

Q1. (A): There are various categories of applications using database concepts like:-

- a) Business and commerce:- (i) (Customer Relationship Managements (CRM)) store information and track interactions.
- ii) (Inventory Management) tracks inventory levels, orders and deliveries
- b) Healthcare:- (i) (Electronic Health Records (EHR)) store patient records and medical histories
- ii) (Pharmacy Management) manages drug inventory and prescriptions.
- c) Education:- i) (Student Information System (SIS)) manages student records, grades and attendance
- ii) (Learning Management System (LMS)) stores course materials and student ~~progra~~ progress. and many more.

Q11 B) RXS (Cartesian Product)

A	B	C.X	D.X	C.Y	D.Y	E
1	2	3	4	1	2	4
1	2	3	4	3	4	1
1	2	3	4	5	1	6
1	2	3	4	4	2	3
2	2	3	1	1	2	4
2	2	5	1	3	4	1
2	2	5	1	5	1	6
2	2	2	1	4	2	3
3	4	2	6	1	2	4
3	4	2	6	3	2	1
3	4	2	6	5	2	6
3	4	2	6	4	2	3
4	2	5	3	1	2	4
4	2	5	3	3	4	1
4	2	5	3	5	1	6
4	2	5	3	4	2	3

ii)  $R \bowtie R \cdot P = S \cdot P$  (Natural join)

A	B	C.X	P	C.Y	E
1	2	3	4	3	1
2	2	5	1	5	6

iii)  $R \bowtie R \cdot A = S \cdot E S$  (Natural join)

A	B	C.X	P.X	C.Y	P.Y	E
1	2	3	4	3	4	1
3	4	2	6	4	2	3
4	2	5	3	1	2	4

iv a)  $R \cup S$  (union)

A	B	C	D	E
1	2	3	4	-
2	2	5	1	-
3	4	2	6	-
4	2	5	3	-
-	-	1	2	4
-	-	3	4	1
-	-	5	1	6
-	-	4	2	3

b)  $R \cap S$  (Intersection)

A	B	C	D	E
1	2	3	4	1
2	2	5	1	6

v) a)  $R - S$  (Difference)

A	B	C	D
3	4	2	6
4	2	5	3

b)  $S - R$  (Difference)

C	D	E
1	2	4
4	2	3



Q1c) To analyze whether the given schedules can be converted into a serializable schedule, we need to check if the transactions  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  can be reordered in such a way that final result is equivalent to some serial execution of these transactions.

Given:  $T_1$ : Read (A)

$A = A - 50$

$B = B - 10$

Write (B)

commit

$T_2$ : Read (A)

$A = A + 10$

Write (A)

commit

Steps to Analyze serializability:-

i) Identify conflicting operations:- They occur when two transactions access the same data item and at least one of the accesses is a write. Here both  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  access A.

ii) Check for conflicts  $\rightarrow T_1$  reads A and then writes B  
 $\rightarrow T_2$  reads A and writes A

iii) Conflict Analysis:  $\rightarrow T_1$  reads A before  $T_2$  reads A  
 $\rightarrow T_2$  writes A after  $T_1$  reads A

Now to determine serializability, we construct a conflict graph.

$\rightarrow$  Nodes represent transactions. Here nodes are  $T_1$  &  $T_2$ .

$\rightarrow$  Directed edges represent conflicts. Here edge is

$T_1 \rightarrow T_2$  because from  $T_1$  to  $T_2$  because  $T_1$  reads A before  $T_2$  writes A

As conflict graph has no cycles,  $S$  is conflict serializable.

[Equivalent serial schedule is  $T_1$  followed by  $T_2$ ].

Q2A)

B+ Tree	B Tree
a) All values are stored at the leaf nodes. Internal nodes only store keys.	a) values can be stored at both internal and leaf nodes
b) Leaf nodes are linked, allowing efficient sequential access and range queries.	b) Leaf nodes are not linked, making sequential access less efficient.
c) It has a lower height for the same number of keys, resulting in faster search times.	c) It may have a higher height, leading to more disk I/O operations during searches.
d) It has better space utilization as all keys are stored in the leaf nodes.	d) Space utilization can be less efficient as values are stored both in internal and leaf nodes.
e) Insertion and deletion is more efficient due to the structure of the tree and linked leaf nodes.	e) Insertion and deletion can be more complex and less efficient as values need to be managed at multiple levels.

