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**B.E. (I.T.)**

**SOFT COMPUTING**

**(Semester - I) (414456 A) (Elective - I) (2012 Course)**

*Time : 2½ Hours]*

*[Max. Marks :70*

*Instructions to the candidates:*

- 1) Neat diagram must be drawn whenever necessary.*
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 3) Assume suitable data if necessary.*

- Q1)** a) What is Boltzman machine? With neat sketch explain its architecture.[8]  
b) What are the issues related to representation of knowledge? [6]  
c) List out the strength and weaknesses of Back Propagation algorithm.[6]

OR

- Q2)** a) Explain in brief architecture of multilayer feed - forward neural network.[8]  
b) What is difference between behavior of intelligent system and knowledge based system? [6]  
c) What is vigilance parameters in ART network? [6]

- Q3)** a) What is Extension Principle for fuzzy arithmetic? Perform following operations. [9]  
i) Multiplication  
ii) Division  
b) Define and explain classical relations and fuzzy relations. [8]

OR

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- Q4)** a) List and explain methods employed for membership value assignment.[8]  
b) With suitable block diagram, explain construction and working of fuzzy inference system? [9]

- Q5)** a) What is difference between genetic algorithm and genetic programming?[8]  
b) With the neat flowchart explain operation of simple genetic algorithms.[9]

OR

- Q6)** a) Is it advisable to apply genetic algorithm for all kinds of optimization problems? Justify. [8]  
b) What are types of crossover and mutation techniques? [9]

- Q7)** a) Describe an application how soft computing can be used in mobile ad-hoc networks. [8]  
b) Mention the application areas of neuro-fuzzy hybrid soft computing approach. [8]

OR

- Q8)** a) Describe an application how soft computing can be used in information retrieval. [8]  
b) Describe an application of evolutionary computing in image processing. [8]

