

## ***B.Tech. Degree VII Semester Examination, November 2009***

### **CS/IT 705(B) INFORMATION RETRIEVAL**

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

#### **PART – A**

(Answer **ALL** questions)

(All questions carry **EQUAL** marks)

(8 x 5 = 40)

- I. (a) Define Fuzzy set Theory.  
(b) Distinguish between Data and Information retrieval.  
(c) What is meant by Document clustering?  
(d) Write the features of Inverted file compression.  
(e) Write a note on Flynn's classification of parallel architecture.  
(f) Write a note on Distributed Information Retrieval.  
(g) Write a note on Google search engine.  
(h) What are the various web tools used for browsing and searching?

#### **PART – B**

(4 x 15 = 60)

- II. (a) Describe various classical models of Information Retrieval. (8)  
(b) Write a note on Fuzzy Information Retrieval. (7)
- OR**
- III. (a) Describe the features of Neural Networks in Information Retrieval. (8)  
(b) Write a note on Retrieval Evaluation. (7)
- IV. (a) Explain various phases in document in document pre-processing. (8)  
(b) Explain any three main structural queries. (7)
- OR**
- V. (a) Describe the Huffman compression algorithm in detail with the help of an example. (8)  
(b) Write a note on Suffix tree and Suffix array. (7)
- VI. Explain the implementation of Inverted files in MIMD architecture. (15)
- OR**
- VII. Describe the implementation of inverted files and signature files in SIMD Architecture. (15)
- VIII. Explain the architecture of a centralized and distributed search engine with figures. (15)
- OR**
- IX. Write short notes on:  
(i) Meta searcher (ii) Crawler (iii) Page Ranking (15)