Q2B) CREATE TABLE Student (

Student\_ID INT PRIMARY KEY,

Student\_Name VARCHAR 2(255),

Age INT,

Hobby VARCHAR 2(255)

DOB DATE,



Address-ID INT,

FOREIGN KEY (Address-ID) REFERENCES Address  
(Address-ID)

);

CREATE TABLE course(

course-ID INT PRIMARY KEY,  
course-Name VARCHAR2(255)

);

CREATE TABLE f subjects(

subject-ID INT PRIMARY KEY,  
subject-Name VARCHAR2(255),  
LECTURER-ID INT,  
FOREIGN KEY (LECTURE-ID) REFERENCES  
LECTURER (Lecturer-ID)

Q2C) i) SELECT DISTINCT suppliers.sid

FROM suppliers

JOIN catalog ON suppliers.sid = catalog.sid

JOIN parts ON catalog.pid = parts.pid

WHERE parts.colour = 'red' AND

suppliers.address = '221 Packer Street';

ii) SELECT DISTINCT suppliers.sid

FROM suppliers

JOIN catalog ON suppliers.sid = catalog.sid

JOIN parts ON catalog.pid = parts.pid

WHERE parts.colour = 'red';

Q3A) i)

SELECT Appointment.time, Clients.name  
FROM Appointments

JOIN staff ON Appointment.sid = staff.sid

JOIN client ON Appointment.cid = clients.cid

WHERE staff.name = 'Amar' AND MONTH (Appointment.date) = 6;

ii) SELECT DISTINCT clients.cid, clients.name,  
clients.phone  
FROM clients  
JOIN Appointment AS A1 ON clients.cid = A1.cid  
JOIN Appointment AS A2 ON clients.cid = A2.cid  
WHERE A1.service = 'order processing' AND  
A2.service = 'technical support'; ~~A2-se~~

iii) SELECT DISTINCT staff.name FROM staff

JOIN Appointments on staff.sid = Appointment.sid  
JOIN clients ON Appointments.cid = clients.cid  
WHERE clients.name LIKE 'A %h'  
ORDER BY staff.name DESC;

iv) SELECT DISTINCT clients.name AS client\_name  
FROM clients  
JOIN Appointment AS A1 ON clients.cid = A1.cid  
WHERE A1.date > (SELECT MIN(A2.date)  
FROM Appointments AS A2  
WHERE A2.service = 'technical  
support';

v) SELECT DISTINCT clients.cid, clients.name  
FROM clients  
JOIN Appointments ON clients.cid = Appointments.cid  
JOIN staff ON Appointments.sid = staff.sid  
WHERE Appointments.service = 'order processing'  
AND clients.name <> staff.name;



Q3 B) A functional dependency  $X \rightarrow Y$  is non-trivial if  $Y$  is not a subset of  $X$ .

$\Rightarrow$  Analysis  $\Rightarrow A \xrightarrow{*} B$ : For each unique value of  $A$ ,  $B$  is always  $b_1$ : This is non-trivial F.D

$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow A$  For each unique value of  $B$ ,  $A$  can be  $a_1$  or  $a_2$ , This is not a valid F.D

$\Rightarrow A \rightarrow C$ : For each unique value of  $A$ ,  $C$  can be  $c_1$  or  $c_2$  for  $a_1$  and  $c_1$  or  $c_3$  for  $a_2$ . This is not a valid F.D

$\Rightarrow B \rightarrow C$ : For each unique value of  $B$ ,  $C$  can be  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  or  $c_3$ . This is not a valid F.D.

