

## Q.1 Attempt any FOUR (20 Marks)

**A. Construct DFA over  $\{0,1\}$  that accepts all strings containing substring “010” – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** DFA with states tracking sequence “010”, accept in final state.

**Marks:** DFA components – 2, Transitions – 2, Accepting state – 1

**B. Explain the process converting CFG into GNF – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Remove useless symbols,  $\epsilon$ -productions, unit productions, left recursion, then ensure all productions start with terminal.

**Marks:** Each step – 1

**C. Design PDA for  $L = \{0^n 1^n \mid n \geq 1\}$  – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Push 0's, pop for 1's, accept by final state.

**Marks:** Concept – 2, Transition – 3

**D. Using Pumping Lemma, prove  $L = \{a^n b^n c^n \mid n \geq 1\}$  is not regular – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Assume regular, take  $s = a^p b^p c^p$ , divide xyz, pumping y breaks pattern  $\rightarrow$  contradiction.

**Marks:** Assume  $s = 1$ , Divide xyz – 1, Pumping y – 1, Contradiction – 2

**E. Write short notes on Recursive and Recursively Enumerable languages – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Recursive: decidable by TM; RE: TM accepts but may not halt for non-members.

**Marks:** Definition – 2, Example/Difference – 3

**F. Explain Equivalence Relation with example and properties – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Reflexive, Symmetric, Transitive; Example: equality on integers.

**Marks:** Definition – 2, Properties – 2, Example – 1

## Q.2 Attempt any FOUR (40 Marks)

**A. Design Moore machine to output A if ends in “010”, else B – 10 Marks**

**Key Answer:** States track last 3 input bits; output A for “010”, else B.

**Marks:** States – 4, Transitions – 4, Output correctness – 2

**B. Convert CFG into CNF:  $S \rightarrow pSqq \mid pSq \mid pp \mid q \mid p \mid qq$  – 10 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Remove  $\epsilon$ /unit productions, break RHS into max 2 symbols, convert to CNF.

**Marks:** Steps – 6, Correct CNF – 4

**C. Design PDA for  $L = \{(ab)^n c^n \mid n \geq 1\}$  with example – 10 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Push 'ab' for each n, pop for c's, accept by final state.

**Marks:** PDA components – 3, Transitions – 4, Example – 3

\*D. Convert RE  $a(a+b)b \rightarrow$  equivalent NFA then DFA – 10 Marks

**Key Answer:** Step 1: Construct NFA (Thompson), Step 2: Convert NFA  $\rightarrow$  DFA.

**Marks:** NFA – 5, DFA – 5

**E. Construct leftmost derivation, rightmost derivation, parse tree for “aabb” using  $S \rightarrow aSb \mid ab$  – 10 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Leftmost:  $S \rightarrow aSb \rightarrow aaSbb \rightarrow aabb$ ; Rightmost:  $S \rightarrow aSb \rightarrow aabSb \rightarrow aabb$ ; Parse tree drawn.

**Marks:** Leftmost – 3, Rightmost – 3, Parse tree – 4

**F. Design TM for  $L = \{ww^R\}$  with example – 10 Marks**

**Key Answer:** TM scans input, compares ends to middle; accept if palindrome.

**Marks:** States – 4, Transition – 4, Example – 2

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### Q.3 Attempt any FOUR (20 Marks)

**A. Design FSM for binary strings with even number of 0's and even number of 1's – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** FSM with 4 states tracking parity of 0's and 1's (even-even, even-odd, odd-even, odd-odd); accept in even-even state.

**Marks Distribution:** States – 2, Transitions – 2, Acceptance – 1

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**B. Explain the Halting Problem – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Problem of deciding whether a Turing Machine halts on a given input; proven undecidable by contradiction.

**Marks Distribution:** Definition – 2, Explanation/Reasoning – 3

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**C. Explain PDA operation – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** PDA reads input, uses stack for memory, performs push/pop according to transitions, accepts by final state or empty stack.

**Marks Distribution:** Operation – 3, Example – 2

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**D. Construct DFA for strings over {a,b} where every ‘a’ is immediately followed by at least one ‘b’ – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** DFA with states tracking last symbol; reject if 'a' not followed by 'b'.

**Marks Distribution:** States – 2, Transitions – 2, Acceptance – 1

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## **E. Define Regular Expression and discuss equivalence with Finite Automata – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Regular Expression: symbolic representation of string sets; equivalent to FA since any RE can be converted to NFA/DFA and vice versa.

**Marks Distribution:** Definition – 2, Equivalence explanation – 3

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## **F. Explain Chomsky Hierarchy – 05 Marks**

**Key Answer:** Classification of grammars:

- Type 0 – Unrestricted (TM)
- Type 1 – Context-Sensitive
- Type 2 – Context-Free
- Type 3 – Regular

**Marks Distribution:** Classification – 3, Explanation/Examples – 2