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Paper Code : CS-601

DATA BASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Time Allotted : 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)

1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following :

10 × 1 = 10

- i) The information about data in a database is called
 - a) Metadata
 - b) Teradata
 - c) Hyperdata
 - d) none of these.
- ii) What is the highest normal form for the relational schema Bank ?
 - a) First
 - b) Second
 - c) Third
 - d) Boyce code.

- iii) Which operator performs pattern matching in SQL ?
- a) Except
 - b) Intersect
 - c) Like
 - d) All of these.
- iv) Select operation in SQL is a
- a) Data query language
 - b) Data definition language
 - c) DML
 - d) DCL.
- v) Serializability of concurrent transactions are ensured by
- a) Locking
 - b) Drop
 - c) Both of these
 - d) None of these.
- vi) Which index is specified on the non-ordering fields of a file ?
- a) Primary
 - b) Clustering
 - c) Secondary
 - d) None of these.

- vii) One of the shortcomings of the file system is
- a) Data availability
 - b) Fixed records
 - c) Sequential records
 - d) Lack of security.
- viii) In the E-R diagram the term 'Cardinality' is synonymous to
- a) Attribute
 - b) Degree
 - c) Entities
 - d) Cartesian.
- ix) The employee salary should not be greater than Rs. 20,000. This is
- a) integrity constraint
 - b) referential constraint
 - c) over-defined constraint
 - d) feasible constraint.
- x) What is the name of a trigger that triggers itself ?
- a) Triggering trigger
 - b) Cascading trigger
 - c) Mutating trigger
 - d) None of these.

GROUP – B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 5 = 15$

2. Discuss the ACID properties of transactions.
3. a) Distinguish between file management system and database management system.
b) Discuss the role of DBA.
4. What is Cardinality ratio ? What is the difference between procedural and non-procedural DML ? Describe different types of attribute.
5. What is closure and minimal cover ? What is inclusion dependency ?
6. What is 2-phase locking protocol ? How does it guarantee serializability ?

GROUP – C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

7. a) Find out the closure of attribute set (AD) i.e. $(AD)^+$ in the R . Set of FD's F are as given below :
 $R = \{ A, B, C, D, E \},$
 $FD = \{ B \rightarrow CD, D \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow A, E \rightarrow C, AD \rightarrow B \}.$
b) Find out the candidate keys for R .

- c) Consider the following two sets of FDs :

$$F = \{ A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H \}$$

$$G = \{ A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH \}.$$

Check whether they are equivalent. Justify your answer. 5 + 5 + 5

8. Consider the relational database :

Employee (person-name, street, city)

Works (person-name, company name, salary)

Company (company name, city)

Manages (person-name, manager-name)

Write down appropriate SQL statement for the following queries :

- a) Find the name of all employees who work for 'SBI bank'.
- b) Find name, street address, cities of residence of all employees who work for 'UBI Bank' and earn more than Rs. 5,00,000 per annum.
- c) Find the second highest salary for employees in 'SBI bank'.
- d) Find the names of all employees who live in the same city and on the same street as do their manager.
- e) Find the company that has the most employees.

9. a) What are the various states of a transaction ?
Explain with a state diagram.

- b) Consider the following schedule :

$S1 : r2 (C), r2 (B), w2 (B), r3 (B), r3 (C), r1 (A),$
 $w1 (A), w3 (B), w3 (C), r2 (A), r1 (B), w1 (B),$
 $w2 (A).$

Is the schedule serializable ?

- c) What is cascadeless schedule ? Why is cascadeless of schedule desired ?
- d) Explain log based recovery. 5 + 5 + 3 + 2
10. a) If $R = (A, B, C, D)$ and the FDs are
 $\{ AB \rightarrow CE, E \rightarrow AB, C \rightarrow D \}$. Why R is in 2 NF, but
 not in 3 NF ? Explain.
- b) Show that if a relation schema is in BCNF, then it
 is in 3 NF but if a relation schema is in 3 NF then it
 is not necessary in BCNF. Give examples.
- c) What are metadata and data dictionary ?
- d) Explain the terms candidate key, primary key,
 foreign key and super key. 5 + 3 + 2 + 5

11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 3 × 5

- a) Armstrong's axioms
 - b) Time stamp based protocol for concurrency protocol
 - c) Log based recovery
 - d) Ordered Index
 - e) Deadlock.
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