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**R07****IV B.Tech I Semester (R07) Supplementary Examinations, May 2012****INFORMATION RETRIVAL SYSTEMS****(Information Technology)****Time: 3 hours****Max Marks: 80****Answer any FIVE Questions****All Questions carry equal marks****\*\*\*\*\***

1. Give the functional overview of information storage and retrieval systems.
2.
  - (a) Explain the concepts of proximity and contiguous word phrases.
  - (b) What is a natural language query? Explain.
  - (c) What is a canned query?
3.
  - (a) Compare and contrast pre coordination with post coordination.
  - (b) Explain indexing by term using probabilistic model.
4.
  - (a) Discuss successor stemmer, quote suitable example.
  - (b) Describe N-gram data structures.
5.
  - (a) Explain simple term frequency algorithm.
  - (b) What are the problems with weighting schemes?
6.
  - (a) Discuss the steps in the process of clustering.
  - (b) Describe clustering using existing clusters.
7.
  - (a) List the various similarity measures used to calculate the similarity between the item and the search statement.
  - (b) Discuss the three types of reasoning scenarios.
8.
  - (a) Explain Knuth – Morris – Pratt algorithm for text search with an example.
  - (b) What are the measures used in system evaluations.

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