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UG 4th - Semester Examination - 2025 (Under NCCF)

Award : B. Sc.

Discipline : Computer Science Course Type : MNC-4 (Minor)

Course Name : Database Management System

Course Code : BSCCOSMN401

Full Marks : 35 Time: 2 Hours

(The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their

own words as far as practicable. Notations and symbols have their usual meaning.)

1. Answer any *five* of the following questions.

1X5=5

- a) What is relation in DBMS?
- b) What do you mean by data redundancy?
- c) What is database anomaly?
- d) Write full form of ACID in database transactions.
- e) What are the main drawbacks of traditional file management systems?
- f) What is primary key?
- g) Write a basic SQL query to select all records from a table called "Customer".
- h) What is a derived attribute? Give an example.

2. Answer any five of the following questions.

2X5=10

- a) What is natural join? Give an example.
- b) What do you mean by referential integrity? Give example.
- c) Explain the difference between DDL and DML with examples.
- d) What is the difference between a strong and a weak entity set?
- e) What is the difference between composite attribute and multi valued attribute?
- f) What do you mean by closure of a set of functional dependency? Give example.
- g) What is partial functional dependency? Give an example.
- h) What do you mean by concurrent transaction?

3. Answer any two of the following questions.

5X2=10

- a) Explain the following operations of relational algebra Project, Union, Cartesian Product, Division and Outer Join.
- b) Explain five aggregate functions in SQL with syntax and example.
- c) Discuss the concept of lossless join decomposition with an example. Why is it important in database design? 4+1

d) What is cardinality ratio? Describe in brief different types of cardinality ratio with suitable example. 2+3

4. Answer any *one* of the following questions.

10X1=10

- a) i) Explain 3-tier architecture in DBMS.
 - ii) Construct an ER diagram corresponding to customer, loan and loan payment in a banking system.

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b) Consider the following relation scheme:

Employee (emp-name, street, city)
Works (emp-name, company-name, salary)
Company (company-name, city)
Manages (emp-name, manager-name)

Write down the following queries in relational algebra or SQL.

2X5

- i. Find the names of all employees who work for First Bank Corporation.
- ii. Find the names of all employees who live in the same city as the company for which they work.
- **iii.** Find the names of all employees who live in the same city and same street as do their managers.
- iv. Find the name of all employees who earn more than every employee of Small Bank Corporation.
- v. Find the name of all employees who do not work for First Bank Corporation.

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