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# MCA-E4

## Formal Languages and Automata

Master of Computer Application (MCA)

4th Semester Examination, 2022 (June)

Time: 2 Hours] Max. Marks: 80

**Note:** This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into two (02) Sections A and B. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

# SECTION-A (Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'A' contains Five (05) long answer type questions of Twenty (20) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Two (02) questions only.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$ 

**1.** What is Language? Explain about the natural languages programming languages, mathematical languages?

- **2.** What is the difference between NFA and DFA? How can we convert NFA to DFA?
- **3.** Why Regular expression and Finite automata are equivalent? Explain with the help of example.
- **4.** What is Moore machine? What do you understand by equivalence of Moore and Mealy machines?
- **5.** (a) What are Special boundary cases of Turing Machine?
  - (b) What are moves of Turing Machine? Explain your answer.

#### **SECTION-B**

## (Short Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'B' contains Eight (08) short answer type questions of Ten (10) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Four (04) questions only. (4×10=40)

- **1.** What is Grammar? Give the Formal definitions of a Grammar?
- **2.** What is Transition table? How can we remove epsilon transition?
- **3.** What is precedence rule? Explain.
- **4.** Write Algorithm to decide emptiness?

- **5.** What is PDA? Explain with example.
- **6.** What is CFL and DCFL?
- 7. What is CNF and what are steps for CNF to be in CFG?
- **8.** Explain CYK Algorithm.