzy sets  $R$  and  $S$  means
- a)  $\text{Max} [X_R(x, y), X_S(x, y)]$
  - b)  $\text{Min} [X_R(x, y), X_S(x, y)]$
  - c)  $X_R(x, y) = X_S(x, y)$
  - d) none of these.

**GROUP – B****( Short Answer Type Questions )**Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 5 = 15$ 

2. Implement AND function using McCulloch Pitts neuron (take binary data)
3. The discretized membership functions for a transistor and a resistor are given below :  $2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2}$

$$\mu_T = \left\{ \frac{0}{0} + \frac{0 \cdot 2}{1} + \frac{0 \cdot 7}{2} + \frac{0 \cdot 8}{3} + \frac{0 \cdot 9}{4} + \frac{1}{5} \right\}$$

$$\mu_R = \left\{ \frac{0}{0} + \frac{0 \cdot 1}{1} + \frac{0 \cdot 3}{2} + \frac{0 \cdot 2}{3} + \frac{0 \cdot 4}{4} + \frac{0 \cdot 5}{5} \right\}$$

Find the algebraic sum and the bounded sum.

4. What is schema theorem ? If defining length of schema  $H$ ,  $d(h) = 4$  bits and length of the schema  $L = 9$  bits. What is the probability of distribution of schema  $H$  by crossover ? Assume crossover probability  $P_C = 0.6$ .  $2 + 3$

5. Apply center of gravity type defuzzification to the following membership function to evaluate control signal 'U' of a plant:

$$\mu_A(U) = \left\{ \frac{0 \cdot 1}{10}, \frac{0 \cdot 6}{20}, \frac{0 \cdot 8}{40} \right\}$$

6. What is a pattern ? Define pattern clustering and classification.  $1 + 4$

**GROUP – C****( Long Answer Type Questions )**Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 15 = 45$ 

7. a) Consider the sets  $\tilde{A} = \left\{ \frac{0.5}{2} + \frac{0.3}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{0.7}{5} \right\}$  and  $\tilde{B} = \left\{ \frac{0.2}{2} + \frac{0.4}{3} + \frac{0.7}{4} + \frac{0.5}{5} \right\}$ . Prove De Morgan's Law.

- b) Two fuzzy relations are given by

$$R = \begin{matrix} Y_1 \\ x_1 & \begin{bmatrix} 0.6 & 0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.9 \end{bmatrix} \\ x_2 \end{matrix} \quad S = \begin{matrix} Z_1 \\ Y_1 & \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & 0.5 & 0.3 \\ 0.8 & 0.4 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix} \\ Y_2 \end{matrix}$$

Obtain fuzzy relation  $\tilde{T}$  as a composition between the fuzzy relations.

- c) For the given rule : IF  $x$  is  $A$ , THEN  $y$  is  $B$ , and the observed fact  $x$  is  $A'$ , we infer  $y$  is  $B'$  by using Generalized Modus Ponens. Given the membership distribution of  $x$  is  $A'$ ,  $\mu_{A'}(x)$  and the membership of the fuzzy relation for the given IF-THEN rule,  $\mu_R(x, y)$ , what is the membership distribution of  $\mu_{B'}(y)$  ?

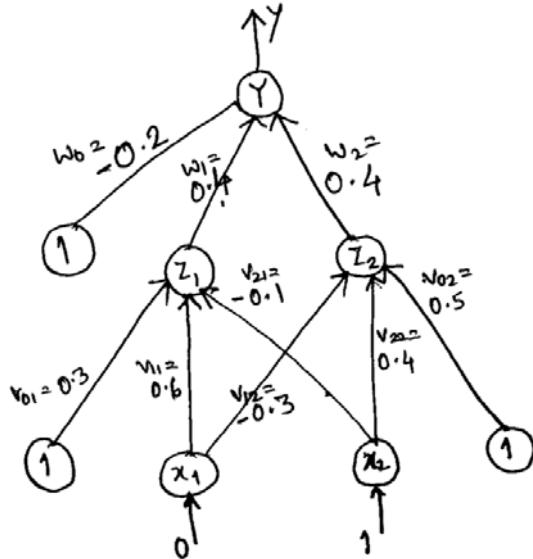
$$\mu_{A'}(x) = [0.8 \ 0.9 \ 0.2]$$

$$\mu_R(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & 0.6 & 0.5 \\ 0.6 & 0.5 & 0.9 \\ 0.7 & 0.6 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

5 + 5 + 5



8. a) What is a hybrid system ?
- b) Given the training instances of a neural network, we need to determine the weights by Genetic Algorithm. Draw and explain the schematic diagram that considers hybridization of Neural net and Genetic algorithm.
- c) Mention two applications for Genetic Algorithm in real life. 3 + 10 + 2
9. a) What is Steepest Decent Learning ?
- b) Using back propagation network, find the new weights for the net shown in Fig. below. It is presented with the input pattern [ 0 , 1 ] and the target output is 1. Use a learning rate  $\alpha = 0.25$  and binary sigmoidal activation function.

2 + 13



10. a) Consider the following set of data points :  
 $(x_1, x_2) \in \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (2, 1), (5, 1), (6, 2), (7, 1)\}$

Initialize =  $C_1 \equiv (x_1, x_2) = (1, 2)$  and

$C_2 \equiv (x_1, x_2) = (7, 2)$  as two random cluster centres.

Show one step of execution of the  $k$ -means clustering algorithm, and hence determine the updated cluster centre.

- b) What condition do you set to check convergence of the algorithm ?
- c) What are the disadvantages of this algorithm ? How can it be overcome ?
- d) Explain the basic difference between supervised and unsupervised learning in context to Machine learning.

6 + 2 + 4 + 3

11. a) What is the difference between centroid method and center of largest area method for defuzzification ?
- b) How is a fuzzy relation converted into crisp relation using  $\lambda$ -cut process ?
- c) Show that  $\lambda$ -cut relation of the following fuzzy equivalence relation results in a crisp equivalence relation :

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.8 & 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.8 \\ 0.8 & 1 & 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.9 \\ 0.4 & 0.4 & 1 & 0.4 & 0.4 \\ 0.5 & 0.5 & 0.4 & 1 & 0.5 \\ 0.8 & 0.9 & 0.4 & 0.5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

6 + 3 + 6

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