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Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, May/June 2010
Artificial Intelligence

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

**Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting
 at least TWO questions from each part.**

PART - A

- 1 a. Define artificial intelligence. Explain the interaction between an agent and its environment. (05 Marks)
- b. Explain different properties of task environment. (07 Marks)
- c. What is meant by uninformed search? Explain breadth-first-strategy (BFS). (08 Marks)
- 2 a. What is informed strategy? Explain A* search strategy. (10 Marks)
- b. Write backtracking algorithm for constraint satisfaction problem and explain it. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Write the syntax and semantic of propositional logic. Write BNF grammar for sentences in propositional logic. (12 Marks)
- b. Write forward-chaining algorithm for propositional logic. Explain it. (08 Marks)
- 4 a. What is knowledge engineering? Explain the steps involved in knowledge engineering process. (10 Marks)
- b. Write the unification algorithm. Explain. (10 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Write backward chaining algorithm. (05 Marks)
- b. What is conjunctive normal form? Write the CNF for the problem given below.
 - Everyone who loves all animals is loved by someone.
 - Anyone who kills an animal is loved by no one.
 - Jack loves all animals.
 - Either Jack or curiosity killed the cat, who is named Tuna.
 - Did curiosity kill the cat?
 (15 Marks)
- 6 a. Explain the ontology of situation calculus. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the truth maintenance system. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. Explain the process of planning graph for heuristic estimation. Write GRAPHPLAN algorithm. (10 Marks)
- b. What is the Bayesian network? Explain how it is used to represent knowledge. (10 Marks)
- 8 a. Write the decision tree algorithm and explain it. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the agent components. (10 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.