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CIT 844 – Advanced Database Management System (2 Credits)

Total mark is 70 and each question carries $17\frac{1}{2}$ marks

Answer 4 Questions in $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours.

1(a) Explain the term “Relational Database” with examples (7 marks)

1(b) Create Six (6) students’ tuples with the following attributes:

- (i) Name
- (ii) Address
- (iii) Age
- (iv) Sex
- (v) Phone Number

(6 marks)

1(c) Outline and explain three basic update operations on relational Database
($4\frac{1}{2}$ marks)

2 (a) Describe with diagram the steps involved in database design (7 marks)

2(b) Write short notes on the following:

- (i) Data Integrity
- (ii) Data Security
- (iii) Data Validation

(2marks each)

(c). Define the following Set operations in terms of relation UNION, INTERSECTION, and DIFFERENCE. ($4\frac{1}{2}$ marks)

3(a)What is Distributed Database? (5 marks)

3(b)Describe the term ”Open Source Software” and outline three merits (8 marks).

3(c)Outline three (3) advantages of Object Oriented Database Management System ($4\frac{1}{2}$ marks)

4(a) Write short notes on the following:

- (i) Dead lock
- (ii) Data recovery
- (iii) SQL

(2 marks each)

4(b). Describe a Multimedia Database with its types (7 marks)

4(c) Identify three (3) causes of data loss from database. ($4\frac{1}{2}$ marks)

5(a) Explain the term “SQL Statement” with examples (6 marks)

5(b) Write short notes on three of the following with examples:

- (i) Integrity Constraints**
- (ii) Encryption
- (iii) XML
- (iv) Data Warehouse
- (v) Data Mining

5(c) Outline three XML syntax Rules

6(a) Explain the term “Transaction” with examples (5 marks)

6(b) Translate the following:

- (i) Read authorization
- (ii) Insert authorization
- (iii) Update authorization
- (iv) Delete authorization
- (v) Index authorization
- (vi) Resources authorization
- (vii) Alteration authorization
- (viii) Drop authorization

(1 mark each)

6(c) Identify three properties of a transaction. ($4\frac{1}{2}$ marks)