

## A7-R4: INTRODUCTION TO DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

### NOTE:

1. There are **TWO PARTS** in this Module/Paper. **PART ONE** contains **FOUR** questions and **PART TWO** contains **FIVE** questions.
2. **PART ONE** is to be answered in the **TEAR-OFF ANSWER SHEET** only, attached to the question paper, as per the instructions contained therein. **PART ONE** is **NOT** to be answered in the answer book.
3. Maximum time allotted for **PART ONE** is **ONE HOUR**. Answer book for **PART TWO** will be supplied at the table when the answer sheet for **PART ONE** is returned. However, candidates, who complete **PART ONE** earlier than one hour, can collect the answer book for **PART TWO** immediately after handing over the answer sheet for **PART ONE**.

**TOTAL TIME: 3 HOURS**

**TOTAL MARKS: 100**  
**(PART ONE – 40; PART TWO – 60)**

### PART ONE

**(Answer all the questions)**

1. **Each question below gives a multiple choice of answers. Choose the most appropriate one and enter in the “tear-off” answer sheet attached to the question paper, following instructions therein. (1x10)**
  - 1.1 Which one of the following is not an example of 1:N relationship?
    - A) Faculty-belongsto-Department
    - B) BANK-has-Branches
    - C) University-has-Vicechancellor
    - D) None of the above
  - 1.2 Consider the relation R(ABCDE) with following functional dependencies:  
 $AB \rightarrow C, CD \rightarrow E, DE \rightarrow B$   
The key of the relation is
    - A) AC
    - B) AB
    - C) ABD
    - D) A
  - 1.3 Capacity to change Conceptual schema without making changes in external schema is called
    - A) Logical Data Independence
    - B) Physical Data Independence
    - C) Both A) and B)
    - D) None of the above
  - 1.4 In Database Systems, language used to specify Conceptual and Internal Schema is called
    - A) DML
    - B) DDL
    - C) VDL
    - D) None of the above
  - 1.5 Collection of concepts used to describe a database is called
    - A) Schema
    - B) Model
    - C) Meta data
    - D) None of the above

- 1.6 Clustering indexes are created on
- A) Every file
  - B) File sorted on a key value
  - C) File sorted on a Non-key value
  - D) None of the above
- 1.7 A relational database which is in 2NF may still have undesirable data redundancies because there may exist:
- A) Non-Trivial functional dependencies involving prime attributes on RHS.
  - B) Trivial functional dependencies involving prime attribute only on LHS.
  - C) Transitive functional dependencies.
  - D) Non-Trivial functional dependencies involving prime attributes on LHS only.
- 1.8 Relationship is an association among
- A) Two entities
  - B) Three entities
  - C) Two or More entities
  - D) None of the above
- 1.9 Which of the following command is used to remove the table from database?
- A) Delete
  - B) Remove
  - C) Drop
  - D) None of the above
- 1.10 Which of the following is not an example of aggregate function?
- A) COUNT
  - B) MAX
  - C) AVC
  - D) None of the above

2. Each statement below is either TRUE or FALSE. Choose the most appropriate one and ENTER in the “tear-off” sheet attached to the question paper, following instructions therein. (1x10)

- 2.1 COUNT function will not count NULL values if used with a column name.
- 2.2 Group by function cannot group the data from the source table based on more than one column.
- 2.3 Null values are required when the value of the attribute is 0.
- 2.4 An entity in a subclass inherits all the attributes as well as relationships of its super class.
- 2.5 An entity can participate in more than one relationship type.
- 2.6 Primary key can have redundant attributes.
- 2.7 Tuples in a relation are always inserted in a order.
- 2.8 Using Distinct clause we can print duplicate values.
- 2.9 Having clause is used with grouping function
- 2.10 A category can be total or partial.

3. Match words and phrases in column X with the closest related meaning/ word(s)/phrase(s) in column Y. Enter your selection in the “tear-off” answer sheet attached to the question paper, following instructions therein. (1x10)

X		Y	
3.1	Primary key values cannot be duplicated	A.	Views
3.2	Parameter substitution symbol used with INSERT INTO command	B.	1:N relationship
3.3	Relationship of a weak entity with its owner entity	C.	Key constraints
3.4	Database objects whose data are derived from another table	D.	&
3.5	To stop database privileges of the user	E.	Identifying relationship
3.6	College-has-Department is	F.	Augmentation Rule
3.7	Desirable properties of a transaction	G.	Revoke
3.8	Process of defining new classes from already existing classes	H.	Join
3.9	$X \rightarrow Y \vdash XZ \rightarrow YZ$	I.	ACID
3.10	This operation can violate key constraint	J.	Weak entity
		K.	Insert
		L.	Generalization / Specialization
		M.	Null

4. Each statement below has a blank space to fit one of the word(s) or phrase(s) in the list below. Enter your choice in the “tear-off” answer sheet attached to the question paper, following instructions therein. (1x10)

<b>A.</b>	Metadata	<b>B.</b>	Complex	<b>C.</b>	Key
<b>D.</b>	LIKE	<b>E.</b>	Entity Integrity	<b>F.</b>	DML
<b>G.</b>	DDL	<b>H.</b>	Foreign	<b>I.</b>	Set
<b>J.</b>	Cartesian Product	<b>K.</b>	Weak	<b>L.</b>	Range
<b>M.</b>	Pattern matching				

- 4.1 The BETWEEN operator is used to specify a \_\_\_\_\_ of values.
- 4.2 \_\_\_\_\_ entity do not have key attribute.
- 4.3 \_\_\_\_\_ is done through the like operator.
- 4.4 Without any joining condition the join becomes \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4.5 \_\_\_\_\_ operator combines two or more queries into one result.
- 4.6 \_\_\_\_\_ attributes can be divided into smaller parts.
- 4.7 Description of data stored in a database is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4.8 \_\_\_\_\_ commands are used to insert records in a table.
- 4.9 Constraints that says primary key cannot be null is called \_\_\_\_\_ constraints.
- 4.10 \_\_\_\_\_ key can have NULL value.

