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Programme	: B.Tech. [CSE and Specialization]	Semester	: FS 22-23
Course Code	: BCSE304L	Slot	: B2+TB2
Course Title	: Theory of Computation		
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Time	: 90 Minutes	Max. Marks	: 50

Answer ALL the Questions

Q.No.	Sub. Sec.	Questions	Marks
1.	a.	<p>Given the following Deterministic Finite Automaton, construct the equivalent regular expression using Arden's Method. (7 Marks)</p>	7
	b.	<p>For each of the following languages, give two strings that are members and two strings that are not members—a total of four strings for each part. Assume the alphabet $\Sigma = \{a, b\}$ in all parts. (3 Marks)</p> <p>(i) $\Sigma^* a \Sigma^* b \Sigma^* a \Sigma^*$ (ii) $(a \cup ba \cup bb) \Sigma^*$ (iii) $(\epsilon \cup a) b$</p>	3

2.	a.	Let $\Sigma = \{1, \#\}$ and let $Y = \{w \mid w = x_1\#x_2\# \cdots \#x_k \text{ for } k \geq 0, \text{ each } x_i \in 1^*, \text{ and } x_i \neq x_j \text{ for } i \neq j\}$. Prove that Y is not regular.	5
	b.	Let Σ be an alphabet. Define I_Σ to be the collection of all infinite languages over Σ . Note that I_Σ does not include any finite language over Σ . Prove that I_Σ is closed under union.	5
3.		Consider the language $L = \{a^i b^j c^k \mid i = j \text{ or } j = k \text{ where } i, j, k \geq 0\}$. i. Give a CFG that generates the language L . (7 Marks) ii. Is your grammar ambiguous? Justify your answer (3 Marks)	10
4.		Consider the following Grammar: $S \rightarrow abAB$ $A \rightarrow \underline{b}AB \mid \epsilon$ $B \rightarrow \underline{B}Aa \mid A \mid \epsilon$ Convert the above grammar into Chomsky Normal Form. Illustrate the procedure step by step.	10
5.		Design a Push Down Automaton for the language: $L = \{a^{2n} b^{3n} \mid n \geq 0\}$.	10

