

COURSE CODE: DCAP606

COURSE TITLE: BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 80

1. *This paper contains 10 questions divided in two parts on 1 page.*
2. ***Part A is compulsory.***
3. ***In Part B (Questions 2 to 10), attempt any 6 questions out of 9. Attempt all parts of the selected question.***
4. *The marks assigned to each question are shown at the end of each question in square brackets.*
5. *Answer all questions in serial order.*
6. ***The student is required to attempt the question paper in English medium only.***

PART-A

Q1.

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| (a) Define Business Intelligence. | [2] |
| (b) Describe various types of metadata. | [2] |
| (c) What does the term data view mean? | [2] |
| (d) Discuss the concept of cube. | [2] |
| (e) Define the term dimensions. | [2] |
| (f) What is a DrillThrough action? | [2] |
| (g) What do you understand by reporting tool functionalities? | [2] |
| (h) What is the importance of reporting services in SQL Server? | [2] |
| (i) List the various applications of Business intelligence. | [2] |
| (j) Describe Key Performance Indicators. | [2] |

PART-B

- Q2. Explain the various types of data mining algorithms. Also describe the issues associated with data mining. [10]
- Q3. Explain in detail the various reporting services that are provided by SQL Server. [10]
- Q4. What are the various steps you perform and the factors you need to consider while creating your first Business Intelligence Project? [10]
- Q5. The Cube Model wizard automatically creates measures from the numeric columns in the fact table. Justify the statement by explaining in detail the wizard to create cube. [10]
- Q6. Explain the characteristics of effective KPIs. Also discuss the challenges in creating KPIs. [10]
- Q7. Discuss how to build an account dimension to support financial analysis. [10]
- Q8. The Multidimensional Expressions query allows users to describe queries and manipulate multidimensional information. Discuss in detail how to use MDX to query multidimensional data. [10]
- Q9. Elucidate the basic concepts of OLAP. Also mention the advantages of OLAP. [10]
- Q10. What is the importance of dimensional data warehouse? Explain in detail. [10]