Unit-V 9. a) Explain hierarchical queries, inline queries and flash back

What are user defined functions in oracle. Explain Data dictionary.

OR

What are cursors? Explain nested and parameterized cursors.

b) Explain:

- i) Hierarchical queries
 - ii) Inline queries

queries.

iii) Flashback queries.

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Note: 1. Attempt any one question from each unit.

2. All questions carry equal marks.

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Unit-I

- Explain system structure of DBMS. Explain the following terms:
 - i) Database schema
 - ii) Data Independence
 - Differentiate between two tier and three tier client/server architecture.

- Explain the following: 2. a)
 - i) Mapping cardinalities
 - ii) Participation constraints.
 - iii) Attribute inheritance
 - Explain the tabular representation of the following:
 - i) Strong entity set
 - ii) Weak entity set
 - iii) Relation ship sets
 - iv) Generalization

Unit-II

- 3. a) Explain the following with examples:
 - i) Super key
 - ii) Primary key
 - iii) Alternate key
 - iv) Extensions and Intensions
 - b) What is union compatibility? Why do the union intersection and set difference operations require that the relations on which they are applied are union compatible.

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- 4. a) Explain natural join, outer join, full outer join, left outer join and that a join with examples.
 - b) Consider the following database with primary key under lined.
 - i) Employee (ENO, DOB, Name, Address, Sex, Salary, Dept-No)
 - ii) Department (Dept-no, Dept-Name):

For each of the following queries give expression in SQL

- i) Retrieve the names of employees in department 5
- ii) Retrieve names of all employees who are not in department 5
- iii) Retrieve the average salary of all female employees
- iv) Write SQL DDL statements of above database.

Unit-III

5. a) Consider the relation R(A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J) and set of dependencies.

$$F = \{ \{A,B\} \to \{C\}, \{A\} \to \{D,E\}, \{B\} \to \{F\},$$
$$\{F\} \to \{G,H\}, \{D\} \to \{I,J\}$$

What are the keys of R, Decompose R in 2NF and 3NF?

- b) Differentiate between 3NF and BCNF with examples. 7
 OR
- a) Consider the relational schema R(A, B, C) with FD's AB → C, and C → A. Show that the schema R is in 3NF but not in BCNF. Also determine minimal keys of R.
 - b) Explain various steps of query optimization. Also discuss optimization methods.

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- 7. a) Explain various transaction states with their description.
 Also discuss its state diagram.
 - b) State and write ahead log rule. Why is the rule necessary?
 -) Explain check point record. 3

OR

- 8. a) State two phase locking theorem. Explain how two phase locking deals with RW, WR, and WW conflicts. 7
 - b) Transaction usually cannot be nested inside one another. Why not?
 - c) What are the recovery implication of physical writing database buffers at COMMIT. 4

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