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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
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Course Code: MRT 307

Course Name: SOFT COMPUTING TECHNIQUES

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

PART A*(Answer all questions; each question carries 3 marks)*

		Marks
1	What is meant by fuzzy set? Which are the operations on a fuzzy set?	3
2	Differentiate between soft computing and hard computing.	3
3	What is Newton's method in derivative based optimization?	3
4	What are the stopping criteria used in gradient method?	3
5	Differentiate between supervised and unsupervised learning.	3
6	Explain learning algorithm used in ADALINE with flow chart.	3
7	Explain Hebbian learning.	3
8	What are the conditions for equivalence of RBFN with FIS?	3
9	List the applications for adaptive system.	3
10	What is the difference between forward and inverse kinematics problem.	3

PART B*(Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 14 marks)***Module -1**

11	a) Define soft computing? List out its constituents.	5
	b) Write a note on characteristics of soft computing.	9
12	a) State Extension Principle. Illustrate its necessity in Fuzzy Set.	5
	b) Define:	9
	a) Gaussian Membership Function	
	b) Generalized Bell Membership Function	
	c) Sigmoid Membership Function	

Module -2

13	Explain different types of defuzzification schemes for obtaining a crisp output.	14
14	a) What is fuzzy inference system(FIS)?	5
	b) Illustrate Mamdani FIS and Sugeno FIS with example.	9

Module -3

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| 15 | Design travelling salesman problem using simulated annealing. | 14 |
| 16 | Discuss in detail about | 14 |
| | (a) Downhill simplex search | |
| | (b) Random search | |

Module -4

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| 17 | Explain Radial basis function networks in detail. | 14 |
| 18 | a) What is unsupervised learning and list the unsupervised neural network types? | 5 |
| | b) Explain | 9 |
| | (a) Learning vector quantization | |
| | (b) Competitive Learning | |

Module -5

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| 19 | a) Explain architecture of CANFIS for color recipe prediction. | 10 |
| | b) List down the main concerns in color recipe prediction. | 4 |
| 20 | Explain in detail about ANFIS and RBFN. | 14 |
