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8. a) Explain View with suitable example. What is the usefulness of a view ? 3 + 2
 b) Consider the following relations and write down expressions for the following queries :
 EMP (eid,ename,age,address,salary)
 Works (eid,did.hours)
 Dept (did,dname,managerid)
 i) List the name of employees who work for the 'Research' department for 8 hours using Relational Algebra.
 ii) List name and address of all employees with department number 5 using Relational Calculus.
 iii) Find the managerid of managers who manage only departments with budgets greater than 1 lac using SQL.
 iv) Find the employee who has highest salary using SQL. 10
9. What is functional dependency ? What is the need for normalization ? Explain 2nd and 3rd normal form with example. Consider the following relation :
 EMP_PROJ = { SSn, Pnumber, Hours, Ename, Pname, Plocation }, Assume { SSn, Pnumber } as primary key. The dependencies are { SSn, Pnumber } → Hours; SSn → Ename; Pnumber → { Pname, Plocation }.
 Normalize the above relation into 2NF. 3 + 3 + 3 + 6
10. a) Let R (ABCDE) be a relation schema and consider the following functional dependencies F = { AB → E, AD → B, B → C, C → D }, find out the candidate key. 5
 b) Draw the ER diagram of a hospital and explain. 10
11. Write short notes on any three of the following : 3 × 5
 a) Database language
 b) Metadata
 c) Two phase locking protocol
 d) B+ tree
 e) B tree.

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DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP - A

(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

Select the correct alternatives for the following :

10 × 1 = 10

Which one is not an aggregate function ?

- a) Sum b) Count
 c) Select d) max.

Which of the following is not a DDL statement ?

- a) SELECT b) ALTER
 c) CREATE d) DROP.

View is a

- a) Virtual relation b) Temporary relation
 c) Dynamic relation d) all of these.

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- iv) In relational model degree of a relation is
- no. of Attributes
 - no. of Rows
 - no. of Prime attributes
 - schema.
- v) The ability to change the conceptual schema without having to change external schema is
- logical data independence
 - physical data independence
 - three schema architecture
 - sub-schema.
- vi) Which key cannot be null ?
- Foreign key
 - Primary key
 - Super key
 - Unique key.
- vii) Relational calculus is a
- Procedural language
 - Non-Procedural language
 - Query language
 - none of these.
- viii) The rename operation used in relational algebra is
- unary operation
 - binary operation
 - ternary operation
 - none of these.
- ix) Overall logical structure of a database can be graphically represented by
- ER-diagram
 - Records
 - Relation
 - Hierarchy.
- x) A normal form in which every non prime attribute fully dependent on prime attribute is
- 1NF
 - 2NF
 - 3NF
 - BCNF.

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GROUP - B**(Short Answer Type Questions)**Answer any three of the following. $3 \times 5 = 15$

1. What is attribute inheritance ? Describe the concept of specialization and generalization in the context of E-R data model. $1 + 4$

2. List the advantages of using database system over file-based information system.

3. Describe Three-Schema Architecture of DBMS. Distinguish Physical Data Independence and Logical Data Independence. $3 + 2$

4. Discuss the ACID properties of transaction.

5. State the steps involved in query processing. Why is the query optimization needed ? $3 + 2$

GROUP - C**(Long Answer Type Questions)**Answer any three of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

- What is Weak entity set ? Explain with suitable example. 4
- What do you mean by 'Ternary relationship' ? Define the concept of aggregation with a suitable example. 4
- Define a foreign key. Why is the concept needed ? How does it play a role in the join operation ? 5
- Explain how to reduce a relationship set of an E-R diagram into relational schema. 2