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Course: MCA
Sub_Code: MCPE2013

4th Semester Regular Examination: 2025-26

SUBJECT: DEEP LEARNING

BRANCH(S): MCA

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 100

Q.Code: V013

Answer Q1 (Part-I) which is compulsory, any eight from Part-II, and any two from Part-III.
The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Part-I

Q1 Answer the following questions: (2 x 10)

- State the role of layers in transforming input data in deep networks.
- Identify the purpose of activation functions in nonlinear modeling.
- Distinguish between model parameters and hyperparameters with an example.
- Define Restricted Boltzmann Machine in probabilistic terms.
- Differentiate between standard autoencoders and variational autoencoders.
- State the function of the generator and discriminator in GANs.
- State the purpose of filters/kernels in CNNs.
- List the different data types processed by CNNs.
- Define sequence modeling in deep learning.
- List the purpose of recurrent neural networks.

Part-II

Q2 Only Focused-Short Answer Type Questions- (Answer Any Eight out of Twelve) (6 x 8)

- A deep network suffers from vanishing gradients; analyze causes and suggest architectural improvements.
- Compare different activation functions and evaluate their suitability for various tasks.
- A model fails to converge due to an improper learning rate; describe corrective strategies.
- Illustrate the relationship between loss functions and optimization objectives.
- Describe Deep Belief Networks and their significance in unsupervised learning.
- A GAN fails to generate realistic images; analyze possible reasons and remedies.
- Explain how unsupervised pretraining improves deep network initialization.
- Compare deterministic and probabilistic generative models.
- Describe structured output prediction using CNNs.
- Compare CNNs with fully connected networks for image tasks.
- Compare different gated RNN architectures and their applications.
- A chatbot system uses sequence-to-sequence models; evaluate its design and performance issues.

Part-III

Only Long Answer Type Questions (Answer Any Two out of Four)

- Q3** Design a deep neural network architecture for a classification problem and justify each component. Compare linear and non-linear transformations in deep networks. **(16)**
- Q4** Present a comparative study of autoencoders, VAEs, and GANs with suitable diagrams and applications. A company uses GANs for synthetic data generation; evaluate the benefits and risks. **(16)**
- Q5** Describe the neuroscientific basis of CNNs and their relevance to artificial vision systems. Compare different variants of convolution functions. **(16)**
- Q6** Present a detailed analysis of sequence modeling using RNNs, LSTMs, and encoder-decoder architectures with suitable diagrams. **(16)**

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Course: MCA
Sub_Code: MCPE2022

4th Semester Regular Examination: 2025-26

SUBJECT: Cyber Security and Cyber Laws

BRANCH(S): MCA

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 100

Q.Code: V059

Answer Q1 (Part-I) which is compulsory, any eight from Part-II, and any two from Part-III.
The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.

Part-I

Q1 Answer the following questions: (2 x 10)

- a) Differentiate between threat and vulnerability.
- b) What are the different types of firewalls used in practice?
- c) Describe the working mechanism of RFID.
- d) How viruses are different from worm? Give one example of each.
- e) What is buffer overflow? How they can be dangerous to systems?
- f) How Static and Dynamic Analysis Help in Security?
- g) How Swap Analysis Helps in Cyber Forensics?
- h) Explain the concept of OS hardening and its importance in cybersecurity.
- i) What is jurisdiction in cyber law?
- j) Why is the IT Act considered insufficient for modern cybercrimes?

Part-II

Q2 Only Focused-Short Answer Type Questions- (Answer Any Eight out of Twelve) (6 x 8)

- a) Explain different methods of ensuring data integrity and non-repudiation.
- b) Explain hashing and digital signatures with examples.
- c) Differentiate between Symmetric key and Asymmetric Key Algorithms. Name two algorithms of each type.
- d) Describe the RSA algorithm in detail, including key generation, encryption, and decryption process.
- e) Discuss the role of hypervisors in virtualization.
- f) Discuss the major amendments made to the IT Act 2000 and their significance.
- g) Explain privacy and security challenges in IoT systems.
- h) Compare cyber laws of India with international regulations such as GDPR.
- i) Discuss different techniques for memory acquisition in digital forensics.
- j) Describe the process of packet capture and traffic analysis in network forensics.
- k) Explain the working of Distributed Denial-of-Service (DDoS) attacks and their impact.
- l) Explain the concept of code obfuscation and its detection methods.

Part-III

Only Long Answer Type Questions (Answer Any Two out of Four)

- Q3** Discuss the lifecycle of a cyber-attack, from vulnerability discovery to exploitation and impact, along with mitigation strategies. **(16)**
- Q4** Explain SQL injection attacks, types, working, real-world examples, and preventive measures. **(16)**
- Q5** Explain the key provisions of the Information Technology Act, 2000, including its objectives and scope. **(16)**
- Q6** Explain the working of DNS and DNS resolution process, including types of DNS servers. Discuss DNS security issues and attacks, along with mitigation techniques. **(16)**