USN

Fifth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2015/Jan.2016

Database Management System

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

1 a. Write a note on various types of end users who use DBMS.

(08 Marks)

- b. Explain the three level DBMS architecture, with a neat diagram. Why do we need mappings between schema levels? Explain mapping in DBMS architecture. (12 Marks)
- 2 a. Explain the ER notations used for various constructs in database schema

(10 Marks)

- b. With respect to ER model, explain with example
 - i) Composite attributes
 - ii) Cardinality ratio
 - iii) Participation constraints
 - iv) Binary relationship

(10 Marks)

3 a. Discuss the various type of JOIN operations. Why is theta join required?

(06 Marks)

b. Consider the following relational schema;

users (uid, uname, cost)

groups (gid, title, category, n, gsize, owner)

posts (pid, uid, gid, tid, ptext, pdate)

Write the following queries in relational algebra.

- i) Show the text and number of all the posts made by user number 4 before March 1, 2007.
- ii) Show the names of the all the users who responded to post number 2.
- iii) Show the uid and cost of all the users who are group owners and posted a thread on 1.1.2003. (09 Marks)
- c. Explain the SELECT and PROJECT operations in relational algebra with example.

(05 Marks)

- 4 a. Explain the following:
 - i) Primary key
 - ii) Foreign key
 - iii) Candidate key

(06 Marks)

b. Consider the following relations:

Hotel (hotelno, name, address)

Room (roomno, hotelno, type, price)

Booking (hotelno, guestno, datefrom, dateto, roomno)

Guest (guestno, name, address)

Write the SQL statements for the following:

- i) List the names and addresses of all guest booked the hotel, which is located in Chandigarh, alphabetically ordered by name.
- ii) List all family rooms with a price below Rs 400 per night, in ascending order of price in hotel "RVH"
- iii) How many hotels are there?

(09 Marks)

- c. Explain with example in SQL
 - i) Drop command
 - ii) Delete command

(05 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. What is a view? Explain how to create the view and how view can be dropped? (08 Marks)
 - b. Explain the following
 - i) Embedded SQL
 - ii) Database stored procedure

(12 Marks)

6 a. Explain informal design guidelines for relation schemas.

(06 Marks)

- b. What is the need for normalization? Explain the first, second and third normal forms with examples.

 (14 Marks)
- 7 a. Consider the schema

R = (A, B, C, D, E). Suppose the following functional dependencies hold

 $E \rightarrow A$

 $CD \rightarrow E$

 $A \rightarrow BC$

 $B \rightarrow D$

State whether the following decomposition of R are lossless join decomposition or not, Justify.

 $\{(A, B, C), (A, D, E)\}$

 $\{(A, B, C), (C, D, E)\}$

(10 Marks)

- b. Explain the following
 - i) Inclusion dependencies
 - ii) Domain key Normal Form

(10 Marks)

8 a. Explain why a transaction execution should be atomic? Explain ACID properties by considering the following transaction

Ti: read (A);

A: = A - 50;

write (A);

read (B);

B := B + 50;

write (B);

(10 Marks)

b. Briefly discuss on the two phase locking protocol used in concurrency control. (10 Marks)

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