GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY MCA - SEMESTER- III EXAMINATION – WINTER 2019

Subject Code: 4639303 Subject Name: Database Management Systems Time: 10.30 am to 1.00 pm

Instructions:

Total Marks: 70

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Date: 21-12-2019

- 1. Attempt all questions.
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1 (a) Do as directed:

- 1. Define Database Management System.
- 2. State any two advantages of DBMS.
- 3. State the difference between database and database system.
- 4. What is data independence? List its types.
- 5. Differentiate between Schema and Instance for a database.
- 6. Identify the major advantage of centralised over client/server architecture.
- 7. List the criteria for classification of databases.

Q. 1 (b) Differentiate between the following terms:

1. ER model and Relational model	02
2. Strong and Weak entity	02
3 Specialisation and Generalization	02

- 4. Internal and Conceptual level of DBMS 01
- Q. 2 (a) Define Normalization. State all the normal forms, and explain them with 07 appropriate examples.
- Q. 2 (b) Convert the below mentioned ER model into its equivalent relational model: 07



OR

Q. 2 (b) Consider the online Marks entry system for the students of MCA. Identify 07 the entities, relations and attributes needed for it, and prepare an ER Model representing it.

Q. 3 (a)	Consider the below attributes and perform 3 stages of Normalization, along with example of sample records: Custno, Cname, City, Billno, Billdate, Pid, Pname, Ptype, Price. Note : There are frequent updates in Price required.	07
Q. 3 (b)	 Describe the relational algebra with appropriate examples: 1. Set operations. 2. Selection, Projection and Division. OR 	04 03
Q. 3 (a)	Assume the below mentioned list of fields, identify the entities by performing 1NF, 2NF and 3NF, by showing at least 3 tuples in each. Ownercode, Oname, Ocartype, Invoiceno, IDate, ItemCode, Iname, Iamount. Note : There are frequent updates needed in OCarType .	07
Q. 3 (b)	Explain the following concepts:1. Aggregate functions and grouping.2. Generalised projection.	04 03
Q. 4 (a)	Write a note on relational model constraints.	07
Q. 4 (b)	Explain the schedule based on recoverability and serializability, with its example.	07
	OR	
Q. 4 (a)	Explain in brief about relational database schemas.	07
Q. 4 (b)	What is transaction? Describe the desirable properties of Transactions.	07
Q. 5 (a)	What is a deadlock ? Explain in detail - Two phasing locking mechanism.	07
Q. 5 (b)	Explain in detail the recovery based on Deferred update, with example.	07
	OR	
Q. 5 (a)	Why is concurrency control required? Explain it based on timestamp ordering.	07
Q. 5 (b)	Write a note on Shadow Paging.	07
