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B.Tech IV Year I Semester (R09) Regular & Supplementary Examinations December 2015 **SOFT COMPUTING TECHNIQUES**

(Electrical & Electronics Engineering)

Time: 3 hours Max. Marks: 70

Answer any FIVE questions All questions carry equal marks

- 1 (a) Explain the characteristics of ANN and write the applications of ANN.
 - (b) What are the basic models of ANN based on connection topology? Explain each of them in detail.
- 2 Briefly discuss ANN architectures.
- 3 (a) Describe the ADALINE and radial basis function networks.
 - (b) What are the limitations of "Perceptron" model? Explain.
- 4 Explain training algorithms that is applicable to pattern association.
- 5 (a) Explain the terms:
 - (i) Fuzzy set.
 - (ii) Membership function.
 - (b) Explain about the cardinalities in fuzzy sets.
- 6 List the various defuzzification techniques. Explain each of them in detail.
- 7 (a) Describe the basic operators of a genetic algorithm.
 - (b) Explain about the mutation operator.
- 8 (a) Explain the fuzzy logic based unit commitment problem.
 - (b) Explain genetic algorithm based economic load dispatch.