$\Rightarrow A, B \xrightarrow{*} C$ : For each unique combination of  $A$  and  $B$ ,  $C$ 's uniquely determined. This is a valid non-trivial F.D

$\Rightarrow C \rightarrow A$ : For each unique value of  $C$ ,  $A$  can be  $a_1$  or  $a_2$ . This is not a valid F.D

$\Rightarrow C \xrightarrow{*} B$ : For each unique value of  $C$ ,  $B$  is always  $b_1$ . This is a valid non-trivial F.D

Q3 C)

i) `SELECT S.name AS staff_Name, A.service,  
COUNT(DISTINCT A.CID) AS NoOfDistinct  
FROM staff S`

`JOIN Appointments A on S.SID = A.SID  
GROUP BY S.name, A.service  
ORDER BY S.name, A.service`

ii) `DELETE FROM staff  
WHERE SID NOT IN (SELECT DISTINCT SID FROM  
Appointments).`

Q4A) i) a Natural join:-

ID	Name	Block-No	Room-No
1	Abhi	AB5	215
2	Adam	AB1	302
3	Alex	AB5	316

b) Left outer join

ID	Name	Block-No	Room-No
1	Abhi	AB5	215
2	Adam	AB1	302
3	Alex	AB5	316
4	Anu	—	—

c) Full outer join

ID	Name	Block-No	Room-No
1	Abhi	AB5	215
2	Adam	AB1	302
3	Alex	AB5	316
4	Anu	—	—

ii) Referential Integrity ensures that the relationships between tables remain constant. It means that a foreign key in one table must always refer to a valid primary key in another table.

To handle the violation given, we can use ON DELETE CASCADE with foreign key constraint.



Q48) To design the database in 3NF, we need to ensure that:-

(i) The relation is in 2NF

ii) There are no transitive dependencies

so we assume:-

- Each department has a unique department number
- Each employee has a unique employee number
- Each project has a unique project number.
- Each department has a unique manager.
- Each employee is assigned to one project at a time.

Relations:-

1) Department :- a) Attributes:- Dept No (PK), Budget  
Manager Employee Number (FK)

b) Dependencies  $\rightarrow$  Dept No  $\rightarrow$  Budget, Manager Employee Number

2) Employee - a) Attributes - EmpNo (PK), Curr Proj No (FK)  
OfficeNo, PhoneNo.

b) Dependencies :- EmpNo  $\rightarrow$  Curr Proj No, OfficeNo, PhoneNo.

3) Projects :- a) Attributes :- ProjNo (PK), Budget

b) Dependencies :- ProjNo  $\rightarrow$  Budget

4) Dept Projects :- a) Attributes :- DeptNo (FK), ProjNo (FK)

b) Dependencies :- DeptNo, ProjNo  $\rightarrow$  (No of additional attributes)

$\Rightarrow$  This design ensures that the database is 3NF by eliminating transitive dependencies & ensuring that each non key attribute is fully functionally dependent on the primary key.

This design also maintains referential integrity through the use of Foreign keys.

Q4c) Relational Schema:

a) Scientist      CREATE TABLE Scientist (  
                    sid INT PRIMARY KEY,  
                    sname VARCHAR2(255),  
                    fname VARCHAR2(255),  
                    lname VARCHAR2(255),  
                    country VARCHAR2(255),  
                    );

b) Research Area :- CREATE TABLE ResearchArea(  
                    sid INT,  
  
                    RArea VARCHAR2(255)  
                    PRIMARY KEY (sid, RArea),  
                    FOREIGN KEY (sid) REFERENCES  
                    Scientist(sid)  
                    );

Invention : CREATE TABLE Invention(  
                    iid INT PRIMARY KEY,  
                    iname VARCHAR2(255),  
                    year INT  
                    );

d) Invents : CREATE TABLE Invents (  
                    sid INT,  
                    IID INT,  
                    PRIMARY KEY (sid, IID);  
                    FOREIGN KEY (sid) REFERENCES  
                    Scientist(sid),  
                    FOREIGN KEY (IID) REFERENCES  
                    Invention(IID)  
                    );



Q 5A) Given Functional Dependencies :  $A \rightarrow BCD$

$BC \rightarrow DE$

$B \rightarrow D$

$D \rightarrow A$

i) To compute  $B^+$ , we apply FDs iteratively until no new attributes can be added.

