Tribhuwan University Institute of Science and Technology 2071

Bachelor Level / eighth-semester / Science

Computer Science and Information Technology(CSC457)

(Distributed and Object Oriented Database)

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Full marks: 60 Pass marks: 24 Time: 3 hours

Group A

Attempt any two questions. $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

- 1. Discuss client/server architecture and peer-to-peer architecture of distributed DBMS.
- 2. What is reliability protocol? Discuss two phase commit protocol for distributed environment.
- 3. What is object-oriented database? Differentiate it with relational database. Discuss the characteristics of object oriented data model.

Group B

Attempt any Eight questions.(8 \times 5 = 40)

- 4. Differentiate between distributed database with centralized database.
- 5. Discuss MDBS architecture.
- 6. What are the correctness rules of fragmentation? Discuss.
- 7. Discuss normalization step of query decomposition.
- 8. Discuss three situations that can occur if proper isolation is not maintained.
- 9. What is deadlock? Discuss deadlock prevention in distributed concurrency control.
- 10. Explain mean time between failures and mean time to repair.
- 11. What is object query language? Differentiate it with structured query language.
- 12. Discuss the performance issues of OODBMS.
- 13. Write short notes on:
- a) Autonomy
- b) CORBA