

EPT-TEST-14(DBMS)

Duration :-60 mins

No of questions :- 25

I

A secondary index on a non-candidate key.

Select your answer

A

is dense and cannot have duplicates

B

is dense and can have duplicates

C

is sparse and cannot have duplicates

D

is sparse and cannot have duplicates

Marks: - +1
Type: - MCQ
Level: - Easy

2

Database that are designed and managed specifically to meet information needs are called

Select your answer

A

Database Management system

B

Data Warehouses

C

Transaction databases

D

Production databases

Marks: - +1
Type: -
MCQ
Level: -
Easy

3

Attribute Y is said to be fully functionally dependent on attribute X if it is

Select your answer

A

Functionally dependent on attribute X

B

Functionally dependent on any proper subset of attribute of X

C

It is in 2nd Normal form

D

Primary key and X is the candidate key.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

4

Consider a following schedule S on 4 transaction T_1, T_2, T_3, T_4 and on two data item A and B

$S : R_4(A) \cdot R_2(A) \cdot R_3(A) \cdot W_1(B) \cdot W_2(A) \cdot R_3(B) \cdot W_2(B)$

Which of the following is true

Select your answer

A

The Schedule cannot be serializable

B

The Schedule is equivalent to T_3, T_4, T_1, T_2

C

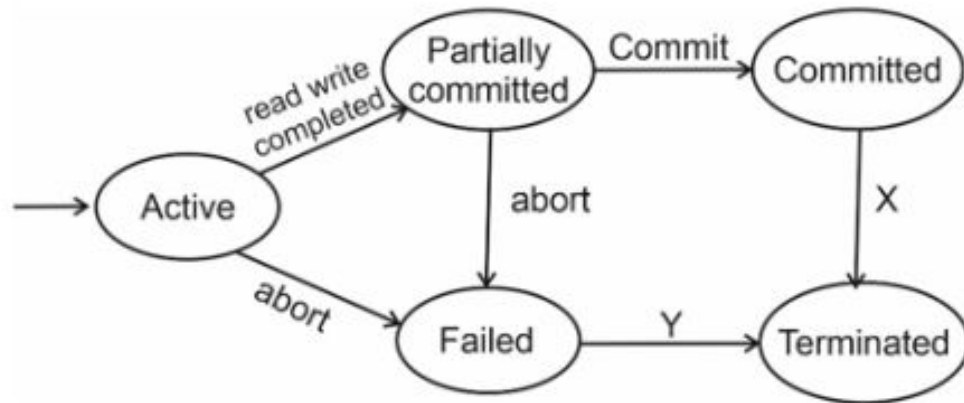
The Schedule is equivalent to T_1, T_4, T_3, T_2

D

none of the above

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

Consider the following state transition diagram for transaction execution.



For any transaction 'T', what does X and Y denote:

Select your answer

A

X : undo all performed operations of T
Y: redo all performed operations of T

B

Both X and Y denote: redo all performed operations of T

C

Both X and Y denote: undo all performed operations of T

D

X: redo all performed operations of T
Y: undo all performed operations of T

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

6

Which among the following is/are true for B⁺-tree index?

Select one or more answers

A

In B⁺-tree indexing each node can have only one key stored in it.

B

In B⁺-tree leaf nodes are usually linked together to provide ordered access on search field of records.

C

For B⁺-trees internal nodes have only block pointers and search keys.

D

In B⁺-trees structure of leaf node is same as that of structure of internal nodes.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MSQ
Level: -
Moderate

Consider the following SQL query over the relation STUD(S_id,S_name,Marks) where 'S_id' is the primary key:

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Select S_id, S_name
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From STUD
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Where S_id > 101 and S_id < 119;
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Following are the two statements given:

Statement 1: For the above SQL query B⁺Tree is preferred.

Statement 2: In B⁺ Trees leaf nodes are linked together to provide ordered access to group of records.

Which among the following is true?

Select one or more answers

A

Statement 1 is correct but statement 2 is incorrect.

B

Statement 2 is correct, but statement 1 is incorrect.

C

Both statement 1 and statement 2 are correct, but statement 2 is not the correct reason for statement 1.

D

Both statement 1 and statement 2 are correct, statement 2 is the correct reason for statement 1.

Marks: - +1
Type: - MCQ
Level: - Easy

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B⁺ Tree indexing is used on a relation Student (S-id, Name), where 'Sid' is the primary key. B⁺ Tree can store maximum 4 keys and 2 levels of indexing is used. In order to retrieve records from 'Student' relation following SQL query is used:

Select S_id

From Student;

What are the maximum possible Sid's that can be retrieved by above query?

