

Section - C

5.	<p>a) Discuss the meaning of ACID properties in Transaction management.</p> <p>b) What is concurrency control in a DBMS, and why is it necessary? Compare and contrast optimistic and pessimistic concurrency control mechanisms.</p>	5
6.	<p>a) Discuss steps involved in implementing shadow paging in a database system. Provide examples of real-world database systems or applications that use shadow paging.</p> <p>b) Consider a simple check-pointing protocol and the following set of operations in the log. (start, T4); (write, T4, y, 2, 3); (start, T1); (commit, T4); (write, T1, z, 5, 7); (checkpoint); (start, T2); (write, T2, x, 1, 9); (commit, T2); (start, T3); (write, T3, z, 7, 2); If a crash happens now and the system tries to recover using both undo and redo operations, what are the contents of the undo list and the redo list?</p>	6 4
7.	<p>a) Consider a database system with two transactions, T1 and T2, and three database schedules:</p> <p>Schedule 1: T1: R(A), T2: R(A), T1: W(A), T2: W(A)</p> <p>Schedule 2: T1: R(A), T2: R(A), T2: W(A), T1: W(A)</p> <p>Schedule 3: T1: R(A), T2: R(A), T1: W(A), T2: W(A)</p> <p>where R(A) denotes a read operation on data item A, and W(A) denotes a write operation on data item A.</p> <p>Identify whether each of the schedules is conflict-serializable or not. Justify your answer.</p> <p>b) How does encryption play a role in enhancing the security of a DBMS, and what are the different encryption methods commonly used in this context?</p>	5 5