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B.TECH.

THEORY EXAMINATION (SEM-VI) 2016-17 INFORMATION RETRIEVAL AND MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

Note: Be precise in your answer. In case of numerical problem assume data wherever not provided.

SECTION - A

1. Explain the following:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) How Rochhio's classification method is constructed?
- **(b)** State the uses of dendograms and give a neat sketch of hierarchical clustering dendograms.
- (c) Draw precsion recall curves.
- (d) Difference between OPAC and IRs.
- (e) Compare SIMD and MIMD.
- **(f)** Give the performance measures of parallel computing.
- (g) Show the diagrammatic view on parallel multitasking on a MIMD machine.
- (h) Write about query routing problem.
- (i) Difference between local and global inverted file.
- (j) Give the design issues of crawl module.

SECTION - B

2. Attempt any five of the following questions:

 $5 \times 10 = 50$

- (a) Analyze the challenges in IR system and give your suggestion to overcome that.
- (b) In what way is the signature approach advantageous over other text retrieval methods? Classify the signature based methods.
- (c) Elaborate the various challenges for effective delivery of digital library architecture.
- (d) Narrate MIMD architecture with respect to multitasking in parallel IR.
- (e) Give brief about how search engine works.
- (f) What is multimedia IR? Discuss steps on which of data retrieval relies.
- (g) Give a brief note on query processing in distributed IR system.
- (h) Explain the historical development of Information Systems. Discuss the sophistication in technology in detail.

SECTION - C

Attempt any two of the following questions:

 $2 \times 15 = 30$

- **3.** Elaborate OPACs and state the limitation of OPACs.
- **4.** Take diet expert system as a case study and give all the data required for storing. Explain various methods to retrieve data efficiently.
- **5.** Give brief about MIMD architecture with a neat sketch.