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Name of Programme of Study: _____, Roll No: _____

(To be filled by the Student)

MID Term Examination

Semester: Second

Name of the Course: Database Management System

Course Code: MCA 505

Time: 1 1/2 Hours

Date: 08/05/2023

Maximum Marks: 40

Note:

1. Answer Sections A, B & C in the answer book provided.
2. Comply with the instructions given in the Main Answer Book carefully.

SECTION - A

MULTI CHOICE QUESTIONS

(10x1=10 Marks)

1. Answer all the following TEN questions with ONE mark each.

- a) A B-tree of order m has maximum of _____ children.
• (A) m (B) m-1 (C) m-1 (D) m/2
- b) Which of the following is not a comparison operator in SQL?
(A) <=> (B) LIKE (C) BETWEEN • (D) <<
- c) The database schema is written in
(A) HLL • (B) DML (C) DDL (D) DCL
- d) A set of possible data value of an attribute is called
(A) Association (B) Degree (C) Tuple • (D) Domain
- e) In a network data model records are organized as
• (A) Graph (B) List (C) Tree (D) Links
- f) Define multi-valued attribute
- g) What is a primary key?
- h) What do you mean by synonym keys?
- i) What is a weak entity type?
- j) What is collision?

SECTION - B
SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

Answer any Two out of the following SIX questions. Each question carries FIVE marks. (2x5=10 Marks)

2. What do you mean by relationship? Discuss its types.
3. Define foreign key. Explain the concept and usage of foreign key in a database.
4. Discuss index sequential file management using an example.
5. List and discuss any five string function supported in SQL using an example of each.
6. Discuss the concept of hierarchical data model.
7. Discuss different types of symbol used in ER diagram.

SECTION - C

LONG ANSWER ESSAY TYPE QUESTIONS

Answer any Two out of the following TWO questions. Each question carries TEN marks. (2x10=20 Marks)

8. What is database? Discuss advantages and disadvantages of using databases.
9. List and discuss the different type of statement supported in SQL.
10. What do you mean by hashing? Discuss different types hashing techniques in detail.
11. Discuss three level architecture of DBMS in detail.