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**MCA**  
**(SEM II) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18**  
**INTRODUCTION TO AUTOMATA THEORY & FORMAL LANGUAGE**

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 70

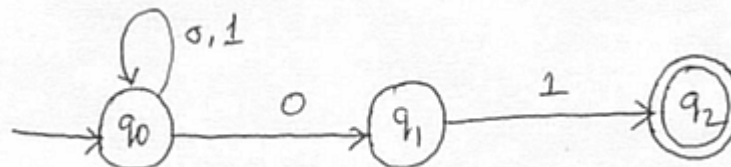
Note: Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.

**SECTION A****1. Attempt all questions in brief. 2 x 7 = 14**

- a. What is null string ( $\lambda$ )?
- b. Define regular expression?
- c. What is the concept of PDA?
- d. What is unit production?
- e. Define multitape turing machine.
- f. Write short notes on strings.
- g. Write regular expression for the language that have the set of all strings of 0's and 1's beginning with 00.

**SECTION B****2. Attempt any three of the following: 7 x 3 = 21**

- a. Show that the set  $L = \{a^n b^n / n \geq 1\}$  is not a regular.
- b. Construct DFA equivalent to the NFA given below:



- c. If  $G$  is the grammar  $S \rightarrow Sbs/a$ , Show that  $G$  is ambiguous.
- d. Find the language generated by a grammar  $G = (\{S\}, \{a, b\}, \{S \rightarrow aSb, S \rightarrow ab\}, S)$
- e. Define a PDA. Give an Example for a language accepted by PDA by empty stack.

**SECTION C****3. Attempt any one part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7**

- (a) Find a grammar in Chomsky Normal form equivalent to  $S \rightarrow aAD; A \rightarrow aB/bAB; B \rightarrow b, D \rightarrow d$ .
- (b) Show that the language  $\{0^n 1^n 2^n / n \geq 1\}$  is not a Context free language.

**4. Attempt any one part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7**

- (a) Design a Turing Machine to accept the language  $L = \{0^n 1^n / n \geq 1\}$
- (b) Define Post correspondence problem with an example.

5. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7
- (a) Construct an NFA equivalent to the regular expression  $((0+1)(00+11)(0+1))^*$
  - (b) Show that  $L_n$  is recursively enumerable.
6. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7
- (a) Define a context free grammar. What is the language generated by CFG or G? Explain with an example.
  - (b) Construct the grammar for the language  $L = \{ a^n b a^n \mid n \geq 1 \}$ .
7. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 7 x 1 = 7
- (a) What is mealy and moore machine. Explain it using transition diagram.
  - (b) Write short notes on :
    - (i) Transition diagram
    - (ii) Differentiate DFA with NFA