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COMPUTER SCIENCE — HONOURS

Paper: CC-11

(Database Management System)

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Answer question no. 1 and any four questions from the rest.

1. Answer any five questions:

2×5

- (a) What do you mean by logical data independence?
- (b) Discuss the difference between Instance and Schema.
- (c) What is the need of generalization/Specialization in the ER data model?
- (d) What is the need of referential integrity?
- (e) Distinguish between lossless decomposition and lossy decomposition.
- (f) What do you mean by full functional dependency?
- (g) Distinguish between strong and weak entity set.
- (h) What do you mean by meta data?
- 2. (a) Discuss the three level architecture of DBMS with suitable example.
 - (b) Distinguish between data dictionary and data integrity.

5+5

3. (a) Consider the relation SUPPLIER given below, where s#, p# are keys, the functional dependency set FD is given as FD = {s# p# → city, s# → city}

SUPPLIER

s#	X	X	X	Y	Y
p#	1	2	3	1	2
City	Delhi	Delhi	Delhi	Goa	Goa

Now perform the following:

- (i) Determine the highest normal form of the relation SUPPLIER.
- (ii) Discuss the deletion and insertion anomalies, which can occur in the relation SUPPLIER.

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- (b) Construct an ER diagram for the Loan Management system of a finance company. Loans are given on the purchase of various items with different interest rates. Company keeps track of defaulters and take appropriate steps against them. (2½×2)+5
- 4. (a) Given the following relation:

Schema

Find out all possible functional dependencies from above schema.

(b) Explain the various types of integrity constraints with proper examples.

5+5

- 5. (a) Consider a relation schema R = (A, B, C, D, E, H) on which the following functional dependencies hold: {A → B, BC → D, E → C, D → A}. What are the candidate keys of R?
 - (b) Consider a relation schema R = (L, M, N, O, P) on which the following functional dependencies hold: $\{M \to O, NO \to P, P \to L \text{ and } L \to MN\}$ Decompose the above relation into BCNF.
- 6. (a) Consider the relation schema Author (Aname, Institution, Acity, Age); Publisher (Pname, Pcity); Book (Title, Aname, Pname). Write the following queries using Relational Algebra:
 - (i) Get the names of all publisher.
 - (ii) Get the values of all attributes of all authors who have published a book for the publisher with Pname = 'PHI'.
 - (iii) Get the name of all authors who have published a book for any publisher located in 'Kolkata'.
 - (b) Distinguish between primary indexing and secondary indexing.

(2+2+2)+4

- 7. (a) Consider the relational tables given below and write the following SQL queries: Employee (Empid, Ename, Salary, Deptid); Dept (Deptid, Dname, Dlocation).
 - (i) Find the name of employees who are getting 2nd highest salary.
 - (ii) Find the employees who are getting minimum salary.
 - (iii) Find the name of employees who are working in 'CS' department and have salary greater than 10000.
 - (b) "BCNF is stronger than 3NF"— Verify the statement with proper justification. (2+2+2)+4
- 8. (a) What is Query optimization? Discuss the role of Relational Algebra in query optimization.
 - (b) What is Database Manager? Explain the components of database managers with the help of a diagram. (2+3)+(2+3)