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Course Title: Distributed Database Systems

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 70

- PART – A contains 5 (Five) questions (no. 1 to 5). Answer any 3 (Three) of them.
- PART – B contains 2 (Two) questions (no. 6 and 7). Answer ALL of them.
- Marks allotted are indicated in the right margin within '[]'.

PART - A

- ✓ 1. (a) Compare the features of distributed and centralized database. [6]
- (b) Provide descriptions with appropriate diagrams of – [3 x 2 = 6]
- i. A distributed database on geographically dispersed locations.
 - ii. A distributed database on a local network.
 - iii. A database with multiprocessor system.
- (c) Provide a diagram showing all the components of a distributed database management system. [2]
2. (a) Describe the ISO/ OSI reference architecture. [3]
- (b) Define *relational schema*, *grade* and *tuple* with proper examples. [3]
- (c) Consider the following relations.

ACCOUNT

ACC_ID	ACC_NAME	BRANCH_ID
111	Red	001
112	Green	002
113	Blue	001
114	Yellow	001
115	White	003

BRANCH

BRANCH_ID	LOCATION
001	dhk
002	dhk
003	ctg
004	ctg

Horizontal fragmentation is defined by the following fragmentation schema.

$$ACCOUNT_1 = SL_{BRANCH_ID="001"} ACCOUNT$$

$$ACCOUNT_2 = SL_{BRANCH_ID="002"} ACCOUNT$$

- i. Verify the *completeness*, *reconstruction* and *disjointness* conditions for the above fragmentation. [5]
- ii. Write a fragmentation schema to derive the *horizontal fragmentation* of *ACCOUNT* from *BRANCH* (based on *LOCATION*). [3]

3. (a) Consider the global relational schema $R (ID, NAME, GENDER, AGE)$, given the following fragmentation schema:

$$R_1^1 = PJ_{ID, NAME} R$$

$$R_2^2 = PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R$$

$$R_3^1 = SL_{GENDER=M}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)$$

$$R_4^2 = SL_{GENDER=F}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)$$

$$R_5^3 = PJ_{ID, AGE}(SL_{GENDER=M}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R))$$

$$R_6^3 = SL_{AGE > 20}(PJ_{ID, AGE}(SL_{GENDER=M}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)))$$

$$R_7^4 = SL_{AGE \leq 20}(PJ_{ID, AGE}(SL_{GENDER=F}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)))$$

$$R_8^3 = SL_{AGE > 20}(PJ_{ID, AGE}(SL_{GENDER=F}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)))$$

$$R_9^4 = SL_{AGE \leq 20}(PJ_{ID, AGE}(SL_{GENDER=M}(PJ_{ID, GENDER, AGE} R)))$$

- i. Draw the fragmentation tree. [5]
- ii. Show the allocation of the fragments to the physical images at different sites. How many of them are *non-redundant* allocation? [5]

- (b) Explain two different ways to build *mixed fragmentation* with appropriate diagrams. [4]

4. (a) Consider the following relation: [4]

Product	Warranty (months)	Price (thousands)
Laptop	24	70
Phone	12	20
Watch	6	10
Tablet	12	30

The following min-term predicates for the above relation are given:

$$m_1 : Product = Tablet \wedge Warranty < 12 \wedge Price \geq 20$$

$$m_2 : Product = Laptop \wedge Warranty \geq 12 \wedge Price \geq 20$$

$$m_3 : Product = Tablet \wedge Warranty < 12 \wedge Price < 20$$

$m_4 : \text{Product} \neq \text{Laptop} \wedge \text{Warranty} \geq 6 \wedge \text{Price} \geq 32$

$m_5 : \text{Product} \neq \text{Tablet} \wedge \text{Warranty} < 6 \wedge \text{Price} < 20$

Generate the set P of all possible simple predicates for m_1 to m_5 .

(b) Evaluate the following expression using the rules of qualified relation. Show the steps and indicate the rules applied. [5]

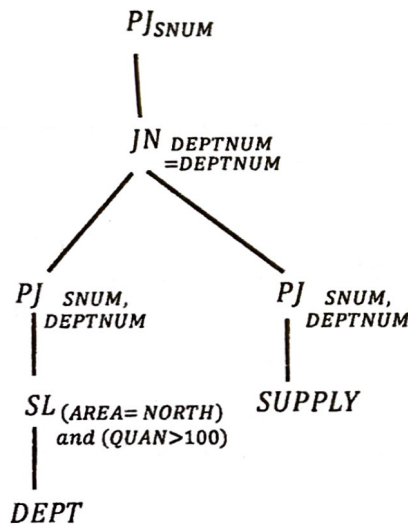
$[M : qm] \text{ DF } (([R : qr] \text{ UN } [S : qs]) \text{ JN}_F([M : qm] \text{ CP } [S : qs]))$

(c) Consider the following relational schema: [5]

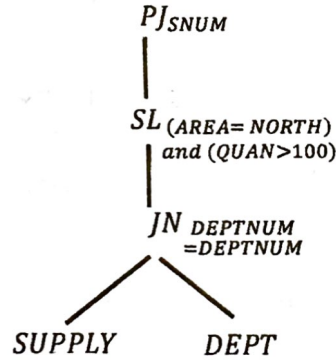
$\text{DEPT} (\text{DEPTNUM}, \text{NAME}, \text{AREA}, \text{MGRNUM})$