**PART TWO**  
(Answer any **FOUR** questions)

- 5.
- What is the goal of having three different levels of a database?
  - What is Data Independence? Explain Logical Data Independence and Physical Data Independence with the help of examples.
  - What is Program-data Independence? Explain.

**(4+6+5)**

- 6.
- How redundancy is controlled in DBMS?
  - What are cardinality ratios? What are the possible cardinality ratios for a binary relationship? Explain with examples.
  - Differentiate between Primary Key and Candidate Key.

**(5+6+4)**

- 7.
- Discuss various cases when Null values are required for an attribute.
  - Consider the following relations:

**BOOK**

BookNo	BookName	AuthorNo	Publication
1	Database Management Systems	10	Pearson Education
2	Operating Systems	20	Tata McGraw Hill
3	Operating Systems	10	BPB Publication

**AUTHOR**

AuthorNo	AuthorName
10	Ramez Elmasri
20	Herbert Schidl
30	Galvin

Inserting a record ("5", "Introduction to AI", 40, "Tat McGraw Hill") in BOOK relation is a violation of which of the following relational constraints. Explain.

- Entity Integrity Constraints
  - Key Constraints
  - Referential Integrity Constraints
- c) Consider the database given in 7. b) and answer the following query in SQL:
- Write an SQL command to insert a new record in BOOK table.
  - Display number of books written by each author.
  - Display all the books written by Galvin.

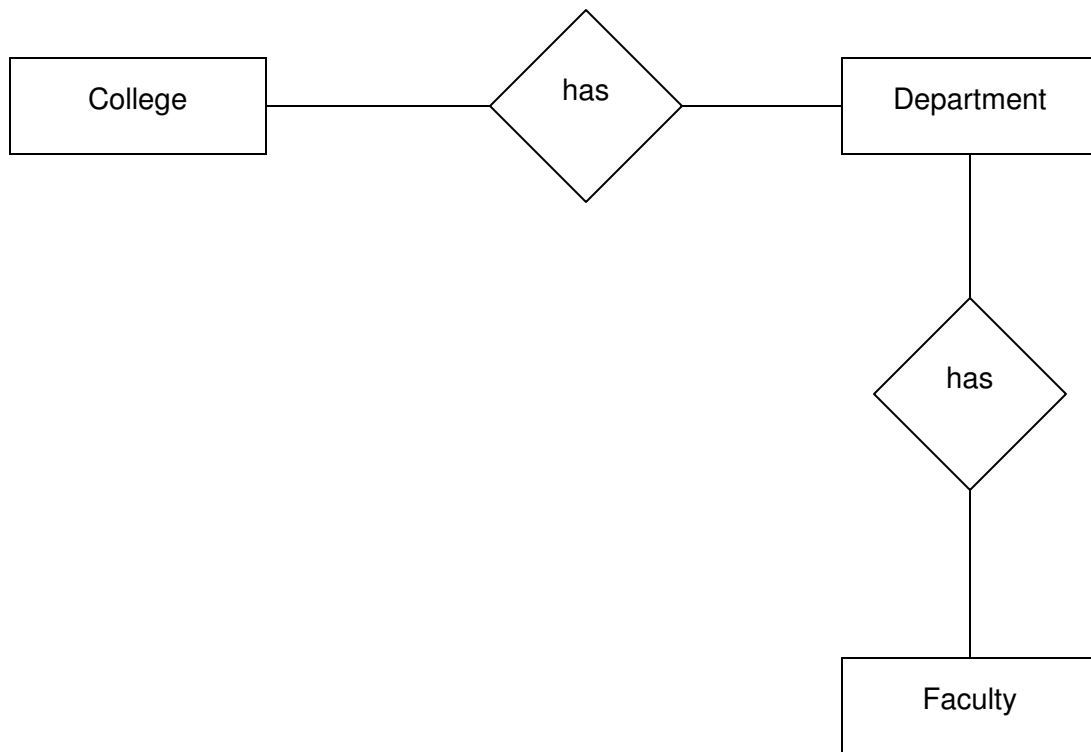
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- 8.
- What is the difference between TRUNCATE and DELETE commands?
  - Consider a relation R(A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J) with the following dependencies:  
 $\{A, B\} \rightarrow C$   
 $\{B, D\} \rightarrow \{E, F\}$   
 $\{A, D\} \rightarrow \{G, H\}$   
 $A \rightarrow I$   
 $H \rightarrow J$   
 What is the key for R? Decompose the relation in to 2NF and 3NF.
  - What are the pitfalls in Relational DB Design?

**(5+7+3)**

9.

- a) Discuss UNDO/REDO operations. How recovery is done using these operations?
- b) How privileges are assigned to different users? Explain with the help of an example.
- c) Write Min-Max constraints on the following ER diagram:



(5+5+5)