COMP 353 – Quiz 8

1. If relation R(A,B) has 2 tuples and S(C,D,E) has 3 tuples, the number of tuples in the natural join $R \bowtie S$ would be?

- (a). 0
- (b). 1
- (c). 2
- (d). 3
- (e). 6

- 2. Suppose relation S(B,C,D) has 2 tuples and R(A,B) has 3 tuples. If B is the key of S, what can we say about the number of tuples in the result of the RA query: $R \bowtie S$?
 - (a). At most 2 tuples
 - (b). At most 3 tuples
 - (c). At most 6 tuples

3. Suppose relations R and S have the same schema. Which of the following set identities is true?

(a).
$$R \bowtie S = R \cap S$$

(b).
$$R \bowtie S = R \cup S$$

(c).
$$R \bowtie S = R \times S$$

4. Relation Enroll(sid, cid) stores information about which student (sid) has enrolled in which course (cid). Then what is the result of the following query?

$$\pi_{sid}(\sigma_{cid}=353 \text{ and } cid=335(Enroll))$$

- (a). Students who have taken 353 or 335
- (b). Students who have taken 353 and 335
- (c). It returns no tuples