→ Start with  $B^+ = \{B\}$

→ using  $B \rightarrow D$ , add  $D$  to  $B^+ = \{B, D\}$

→ using  $D \rightarrow A$ , add  $A$  to  $B^+ = \{B, D, A\}$

→ using  $A \rightarrow BCD$ , add  $C$  to  $B^+$ :  $B^+ = \{B, D, A, C\}$

→ using  $BC \rightarrow DE$ , add  $E$  to  $B^+$ :  $B^+ = \{B, D, A, C, E\}$

ii) To prove  $AF$  is a superkey, we need to show that  $(AF)^+$  contains all attributes of  $R$ .

→ Start with  $(AF)^+ = \{A, F\}$

→ using  $A \rightarrow BCD$ , add  $B, C, D$  to  $(AF)^+$ :  $(AF)^+ = \{A, F, B, C, D\}$

→ using  $BC \rightarrow DE$ , add  $E$  to  $(AF)^+$ :  $(AF)^+ = \{A, F, B, C, D, E\}$

$(AF)^+$  contains all attributes of  $R$ :

$(AF)^+$  is a superkey

iii) Compute canonical cover

a) Decompose FDs so that each has a single attribute on RHS:-

$A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D, BC \rightarrow D, BC \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A$ .

b) Remove extraneous attributes from LHS:-

$A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D, BC \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A$

c) Remove redundant FDs:-

$A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D, BC \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A$

Final canonical cover

### iv) 3NF decomposition

using canonical cover, we decompose R into 3NF relations:-

$R_1 (A, B, C, D)$  with  $A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D$

$R_2 (B, C, E)$  with  $BC \rightarrow E$

$R_3 (B, D)$  with  $B \rightarrow D$

$R_4 (D, A)$  with  $D \rightarrow A$ .

### iv) BCNF decomposition:-

#### a) Identify violations of BCNF:-

$A \rightarrow BCD$  (violates BCNF if A is not a superkey)

$BC \rightarrow DE$  (violates BCNF if BC is not a superkey)

$B \rightarrow D$  (violates BCNF if B is not a superkey)

$D \rightarrow A$  (violates BCNF if D is not a superkey)

#### b) Decompose based on violations:-

Decompose R into  $R_1 (A, B, C, D)$  and  $R_2 (D, A)$

Decompose  $R_1$  into  $R_3 (A, B, C)$  and  $R_4 (B, D)$

Decompose  $R_3$  into  $R_5 (A, B)$  and  $R_6 (B, C, E)$

→ Final BCNF relations:-

1.  $R_1 (A, B)$

2.  $R_2 (D, A)$

3.  ~~$R_3 (A, B, C)$~~   $R_3 (B, D)$

4.  $R_4 (B, C, E)$

5.  ~~$R_5 (A, B)$~~



Q5B)

$A \rightarrow D$  (derived from  $A \rightarrow B$  and  $B \rightarrow D$ )

$E \rightarrow BC$  (derived from  $E \rightarrow A$  and  $A \rightarrow BC$ )

$E \rightarrow D$  (derived from  $E \rightarrow A$  and  $A \rightarrow D$ )

$BC \rightarrow E$  (derived from  $B \rightarrow D$ , augmented to  $BC \rightarrow CD$  and  $CD \rightarrow E$ )

$BE \rightarrow A$  (derived through augmentation & transitivity)

$BE \rightarrow DC$  (derived through augmentations and transitivity)

Q5C)

Given  $T13$  and  $T14$  and  $A=0$  and  $B=0$

→ Consistency requirement:  $A=0 \vee B=0$

Non-serializable schedule:

→  $T13$  reads  $A : A=0$

→  $T14$  reads  $B : B=0$

→  $T13$  reads  $B : B=0$

→  $T14$  reads  $A : A=0$

→  $T13$  checks if  $A=0$ : True so  $B=B+1 \Rightarrow B=1$

→  $T14$  checks if  $B=0$ : True so  $A=A+1 \Rightarrow A=1$

→  $T13$  writes  $B : B=1$

→  $T14$  writes  $A : A=1$

Final values:  $A=1, B=1$  and it violates the consistency requirement. Therefore it proves this schedule is a non-serializable

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