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CS - 305

DATA BASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
(B.Tech Semester 5th 2056)

Maximum Marks : 60

Time : 03 Hours

Note : Section- A is compulsory. Attempt any Four questions from section - B. Attempt any two questions from Section- C.

Section A

- Q1 (a) Define the term dangling pointer?
(b) Define the term generalization?
(c) List any two procedural programming language?
(d) What are row triggers?
(e) What is cascading roll back?
(f) Define the term Dead Lock.
(g) Define the term DDL.
(h) What is query optimization?
(i) What are ACID properties?
(j) Define the term Relationship.

Section B

- Q2. Every weak Entity Set can be converted to a strong entity set by simply adding appropriate fields. Why then do we have weak entity sets?
- Q3) Describe major advantages of a Database system over file system.
- Q4) Consider the following Database.
Employee(person_name, street, city)
Works(person_name, company_name, salary)
Manager(person_name, manager_name)
Company(company_name, city)
(a) Find the name of employees who work for first bank company.
(b) Find the names of all employees who earn more than \$100,000 per annum.
- Q5) Explain why 4 NF is a more desirable normal form than BCNF?
- Q6) Explain various recovery techniques based on deferred update.

Section C

- Q7) Discuss relational approach of database management system? Explain with the help of suitable relational operation to demonstrate insert, delete and update function.
- Q8) Construct an E-R diagram for a university management system. For each class, include the instructor, the enrollment and time and place of the class meeting. For each student's class pair a grade is recorded also design a relation database for the said E-R diagram.
- Q9) Write short note on the following.
1) Serializability of schedules.
2) Granting and revoking of privileges.
3) Granularity of data items.