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### THIRD SEMESTER B.C.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

### **CC19U BCA3 C06 - THEORY OF COMPUTATION**

(Computer Application - Complementary Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.00 Hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

Credit : 3

# **Part A** (Short answer questions) Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Define Transitive relation.
- 2. Prove that  $\sqrt{3}$  is irrational using proof by contradiction.
- 3. List types of langauages.
- 4. Define automaton.
- 5. Define transition systems.
- 6. Design a NFA all strings has substring 10.
- 7. Define Mealy Machine.
- 8. Define unreachable state.
- 9. Define regular set.
- 10. Write an unambigous grammar.
- 11. Define Non Deterministic Pushdown automata.
- 12. Define Turing machine.

(Ceiling: 20 Marks)

## **Part B** (Short essay questions - Paragraph) Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Explain concepts of Strings with example.

- 14. Explain grammar with example.
- 15. Explain two closure properties of regular set.
- 16. Explain construction of a dfa for a given regular grammar with example.

- 17. Prove  $(a + b)^* = a^*(ba^*)^*$
- 18. Explain derivation tree with example.
- 19. Design a turing machine accepting wwR we  $(a+b)^*$

(Ceiling: 30 Marks)

**Part C** (Essay questions)

### Answer any *one* question. The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Explain in detail concepts of trees with example.
- 21. State and prove equivalence of DFA and NDFA.

(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)

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