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B.TECH
FEEC6301

5th Semester Regular / Back Examination 2016-17

DATA BASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

BRANCH(S): AEIE, ECE, EEE, EIE, ELECTRICAL, ETC

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

Q.CODE: Y372

**Answer Question No.1 which is compulsory and any five from the rest.
The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.**

Q1 Answer the following: (2 x 10)

- a) What is logical data independence and why is it important?
- b) Compare between schema and sub-schema?
- c) What is data dictionary?
- d) What are stored, composite and derived attributes?
- e) Distinctions between candidate key and super key.
- f) What is ACID property?
- g) Define Data Privacy?
- h) How many distinct tuples are in a relation instance with cardinality 27?
- i) What is PJNF?
- j) Define B+ Tree.

Q2 a) With a suitable example, explain the role of functional dependency in the process of normalization? (5)

b) What is a foreign key constraint? Why are such constraints important? What is referential integrity? (5)

Q3 A university database contains information about faculty (identified by identification number) and courses (identified by courseid). Faculties teach courses; each of the following situations concerns the Teaches relationship set. For each situation, draw an ER diagram that describes it. (10)

- i. Faculties can teach the same course in several semesters, and each offering must be recorded.
- ii. Faculties can teach the same course in several semesters, and only the most recent such offering needs to be recorded. (Assume this condition applies in all subsequent questions.)
- iii. Every faculty must teach some course.
- iv. Every faculty teaches exactly one course (no more, no less).

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Q4 a) What are different types of Data Independence? Explain with proper examples? **(5)**

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b) Discussed details on Database development life cycle(DDLC). **(5)**

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Q5 a) Consider the universal relation $R = \{A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J\}$ and the set of functional dependencies
 $F = \{ \{A, B\} \rightarrow \{C\}, A \rightarrow \{D, E\}, \{B\} \rightarrow \{F\}, \{F\} \rightarrow \{G, H\}, \{D\} \rightarrow \{I, J\} \}$.
What is the key for R? Decompose R into 2NF, then 3NF relations? **(5)**

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b) What is the loss less join property of decomposition? Why is it important? **(5)**

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Q6 a) Compare between two phase locking and Timestamp methods. **(5)**

b) Compare between 3NF and BCNF with proper example. **(5)**

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Q7 Define Relational Algebra and discuss with relevant examples about the various operations in Relational Algebra. **(10)**

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Q8 Short notes on any two: **(5 x 2)**

a) Key Attribute

b) Serializability

c) Transaction