

2019

MSc

2nd Semester Examination

ADVANCED DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

PAPER – COS-201

Full Marks : 50

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.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

1. **Answer the following questions (any *FOUR*):** 4x2
- a) What do you mean by integrity constraint?
 - b) What is lossless decomposition?
 - c) What is transaction?
 - d) When do we call a relation is in 3NF?
 - e) Who are the different database users?
 - f) Define a Foreign KEY?
 - g) What is View?
 - h) What is the use of UPDATE Command? Explain with Examples.

2. **Answer the following questions (any *FOUR*):** 4x4
- a) Discuss the 'Insertion anomalies', 'update anomalies' and 'deletion Anomalies' with respect to normal forms with suitable examples.
 - b) Why a relation that is in 3NF generally considered good although BCNF is stronger than 3NF?
 - c) Describe entities, attributes, relationships and primary keys.
 - d) Describe ACID Properties of a transaction.
 - e) In a concurrent schedule, when do two instructions conflict?
 - f) "A super key is always a candidate key" true or false? Justify with suitable examples.
 - g) Describe temporary update problem of concurrent transactions. Give example.
 - h) What is a Commit Point? Describe the process of roll back of a transaction.

3. Answer the following questions (any *TWO*): 2x8
- a) Describe Three-Scheme Architecture of DBMS. Define Physical Data Independence and Logical Data Independence.
 What is functional dependency? Define weak entity type. 3+2+1.5+1.5
- b) Consider the following tables:
 DEPT (Dcode, Dname),
 Emp (Ecode, Ename, Basic, Dcode, joining_date)
- Write down the SQL statements for the following:
- i) For each department, show Dname and total basic of the employees in department. 3+3+2
- ii) Find out the name of the departments where no person is working.
- iii) Find out the name of the employees who are working in the department name as 'ABC'.
- c) i) Describe relational algebra and relation calculus with example.
 ii) In a concurrent schedule, when do two instructions conflict? 4+2+2
 iii) Deadlock cannot occur in time stamp based protocol. Why?
- d) Write short notes on following topics (any two) 2x4
- i) BCNF.
- ii) Armstrong's axioms.
- iii) Data Dictionary.
- iv) Two-phase locking.

(Internal Assessment: 10 Marks)