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BCA-09/BA-IT-06

Database Management System

Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA–16/BCA–11)

Third Year/Third Semester, Examination, 2017

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

Note: This paper is of sixty (60) marks containing three (03) sections A, B, C. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note: Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

- 1. Describe Relational Model for a Database in detail.
- 2. Give a brief overview of Data Definition Language and Data Manipulation Language.
- 3. What is a database? Describe the architecture of a database in detail.
- 4. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :
 - (a) Fixed vs. Variable Length Records
 - (b) Join Dependency
 - (c) Data and Information
 - (d) Job of Database Administrator

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Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note: Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of five (05) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

- 1. Differentiate between primary key and candidate key with example.
- 2. What do you mean by mapping cardinality in a relationship in ER data model?
- 3. How can we create the table in SQL ? Explain with example.
- 4. What do you mean by domain constraints?
- 5. Differentiate between 3NF and BCNF with suitable examples.
- 6. What is the procedure to take the Backup of a large database?
- 7. What is referential integrity? Explain with example.
- 8. What do you mean by data independence?

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note: Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

Choose the correct answer from the given choices:

- 1. A type of query that is placed within a WHERE or HAVING clause of another query is called :
 - (a) Superquery
 - (b) Subquery
 - (c) Master query
 - (d) Multiquery

2.	A	transaction	that	completes	its	execution	is	said	to
	be	:							

- (a) Saved
- (b) Loaded
- (c) Rolled
- (d) Committed
- 3. Which of the following cannot be generated in a DBMS?
 - (a) Table
 - (b) Query
 - (c) Report
 - (d) None of these
- 4. Which algebra is widely used in DBMS?
 - (a) Relational algebra
 - (b) Arithmetic algebra
 - (c) Both of the above
 - (d) None of the above
- 5. Which of the following is the structure of the database?
 - (a) Table
 - (b) Schema
 - (c) Relation
 - (d) None of these
- 6. Which of the following normal form is based on multi-valued dependency?
 - (a) First
 - (b) Second
 - (c) Third
 - (d) Fourth

- 7. If every non-key attribute is functionally dependent on the primary key, the relation will be in :
 - (a) 1NF
 - (b) 2NF
 - (c) 3NF
 - (d) 4NF
- 8. Which of the following is not the part of E-R Model:

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- (a) Entity
- (b) Attribute
- (c) Relationship
- (d) None of these
- 9. One limitation of Entity-Relationship Model is that it cannot:
 - (a) Use generalization
 - (b) Express relationships among relationships
 - (c) Use one single primary key
 - (d) None of these
- 10. The level of data abstraction which describes how is the data actually stored is:
 - (a) Physical Level
 - (b) Conceptual Level
 - (c) Storage Level
 - (d) File Level