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Time : 3 Hours]

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Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) *All questions are compulsory*
- 2) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 3) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 4) *Assume suitable data if necessary.*

SECTION-I

- Q1)** a) Discuss Luhn's idea and explain Conflation Algorithm with a suitable example. [10]
- b) Explain the differences between Data Retrieval and Information Retrieval. [8]

OR

- Q2)** a) Enlist the algorithms used for clustering and explain Single pass clustering algorithm. [10]
- b) Explain exhaustivity and specificity with respect to Index term weighting. [8]

- Q3)** a) Explain the Vector model in detail. [8]
- b) Explain the different types of search strategies. [8]

OR

- Q4)** a) Explain Inverted Index file. How can it be used in Information Retrieval? [8]
- b) Explain various IR models in detail with their advantages and disadvantages. [8]

- Q5)** a) Explain the need for Single Value Summaries and various strategies in detail. [10]
- b) Discuss retrieval performance evaluation. [6]

OR

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- Q6)** a) What are digital libraries? [6]
b) Write short notes on: [10]
i) Online IR system.
ii) User oriented measures.

SECTION-II

- Q7)** a) Explain Collection Portioning, Source Selection and Query processing in distributed IR. [10]
b) State and explain the four parallel computing architectures. [8]

OR

- Q8)** a) Describe MIMD architecture with respect to parallel IR. How is Inverted file used in MIMD architecture? [10]
b) What is parallel computing? Discuss performance measures of parallel computing. [8]

- Q9)** a) How is image analysis and image access accomplished in MULTOS? [8]
b) Explain in detail GEMINI approach for multimedia IR. [8]

OR

- Q10)** a) What is Multimedia Information Retrieval? Discuss steps in Multimedia IR. [8]
b) Explain the feature extraction and distance function for 2D color image. [8]

- Q11)** a) What are Meta crawlers? Explain with a suitable example. [8]
b) Discuss different forms of searching the web with proper examples. [8]

OR

- Q12)** a) Explain the different components of web crawler. [8]
b) Write a note on web data mining. [8]

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