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DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 100

- Note :*
- (i) Attempt **ALL** questions.
 - (ii) All Questions carry **equal** marks.
 - (iii) In case of numerical problems assume data wherever not provided.
 - (iv) Be precise in your answer.

- 1 Attempt any **four** parts of the following : **5×4=20**
- (a) What do you mean by data abstraction? Explain the difference between different levels of data abstraction with proper diagram.
 - (b) Explain the concept of keys in DBMS. Also describe the different types of keys in details.
 - (c) Describe the extended E-R features in details. Give suitable diagrams to explain.
 - (d) Explain two-tier and three-tier architecture of DBMS in details.
 - (e) What do you mean database language and interfaces? What is the difference between DDL and DML? Explain.
 - (f) What do you mean by Entity and Relationship in E-R model? Explain different mapping cardinalities with examples.

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2 Attempt any **four** parts of the following: **5×4=20**

- (a) Given the relational schema $R = (A, B, C)$ and $S = (D, E, F)$ and relations $r(R)$ and $s(S)$. Give equivalent SQL statements for each of the following expressions: (i) $\pi_A(r)$ (ii) $\sigma_{B=17}(r)$
- (b) What do you mean by Triggers? How they are different from Assertions? Discuss.
- (c) What is union compatibility? Why do the UNION, INTERSECTION, and DIFFERENCE operations require that the relations on which they are applied be union compatible?
- (d) Discuss the various types of JOIN operations. Differentiate OUTER and INNER joins.
- (e) Discuss the terms domain constraints and key constraints in short. Give suitable examples.
- (f) Write short notes on following:
 - (i) Referential integrity
 - (ii) Domain calculus

3 Attempt any **four** parts of the following : **5×4=20**

- (a) Write and prove Armstrong's Axioms for functional dependencies.
- (b) What is the significance of normalization of the database? Define 1NF and 2NF.
- (c) What do you mean by canonical cover? Consider the following set F of functional dependencies on schema (A, B, C) :
 $A \rightarrow BC, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow B, AB \rightarrow C$
Compute the canonical cover of F .
- (d) What do you mean by multi-valued dependency? Also, explain the concept of 4NF in short.
- (e) Discuss lossless join and dependency preservation properties of a decomposition.

- (f) Consider the following two sets of functional dependencies :
F = $A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H$ and
G = $A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH$
Check, whether F and G are equivalent.
- 4 Attempt any **two** parts of the following : **10×2=20**
- (a) Explain the ACID properties of transaction. Draw and explain the state diagram of a transaction. What are the different anomalies that may occur due to concurrent execution?
 - (b) What do you mean by serial and serializable schedules? Explain the concept of conflict serializable and view serializable schedules with examples.
 - (c) Discuss the procedures of deadlock prevention, detection and recovery in details.
- 5 Attempt any **two** parts of the following : **10×2=20**
- (a) Explain the concept and working of locking techniques in concurrency control. What benefit does rigorous two-phase locking provide? How does it compare with older forms of two-phase locking?
 - (b) What do you mean by timestamps? Discuss timestamp-ordering protocol in details. Also, discuss Thomas' write rule and multiple granularities in short.
 - (c) What do you mean by log-based recovery? Explain deferred and immediate modification versions of the log-based recovery schemes. Also, compare these in terms of ease of implementation and overhead cost.