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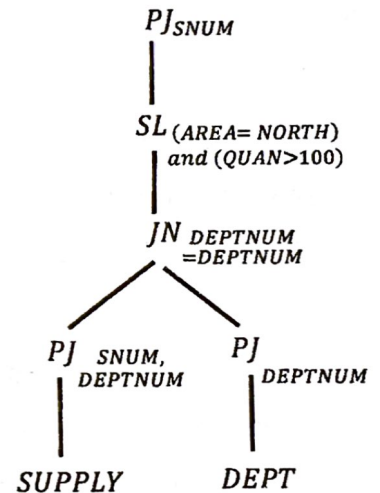
Find the invalid operator trees from the following trees (Q_1 , Q_2 and Q_3). State the reason behind your answer.



(Q_1)

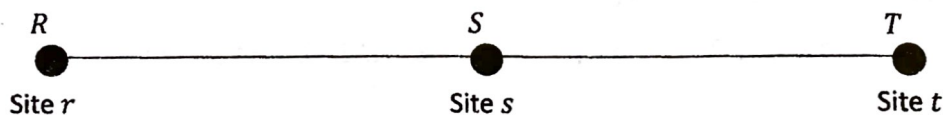


(Q_2)



(Q_3)

5. (a) Consider the following distributed database with the relations R , S and T over a network.



Let the system dependent constants be $C_0 = 0$ and $C_1 = 1$, and suppose, the following things are known.

$size(R) = 50$; $card(R) = 100$; $val(a[R]) = 50$; $size(a) = 2$

$size(S) = 20$; $card(S) = 50$; $val(b[S]) = 50$; $size(b) = 2$

$size(T) = 10$; $card(T) = 50$; $val(c[T]) = 50$; $size(c) = 2$

$R \Join_{a=b} S$ has selectivity $\rho = 0.1$

$S \Join_{b=a} R$ has selectivity $\rho = 0.9$

$T \Join_{c=b} S$ has selectivity $\rho = 0.5$

$S \Join_{b=c} T$ has selectivity $\rho = 0.5$

The query we want to perform, $Q: (R \Join_{a=b} S) \cup (T \Join_{c=b} S)$.

Give the total transmission cost of performing Q at site s using the semi-join program and without the semi-join program. Which one is the best solution? [5+5+1=11]

(b) Define *transaction recovery*, *crash recovery* and *commitment*. [3]

PART - B

6. (a) Consider the following global query:

$$((SL_{F1} R \Join_{A=B} S) \text{ DF } (SL_{F2} R \Join_{A=B} S)) \text{ NJN } ((R \Join_{A=B} S) \cup (SL_{F3} R \Join_{A=B} S)) \cup (SL_{F1} \text{ AND NOT } F2(R \Join_{A=B} S))$$

- i. Draw the operator tree. [2]
- ii. Perform step-by-step transformations to simplify the operator tree, indicating which rule and criterion is applied at each step. [5]
- iii. Write the query from the obtained simplified tree. [2]
- iv. Transform the simplified query into fragment query by applying canonical expression. Say, R has three fragments, R_1, R_2, R_3 , and S has two fragments S_1, S_2 . [2]

(b) Prove the following rule of qualified relation: [3]

$$[A : a] \Join_P [B : b] \Rightarrow [A \Join_P B : a \text{ AND } b \text{ AND } P]$$

7. (a) Four fragments R , S , M and T of a relation are given. We want to perform the following query.

$$Q: (P_{J_a}(R \text{ UN } S)) \Join_{a=a} (SL_{m= \text{value}}(M \text{ UN } T))$$

Database profiles are provided below.

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{card}(R) = 300 \\ \text{site}(R) = 1 \end{array}$$

	a	b	c	d
size	6	7	2	10
val	300	1000	30	50

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{card}(S) = 100 \\ \text{site}(S) = 4 \end{array}$$

	a	b	c	d
size	6	7	2	10
val	100	10	20	15

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{card}(T) = 2000 \\ \text{site}(T) = 3 \end{array}$$

	a	m	n
size	6	5	4
val	2000	5	5

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{card}(M) = 2000 \\ \text{site}(M) = 2 \end{array}$$

	a	m	n
size	6	5	4
val	2000	5	5

Assume that, the result of $(R \text{ UN } S)$ has no duplicate values for the attribute a , and the same property stands for $(M \text{ UN } T)$.

Now answer the following questions.

- If attribute a is the primary key of S , then $\text{card}(S) = ?$ [1]
- $\text{size}(R \Join_{a=a} M) = ?$ [2]
- For the simple selection $SL_{m= \text{value}}(M \text{ UN } T)$, estimate the selectivity p . [2]
- Estimate the cardinality of the result of Q . Indicate the formulas applied. [3]
- Estimate the total size of data in the result of Q . Indicate the formulas applied. [2]

- (b) Write a reducer program for the query Q mentioned in 7(a) to optimize the corresponding operator tree. Draw the obtained optimization graph. [4]

$$\begin{aligned} \text{card}(M \text{ UN } T) &= \text{card}(M) + \text{card}(T) \\ &= 4000 \end{aligned}$$

$$= p \times \text{card} 4000$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{val}[M(m)]}$$

$$\frac{1}{5} =$$