

Year: B. Tech III (Semester VI)

Subject Name: Artificial Intelligence and Applications

Subject Code: BTIT13602

Type of course: Professional Core Course

Prerequisite (if any): Data Structures, Discrete Mathematics

Rationale: This course of Artificial Intelligence and Applications is aimed to impart knowledge to develop intelligent systems and create algorithms capable of human-like solutions. This is achieved through the study of Search algorithms, knowledge representations, reasoning and logic programming, natural language processing etc.

Teaching and Examination Scheme:

Teaching Scheme				Theory Marks			Practical Marks		Total
L	T	P	C	TEE	CA1	CA2	TEP	CA3	
3	0	2	4	60	25	15	30	20	150

CA1: Continuous Assessment (assignments / projects / open book tests / closed book tests) CA2: Sincerity in attending classes / class tests / timely submissions of assignments / self-learning attitude / solving advanced problems TEE: Term End Examination TEP: Term End Practical Exam (Performance and viva on practical skills learned in course) CA3: Regular submission of Lab work / Quality of work submitted / Active participation in lab sessions / viva on practical skills learned in course.

Contents:

Sr. No.	Contents	Total Hrs
1.	Introduction to AI : Definition of AI, AI Problems, Task domain of AI – Mundane tasks, Formal tasks, Expert tasks; brief history of AI, Turing test, Ethics and Risks of developing AI based systems,	03
2.	Problem Representation and State Space Search – Defining a problem as state space search, Analyzing a Problem based on its characteristics; Example problems: Water Jug Problem, N-queens problem, 8-puzzle, Tic-Tac-Toe, Travelling Salesman Problem, Missionaries and Cannibals etc.; Production Systems	04
3.	Search strategies: Uninformed Search: Breadth-first search, Depth-first search, Heuristic function, Greedy-Best-First Search, A* Search, Hill-climbing search , limitation of hill climbing search :local and global maxima, Ridge, plateau, Simulated annealing, Local beam search, Problem reduction, AND-OR search, Means-Ends- Analysis, solving constraint satisfaction problems	07
4.	Adversarial Search: Overview, Multiplayer game environments, zero-sum games, minimax tree (or game tree), the minimax-algorithm, Alpha-beta pruning, Expectimax Search, cutting-off search, quiescence search	04

5.	Knowledge Representation and Reasoning: Knowledge representation - Issues and Approaches; Propositional logic, Inference and Deduction, Predicate logic, Unification, Resolution by refutation, Rule based systems, Forward Versus Backward Reasoning, Non-monotonic reasoning.	04
6.	Prolog Programming: Introduction, Syntax, Variables, Control Structures, Arithmetic Operators, representing facts and rules, matching in prolog, negation as failure, search strategy in prolog, backtracking, cut fail and repeat predicate, basic List manipulation operations	04
7.	Probabilistic and Statistical Reasoning: Acting under Uncertainty, The Basic Probability notation, inference using full joint distributions, Independence, Bayes' Rule and its Use, the semantics of Bayesian Networks, Conditional Independence, Markov blanket, Dempster-Shafer theory; Representing vagueness: Fuzzy sets, Membership function of fuzzy set, operations on fuzzy set, fuzzy inference system ; Applications in fuzzy logic: Design of fuzzy temperature controller, fuzzy washing machine	06
8.	Expert Systems: Representing and using domain knowledge, Expert system shells, explanation, knowledge Acquisition, Limitations of expert systems. Expert Systems case studies – MYCIN, CaDet (Cancer Decision Support Tool), DXplain (clinical support system)	05
9.	Natural Language Processing: Introduction, Steps in NLP: Morphological analysis, Syntactic Processing, Semantic Analysis, Discourse And Pragmatic Processing; Applications of NLP- AI based search engines, spell checking, machine translation, chatbots etc.	04
10.	Common Sense Reasoning: Representing Qualitative Information, Reasoning with Qualitative Information, Common Sense Ontologies, Memory Organization, Case based Reasoning	04

Suggested Specification table with Marks (Theory): (For B. Tech only)

Distribution of Theory Marks					
R Level	U Level	A Level	N Level	E Level	C Level
10	20	25	5	0	0

Legends: R: Remembrance; U: Understanding; A: Application, N: Analyze and E: Evaluate C: Create and above Levels (Revised Bloom's Taxonomy)

Reference Books:

Sr No.	Title of book /article	Author(s)	Publisher and details like ISBN
1.	Knowledge Representation and Reasoning	Ron Brachman and Hector Levesque	Morgan Kaufmann
2.	Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach	Stuart J. Russell, Peter Norvig	Pearson
3.	Artificial Intelligence	Elaine Rich And Kevin Knight	Tata McGraw-Hill

4.	Introduction to Artificial Intelligence and Expert Systems	Dan W. Patterson	PHI Learning
5.	Fuzzy Logic: An Introductory Course for Engineering Students	Enric Trillas, Luka Eciolaza	Springer
6.	Introduction to Turbo PROLOG	Carl Townsend	BPB Publications
7.	PROLOG Programming For Artificial Intelligence	Ivan Bratko	Addison-Wesley

Note: Students should refer to the latest editions of books

Course Outcomes:

Sr. No.	CO statements	Marks % weightage
CO-1	Analyse the characteristics of any complex problem formulate the problem as state space search.	10%
CO-2	Apply different uninformed, heuristic search and adversarial techniques to solve to various real time problems.	25%
CO-3	Examine knowledge representation issues, reasoning, formulate predicates-rules for real life problem solving	20%
CO-4	Apply reasoning approaches to handle uncertain knowledge	15%
CO-5	Demonstrate use rule based knowledge representation in developing Expert Systems	10%
CO-6	Ability to implement various list manipulation programs using Prolog	20%

List of Open learning website:

- NPTEL online course: An Introduction to Artificial Intelligence
○ (<https://nptel.ac.in/courses/106102220>)
- NPTEL online course: Artificial Intelligence: Introduction
○ (<https://nptel.ac.in/courses/106106126>)

List of Open Source Software:

- Python NLTK
- Prolog
- WEKA

List of Suggested Experiments:

- 1 Implement the Water Jug Problem.
- 2 Write a program to implement BFS (for 8 puzzle problem or Water Jug problem or any AI search

- problem).
- 3 Write a program to implement DFS (for 8 puzzle problem or Water Jug problem or any AI search problem)
 - 4 Write a program to Implement A* Algorithm
 - 5 Write a program to implement a single player game (using a rule based system)
 - 6 Write a Program to implement a two player game (using adversarial search)
 - 7 Write Prolog Program to Explore basic Prolog syntax and structure.
 - 8 Write Prolog Program to Explore operators and input output.
 - 9 Write a Prolog Program to Explore Cut, Fail and Repeat predicates.
 - 10 Write a PROLOG program for defining various facts about kinship relations
 - 11 Write prolog programs for following list operations
 - (a) Check the membership of an item in a given list.
 - (b) Find the size of a list
 - (c) Find the nth element of a given list.
 - (d) Find the last element of a given list.
 - (e) Delete an element in a given list.
 - (f) Append two given lists.
 - (g) Reverse a given list.
 - 12 Write a program to implement an expert system for medical diagnosis.
 - 13 Explore NLTK and write program to demonstrate basic NLTK functions.
 - 14 Implement a Bayesian Classifier for the given dataset. (WEKA)
 - 15 Design and simulate a Fuzzy temperature controller