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**Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2023**

## **Neural Networks and Deep Learning**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

*Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.*

### Module-1

- 1 a. With code snippet explain gradient descent method using Tensor Flow. (10 Marks)
- b. With respect to perceptron, explain the following with a neat diagram:
  - i) Linear threshold unit
  - ii) Perceptron Learning rule. (10 Marks)

**OR**

- 2 a. With an example, explain logical computation with neurons and illustrate how ANNs performs simple logical computation. (10 Marks)
- b. With respect to training a DNN using plain Tensor Flow explain construction phase and execution phase. (10 Marks)

### Module-2

- 3 a. Describe Batch Normalization algorithm and explain its advantages. (10 Marks)
- b. Compare and contrast the features of RMS prop algorithm with ADAM algorithm. (10 Marks)

**OR**

- 4 a. Explain the techniques required to avoid overfitting through regularization. (10 Marks)
- b. Write a note on :
  - i) Reusing Pretrained Layers
  - ii) Freezing Lower Layers
  - iii) Catching the frozen layers. (10 Marks)

### Module-3

- 5 a. Write a note on:
  - i) Sharding variables across multiple parameter server
  - ii) Sharing state across sessions using resource container. (10 Marks)
- b. Define data parallelism and briefly explain Synchronous updates, Asynchronous updates and Bandwidth saturation. (10 Marks)

**OR**

- 6 a. Compare and contrast Alex Net architecture versus LeNet-5 architecture. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain fully convolutional network and discuss how can you convert a dense layer into a convolutional layer. (10 Marks)

### Module-4

- 7 a. With a diagram and example, explain the following :
  - i) Memory cell
  - ii) Input/Output sequences in RNN
  - iii) Peephole connections (10 Marks)
- b. Describe the process of combining a convolution neural network with RNN to classify the videos. (10 Marks)

**OR**

- 8 a. What are the advantages of building a RNN using dynamic-rnn( ) method rather than static-rnn method. (10 Marks)  
b. Discuss the techniques required to distribute training and execution of a deep RNN across multiple GPUs. (10 Marks)

**Module-5**

- 9 a. With code snippet and diagram explain variational autoencoders required for generating Fashion MNIST images. (10 Marks)  
b. What is OpenAI Gym? Explain the working of cartpole environment using OpenAI Gym. (10 Marks)

**OR**

- 10 a. Explain Reinforcement learning? Determine the features of reinforcement learning by comparing with regular supervised and unsupervised learning. (10 Marks)  
b. Using evaluation action of Reinforcement learning, propose a solution for credit assignment problem and justify how can you improve the rewards assigned. (10 Marks)

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