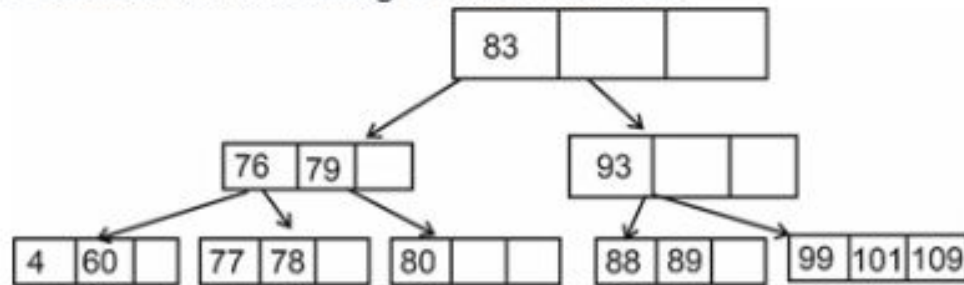
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Marks: - +2
Type: - NAT
Level: -
Moderate

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Consider the following B Tree Structure.



Suppose following are the keys which needs to be removed from the given B Tree structure :

60, 4, 89, 78, 109, 101

If all these deletions are done sequentially. Which among the following is/are correct?

Select one or more answers

A

Deletion of '4' will reduce the number of nodes in B Tree.

B

Deletion of '60' will not change the structure of B Tree.

C

Deletion of '78' will change the structure of B Tree.

D

Deletion of '89' will lead to underflow condition in that node.

Marks: - +2

Type: - MSQ

Level: -

Moderate

Consider the following two statements about concurrency control protocols:

Statement 1: Concurrency control Protocols are used to design a schedule, having 'n' transactions, in such a way that two transactions executing concurrently are not allowed to work on same data item.

Statement 2: Concurrency control protocols are used to design a Schedule, having 'n' transactions, in such a way that two or more transactions executing concurrently, while working on same data item, should never cause inconsistency.

Based on the above two statements, which one of the following is/are true?

Select your answer

A Only statement 1 is correct

B Only statement 2 is correct.

C Both statement 1 and statement 2 are correct.

D None of the statement is correct.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

Which one among the following statements is/are true about 2 phase Locking Protocol.

Select one or more answers

A

Every 2PL schedule is always conflict serializable.

B

Deadlock can never be possible in a 2PL schedule.

C

Starvation may occur in a 2PL schedule.

D

Every 2PL schedule is Recoverable.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MSQ
Level: -
Moderate

Which among the following are correct?

Select one or more answers

A

$\pi_{list1}(\pi_{list2}(Relation))$ can be
replaced by
 $\pi_{list2}(\pi_{list1}(Relation))$

B

$\sigma_{condition}(\pi_{list}(Relation))$ can be
replaced by
 $\pi_{list}(\sigma_{condition}(Relation))$

C

$\sigma_{condition1}(\sigma_{condition2}(Relation))$
can be replaced by
 $\sigma_{condition2}(\sigma_{condition1}(Relation))$

D

$\pi_{list}(\sigma_{condition}(Relation))$ can be
replaced by
 $\sigma_{condition}(\pi_{list}(Relation))$

Marks: - +1
Type: - MSQ
Level: - EASY

Consider the following two Queries.

Query 1: Select b_no
 From Books
 Where Price = (Select MAX(price)
 From Books
 Where Price < (Select MAX(price)
 From Books));

Query 2: Select b_no
 From Books B₁
 Where (Select count (Distinct B₂.Price)
 From Books B₂
 Where B₁.Price < B₂.Price)=1;

Select your answer

A

Both Query 1 and Query 2
will tell b_no with highest
price

B

Query 1 will tell b_no of book
having highest price and
Query 2 will tell b_no of book
having second highest price.

C

Query 1 will give b_no of
book having second highest
price and query 2 will give
b_no of book having highest
price.

D

Both Query 1 and Query 2
will give b_no with second
highest price.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

I4

Consider the following relational algebra queries over the relations.

$R(\underline{a}, b)$

$S(\underline{c}, d)$

$T(a, \underline{c})$

Query 1: $((R \bowtie S) \bowtie T)$

Query 2: $(R \bowtie (S \bowtie T))$

Query 3: $(R \bowtie S)$

Query 4: $(R \times S)$

Where ' \bowtie ' denotes natural join and ' \times ' denotes cross product.

Which of the following is/are true?

