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SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
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SOFT COMPUTING TECHNIQUES

(Electrical & Electronics Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

(Answer all Five Units **5 x 12 = 60** Marks)

UNIT-I

- 1 a Compare artificial neural network with biological neural network. Also discuss the learning process in human brain. 8M
b Discuss Bias and weights in a neural network. 4M

OR

- 2 a Explain the characteristics of a neural network. 6M
b Discuss the learning strategies of neural network in detail. 6M

UNIT-II

- 3 a What is a perceptron? Discuss its training algorithm. 8M
b Explain the limitations of back propagation learning. 4M

OR

- 4 a Discuss Hebbian and delta learning rule. 6M
b Discuss any one application of neural networks in electrical load forecasting. 6M

UNIT-III

- 5 a Explain Energy function in BAM and its importance. 6M
b Briefly explain the working principle of Hopfield network. 6M

OR

- 6 a What is associative memory? Explain briefly. 6M
b What is hamming distance? Explain. 6M

UNIT-IV

- 7 a Let $x = \{1,2,3, \dots, 10\}$.
Determine the cardinalities and relative cardinalities of the following fuzzy sets. 4M
 $\tilde{A} = \{(2, 0.4), (3, 0.6), (4, 0.8), (5, 1.0), (6, 0.8), (7, 0.6), (8, 0.4)\}$
 $\tilde{B} = \{(2, 0.4), (4, 0.8), (5, 1.0), (7, 0.6)\}$
b Explain any four operations on fuzzy sets with examples. 8M

OR

- 8 a What is a fuzzy relation? For the following Fuzzy Relation perform the min-max composition?

$$\tilde{R}1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 & 0.2 & 0.5 & 0.6 \\ 0.5 & 0.7 & 0.4 & 0.2 \\ 0.4 & 0.2 & 1 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{R}2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.2 & 0.6 \\ 0.2 & 0.6 & 0.4 \\ 0.7 & 0.6 & 0.5 \\ 0.5 & 0.4 & 0.8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{6M}$$

- b Discuss various properties of fuzzy sets with examples. 6M

UNIT-V

- 9 a** What is fuzzy logic? Using your own intuition of the universe of discourse plot fuzzy membership functions for the following fuzzy variables. **5M**
i) Very young ii) Young iii) middle aged iv) Old v)Very old
- b** Discuss the formulation of fuzzy rule base with an example. **7M**

OR

- 10 a** Discuss any one application of fuzzy logic in electrical engineering. Mention the inputs and outputs and rule base also. **9M**
- b** What is defuzzification? Discuss in brief. **3M**

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