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**Eighth Semester B.Tech. Degree Examination, December 2013  
(2008 Scheme)**

**08.805 (1) : FUZZY SET THEORY AND APPLICATIONS (Elective – III) (R)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

**PART – A**

Answer **all** questions.



1. Explain the properties of fuzzy sets.
2. Explain cosine amplitude method.
3. Define normal, convex fuzzy sets with examples.
4. Write a note on inductive reasoning.
5. What is meant by fuzzy logic ?
6. Write a short note on Linguistic hedges.
7. Explain the purpose of inference engine.
8. Write a short note on fuzzy expert system.
9. Write a note on fuzzy databases.
10. Explain fuzzy syntactic method. **(10×4=40 Marks)**



## PART - B

## Module - I

11. a) Let  $\tilde{A} = \left\{ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{0.5}{3} + \frac{0.3}{4} + \frac{0.2}{6} \right\}$ ,  $\tilde{B} = \left\{ \frac{0.5}{2} + \frac{0.7}{4} + \frac{0.2}{5} + \frac{0.4}{6} \right\}$  and

$\tilde{C} = \left\{ \frac{0.1}{2} + \frac{0.2}{3} + \frac{0.3}{4} + \frac{0.2}{6} \right\}$  be fuzzy sets.

Calculate :

i)  $\overline{\tilde{A} \cup \tilde{B}}$

ii)  $\tilde{A} \cap \overline{\tilde{C}}$

iii)  $\overline{\tilde{A} \cup \tilde{B}} \cap \tilde{C}$

iv)  $\tilde{A} \cap \overline{\tilde{B} \cup \tilde{C}}$

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b) Consider the following fuzzy relations  $R \in X \times Y$ ,  $S \in Y \times Z$ ,

where  $X = \{30, 60, 100, 120\}$ ,  $Y = \{20, 40, 60, 80, 100, 120\}$  and

$Z = \{500, 1000, 1500, 1800\}$

$$\tilde{R} = \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{cccccc} 20 & 40 & 60 & 80 & 100 & 120 \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} 30 \\ 60 \\ 100 \\ 120 \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.3 & 0.3 & 0.3 & 0.3 & 0.1 \\ 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.6 & 0.7 & 0.7 & 0.2 \\ 0.2 & 0.4 & 0.6 & 0.8 & 1.0 & 0.1 \\ 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.3 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

$$\tilde{S} = \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{cccc} 500 & 1000 & 1500 & 1800 \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} 20 \\ 40 \\ 60 \\ 80 \\ 100 \\ 120 \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.15 \\ 0.33 & 0.4 & 0.4 & 0.15 \\ 0.33 & 0.6 & 0.6 & 0.15 \\ 0.33 & 0.67 & 0.8 & 0.15 \\ 0.33 & 0.67 & 1.0 & 0.15 \\ 0.1 & 0.1 & 0.1 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

Construct the relation  $\tilde{T} \in X \times Z$ , using

- max - min composition and
- max-product composition.

OR

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12. a) Check whether  $R_1$  is equivalence relation or not. Is it fuzzy tolerance relation ? 10

$$R_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.8 & 0 & 0.1 & 0.2 \\ 0.8 & 1 & 0.4 & 0 & 0.9 \\ 0 & 0.4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0.1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0.5 \\ 0.2 & 0.9 & 0 & 0.5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

b) Explain the following methods of membership value assignment.

- i) intuition
- ii) inference
- iii) rank ordering.

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**Module – II**

13. a) The fuzzy sets  $\underline{A}$  ,  $\underline{B}$  and  $\underline{C}$  are defined on the universe  $X = [0, 5]$  with the following membership functions :

$$\mu_{\underline{A}}(x) = \frac{1}{1+5(x-5)^2}, \mu_{\underline{B}}(x) = 2^{-x}, \mu_{\underline{C}}(x) = \frac{2x}{x+5}$$

- i) Sketch the membership functions.
- ii) Define  $\lambda$  - cut sets for each of the fuzzy sets  $\underline{A}$  ,  $\underline{B}$  and  $\underline{C}$  for the following values of  $\lambda$  :
  - a)  $\lambda = 0.2$
  - b)  $\lambda = 0.7$
  - c)  $\lambda = +0$
  - d)  $\lambda = 1.0$ .

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b) Show that any  $\lambda$  - cut relation (for  $\lambda > 0$ ) of a fuzzy equivalence relation results in a crisp equivalence relation.

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OR



14. a) Explain various defuzzification methods, with suitable examples. 14
- b) Briefly explain fuzzy rule based system. 6

### Module – III

15. a) Explain the design steps of a general fuzzy controller, with a neat diagram. 15
- b) Write a note on fuzzy image processing. 5

OR

16. a) Explain fuzzy c-means clustering method. 10
- b) Explain how a fuzzy system can be approximated by a neural network. 10
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