Select one or more answers

A

Query 1 and Query 2 will give same number of tuples

B

Query 3 and Query 4 will give same number of tuples

C

Query 1 and Query 2 will give different number of tuples

D

All the Queries will have different result

Marks: - +2
Type: - MSQ
Level: -
Moderate

Consider the following two schemas, School (Sid, S.Name) and College (Cid, C.Name)

Given the following SQL query:

Select Sid, S.Name.

From School

Where (S.id, S.Name) IN (Select Cid, C.Name From College);

What does the following query retrieves?

Select your answer

A

Sid and S.Name of all students who studied only in school

B

Sid and S.Name of all students who studied only in college

C

Sid and S.Name of all students who studied in school and college both

D

Retrieves Sid and S.Name of all students who studied either in school or in college but not both.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

Consider a relation R (A, B, C, X, Y) –

A	B	C	X	Y
101	544	A	Rahul	CSE
102	344	B	Mahesh	EE
101	349	A	Ravi	IT
103	129	C	Rahul	ME
104	107	D	Deepak	CE

Given the relation decomposed into R_1 (A, B, C) and R_2 (C, X, Y) then the following statements is/are true?

Select one or more answers

A R_1 and R_2 are lossless decomposition.

B R_1 and R_2 are lossy decomposition.

C $R_1 \cap R_2 = \phi$ for lossless decomposition.

D Attribute 'C' is not a primary key.

Marks: - +2
Type: - MSQ
Level: -
Moderate

17

If functional dependencies:

$F = \{ABC \rightarrow QR\}$, then F entails which of the following functional dependencies?

Select one or more answers

☐ A $ABC \rightarrow R$

☐ B $AQBC \rightarrow QR$

☐ C $PABC \rightarrow QRP$

☐ D $AB \rightarrow QR$

Marks: - +2

Type: - MSQ

Level: -

Moderate

Given that a relation R is in 2NF but not in 3NF. Which of the following needs not to be true for R?

Select your answer

A

R does not have any multivalued attributes.

B

R has no non-prime attribute transitively dependent on candidate key in R.

C

R has no non-prime attribute partially dependent on candidate key in R.

D

None

Marks: - +1
Type: - MCQ
Level: - EASY

19

What will be in the root of the B-tree after the following sequence of operations is performed on the B-tree with a max-degree of 3?

Insert(5), insert(6), insert(10), insert(1), insert(8), delete(5), delete(6)

Select your answer

A

8

B

1

C

10

D

1, 8

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

Which of the following statements is/are false?

Select one or more answers

A For any database relation, both clustering and primary index is possible

B For B+ tree, number of internal nodes = number of leaf nodes – 1

C If same size of blocks are allocated for indexing, access cost is less using B+ tree as compared to B tree for the given number of keys

D None of these

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

21

Which of the following option is correct?

Select your answer

A

All recoverable schedules are conflict serializable.

B

All strict schedules may or may not be serial.

C

All strict schedules are conflict serializable.

D

All conflict serializable schedules are free from cascading rollbacks

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

22

Consider a B+ tree with Block size 514. $P_r = 4B$, key = 8B and $P_b = 2B$. Then the maximum number of keys that can be accommodated in a leafnode are

Select your answer

A 42

B 43

C 41

D 44

Marks: - +2
Type: - MCQ
Level: -
Moderate

23

Let E_1 and E_2 be two entities and R is a Many to many relationship between R has two attributes a_1 and a_2 . The minimum number of tables required are

Enter your answer below

Type your answer here....

Marks: - +2
Type: - NAT
Level: -
Moderate

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A secondary clustering index is defined on the fields which are of type

Select one or more answers

☐ A Key and Ordering

☐ B Key and Non-ordering

☐ C Non-key and Ordering

☐ D Non-key and Non-ordering

Marks: - +2
Type: - MSQ
Level: -
Moderate

Consider the following transaction involving two bank accounts x and y:

```
read (x);  
x = x - 50;  
write(x);  
read (y);  
y = y + 50;  
write (y);
```

Which of the following constraints fail, if transaction is fail just after write (x); operation?

Select your answer

☐ A Atomicity

☐ B Durability

☐ C Isolation

☐ D None of these

Marks: - +1
Type: - MCQ
Level: - EASY

Answer Key

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|-----------|---------|
| 1. B | 2. B |
| 3. A | 4. C |
| 5. D | 6. B,C |
| 7. D | 8. 20 |
| 9. B,C | 10. B |
| 11. A,C | 12. B,C |
| 13. D | 14. A,B |
| 15. C | 16. B,D |
| 17. A,B,C | 18. B |
| 19. A | 20. A |
| 21. B | 22. A |
| 23. 3 | 24. B,D |
| 25. A | |