## Data Flow Diagram Practice 3

34 Marks

Design a data flow diagram (DFD) for an Online Course Enrolment System at a university.

- Students can browse available courses, enrol in courses, view their current enrolment status, and check their grades.
- Instructors can create new courses, update course details, and submit student grades.
- The system integrates with a Payment Gateway to handle course fees.
- University Administration staff can manage student accounts and course offerings.
- The system needs to maintain Student Records, an Available Course Catalogue, Enrolment Information, Payment Transactions, and Grade Records.

#### Task:

- 1. Draw a Level 0 Data Flow Diagram for this Online Course Enrolment System.
- 2. Decompose the "Manage Student Enrolment" process to Level 1, showing more detailed subprocesses and data flows involved when a student enrols in a course.

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## Level 0

| Symbolisation | Marks                          | Logic and structure | Marks                               |
|---------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| External      | Provides correct symbol for    | External            | Student [1 mark]                    |
| Entities      | data source [1 mark]           | Entities            | Instructor [1 mark]                 |
|               |                                |                     | Payment Gateway [1 mark]            |
|               |                                |                     | University Administration [1 mark]  |
| Processes     | Provides correct symbol for    | Processes           | Manage Courses [1 mark]             |
|               | Processes [1 mark]             |                     | Enrol Students [1 mark]             |
|               |                                |                     | Manage Grades [1 mark]              |
|               |                                |                     | Process Payments [1 mark]           |
|               |                                |                     | Manage Accounts [1 mark]            |
| Data Stores   | Provides correct symbol for    | Data Stores         | D: Data Store [1 mark]              |
|               | data store [1 mark]            |                     |                                     |
| Data flows    | Provides correct arrows with   | Data flows          | Data flows for Level 0 between all  |
|               | one way flow [1 mark]          |                     | identified entities, processes, and |
|               |                                |                     | data stores as described in the     |
|               | Provides correct labels that   |                     | scenario [3 marks]                  |
|               | explain relationships [1 mark] |                     |                                     |

## Level 1

| Symbolisation | Marks  | Logic and structure | Marks  |
|---------------|--|---------------------|--|
| External      | Provides correct symbol for                    | External            | Student [1 mark]                               |
| Entities      | data source [1 mark]                           | Entities            | Payment Gateway [1 mark]                       |
| Processes     | Provides correct symbol for Processes [1 mark] | Processes           | Browse Courses [1 mark] Select Course [1 mark] |
|               |  |                     | Submit Enrolment Request [1 mark]              |
|               |  |                     | Validate Enrolment [1 mark]                    |
|               |  |                     | Process Course Payment [1 mark]                |
|               |  |                     | Update Enrolment Status [1 mark]               |
| Data Stores   | Provides correct symbol for                    | Data Stores         | D: Data Store [1 mark]                         |
|               | data store [1 mark]                            |                     |  |
| Data flows    | Provides correct arrows with                   | Data flows          | Data flows for Level 0 between all             |
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