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B.E. (Information Technology)
INFORMATION RETRIEVAL
(2008 Pattern)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) *Answer Q1 or Q2, Q3 or Q4, Q5 or Q6, Q7 or Q8, Q9 or Q10, Q11 or Q12.*
- 2) *Answer to the two sections should be written in separate books.*
- 3) *Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) *Figures to the right side indicate full marks.*
- 5) *Assume Suitable data if necessary.*

SECTION - I

- Q1)** a) With the help of block diagram explain Information Retrieval System. In your words explain what do you mean by Information Retrieval? [8]
b) Explain Hierarchic clustering Algorithm? Comment if Hierarchic methods are suitable for document clustering? [8]

OR

- Q2)** a) What are different constituents of Classification Methods and with proper example explain relations that exist among them [8]
b) Define Clustering? Explain in detail various parameters used while designing any clustering algorithm [8]

- Q3)** a) Explain Suffix Array with the help of diagram. What do you mean by signature file? How it can be constructed. [8]
b) Explain Cellular multi-lists with proper example [8]

OR

- Q4)** a) What do you mean by Coordination level? [6]
For the following Ki list if the set of documents are:
K1-list: D1, D2, D3, D4
K2-List: D1, D2
K3-List: D1, D2, D3
K4-List: D1
Then for query **Q = K1 AND K2 AND K3** find out the answer
b) Write Short Notes on : i) Inverted Index File ii) Index-sequential File [10]

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- Q5) a)** Explain the terms Precision and Recall [6]
Assume the following:
- A database contains 80 records on a particular topic
 - A search was conducted on that topic and 60 records were retrieved.
 - Of the 60 records retrieved, 45 were relevant.
- Calculate the precision and recall scores for the search.
- b)** State & Explain User Oriented Measures with the help of Venn Diagram [6]
c) What are digital Libraries [6]

OR

- Q6) a)** Explain TREC document collection with tasks and Evaluation measures at TREC conferences [8]
- b)** Explain Harmonic Mean & E Measure [6]
- c)** Write Note on: OPAC [4]

SECTION - II

- Q7) a)** Describe Ontology in Information Retrieval and its use? [8]
- b)** What is Parallel Computing? Explain taxonomy of parallel architectures [8]

OR

- Q8) a)** With respect to various aspects discuss MIMD Architectures. [8]
- b)** Define Ontology? Explain in detail reasons to develop Ontology. [8]

- Q9) a)** What is the role of Multimedia in Commercial Database Management System? [8]
- b)** Discuss MULTOS in short. [8]

OR

- Q10) a)** Write note on Generic Multimedia Indexing Approach (GEMINI)? [8]
- b)** Discuss SQL3 in short. [8]

- Q11)**a) Discuss the centralized architecture of the search engine; Enlist the drawbacks of Harvest architecture. [10]
- b) What do you mean by Web crawler and briefly explain the working of web crawler [8]

OR

- Q12)**a) Write short notes on: Challenges in web search [6]
- b) What is Web Usage mining [6]
- c) Explain Meta searches with example [6]

