

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2023****Subject Code:3160619****Date:07-12-2023****Subject Name: Soft Computing Techniques****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

		MARKS
Q.1	(a) Differentiate “Soft” computing versus “Hard” computing.	03
	(b) What is fuzzy set and membership function?	04
	(c) Describe characteristics of soft computing and give any two examples of soft computing in civil engineering.	07
Q.2	(a) With the help of a figure, explain the features of fuzzy membership functions.	03
	(b) Explain union and intersection operation with example.	04
	(c) With the help of a block diagram, explain a fuzzy rule-based system	07
	OR	
	(c) Write a note on fuzzy implications and interferences	07
Q.3	(a) Compare the classical relation versus fuzzy relation.	03
	(b) With suitable example, explain how membership function assignment is performed using intuition.	04
	(c) Determine a fitness value of a function $f(x,y) = (x-6)^2 + (y-3)^2$ for a string 110010,000100,100001 having string length of first 3 bits for X and remaining 3 bits are for Y.	07
	OR	
Q.3	(a) What is defuzzification? List out various methods of defuzzification. Explain any one method of defuzzification in details.	03
	(b) Write a short note on Mamdani FIS for the formation of inference rules.	04
	(c) Realize the Mc-Culloch-Pitts neuron model for AND gate (take binary data).	07
Q.4	(a) Differentiate artificial neural network and biological neural network.	03
	(b) Describe biological and it's working.	04
	(c) Explain crossover and mutation in detail	07
	OR	
Q.4	(a) Explain chromosomes, gene, and allele in brief.	03
	(b) Enlist the step for solving problem using GA in MATLAB.	04
	(c) Explain different ANN architectures.	07
Q.5	(a) State the importance of Genetic algorithm.	03
	(b) Explain the concept of genetic-fuzzy systems	04
	(c) How are data represented in genetic programming?	07
	OR	
Q.5	(a) What are hybrid systems? List the various types of hybrid systems.	03
	(b) Write a short note on fuzzy neural system.	04
	(c) With the help of block diagram and flow chart, explain the one application of neural network in civil engineering.	07
