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B.E. (Computer Science and Engineering)

Third Semester

CS-302: Database Systems

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Unit.

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I. Answer the following in brief:-

- a) What is Query Tree?
- b) Explain atomicity of transaction.
- c) Define threat with example.
- d) What are clustered indexes? List its advantages and disadvantages.
- e) What is join dependency? How it is related to normalization?
- f) Define deferred update. Give example.
- g) Difference between cursors and triggers.
- h) Define cardinality in ER diagram. Give example.
- i) List all the aggregate operators in SQL.
- j) Define digital signatures.

(10x1)

UNIT – I

II. Consider the following schemas:

Sailors (sid, sname, rating, age)

Reserves (sid, bid, day)

Boats (bid, bname, color)

Write the following queries in relational algebra, tuple relational Calculus and domain relational calculus:

- a) Find the name of sailors who have reserved boat 103.
- b) Find the names and ages of sailors with a rating above 7.
- c) Find the names of sailors who have reserved a red boat.
- d) Find the sname, bid, and day for each reservation.
- e) Find the name of sailors who have reserved at least one boat.

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- III. a) How checkpoints are used in database recovery?
b) Define a transaction and its desirable ACID properties. Explain the problem of dirty read by giving an example. (5x2)
- IV. Consider the following relation for published books:
BOOK(Book_title, Author_name, Book_type, List_price, Author_affil, Publisher)
Author_affil refers to the affiliation of author.
Suppose the following dependencies exist:
Book_title → *Publisher, Book_type* *Book_type* → *List_price*
Author_name → *Author_af fit*
- a) What normal form is the relation in? Explain your answer.
b) Apply normalization until you cannot decompose the relations further. State the reasons behind each decomposition (10)

UNIT - II

- V. Differentiate between the following:-
- a) Strong entity set and a weak entity set
b) 1 :N and M:N cardinality
c) TRC and DRC
d) 3NF and BCNF
e) DAC and MAC (5x2)
- VI. a) Explain two phase locking protocol. What are its disadvantages?
b) Explain types of access control method. Discuss the popular model for mandatory access control. Define Polyinstantiation. (2x5)
- VII. a) What are the properties of transaction management? Explain serializability with example.
b) What is a query evaluation plan? What are its advantages and disadvantages? (2x5)