

Instructions to the candidates :

- 1) Answers to the two sections should be written in separate books.
- 2) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 3) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
- 4) Section I : Q1 or Q2, Q3 or Q4, Q5 or Q6.
- 5) Section II : Q7 or Q8, Q9 or Q10, Q11 or Q12.

**SECTION - I**

- Q1) a) Explain Transaction Server Process Structure. [6]
- b) What factors result in skew when a relation is partitioned on one of its attributes by Hash Partitioning and Rang Partitioning? In each case, what can be done to reduce the skew? [5]
- c) Write a short note on Parallel Hash Join. [5]

OR

- Q2) a) Describe different approaches to handle cache coherency problem in Parallel Databases. [8]
- b) Evaluate how well partitioning techniques support the following types of data access.
- i) Scanning the entire relation.
  - ii) Locating tuple associatively.
  - iii) Locating all tuples such that the value of given attribute lies within a specified range. [8]

- Q3) a) Define Distributed Databases. Explain types of Distributed Database Management System Architectures. [6]
- b) State different types of failures in distributed systems and explain failure handling in distributed database using 2Phase Commit protocol. [6]
- c) Describe how LDAP can be used to provide multiple hierarchical views of data, without replicating the base level data. [6]

OR

- Q4) a) Compute semi-join  $r \bowtie s$  for the relations  $r$  and  $s$ . [6]

Relation r			Relation s		
A	B	C	C	D	E
1	2	3	3	4	5
4	5	6	3	6	8
1	2	4	2	3	2
5	3	2	1	4	1
8	9	7	1	2	3

- b) Explain the different approaches to detect distributed deadlock which neither site can detect based solely on its local wait-for-graph. [6]
- c) Explain Optimistic methods for Distributed Concurrency Control. [6]

- Q5) a) Consider the following nested relational schema.

Emp = (ename, childrenset setoff (children), skillset setoff (skills))

Children = (name, birthday), Birthday = (day, month, year)

Skills = (type, Examset setoff (Exams)), Exams = (year, city).

Answer the following:

- Write DTD and XML file.
  - Write a query in XPath to list all skill types in Emp.
  - Find the names of all the employees who have a child who has a birthday in March.
  - Find the those employees who took an examination for the skill type "typing" in the city "Pune".
  - List all skill types in Emp. [10]
- b) Compare and contrast the two-tier, three-tier and n-tier architecture for Web-DBMS. [6]

OR

- Q6) a) Write short notes on: [10]

- Axes of XPath.
  - SOAP.
- b) Explain simple type and Complex type of XML Schemas with suitable example. [6]

## SECTION - II

- Q7) a) Explain different conceptual schemas of Data Warehouse design with suitable example. [10]
- b) One of the advantages of Data Warehouse is that we can use it to track how the contents of a relation change over time; in contrast, we have only the current snapshot of a relation in a regular DBMS. Discuss how you would maintain history of a relation R; taking into account that 'old' information must somehow be purged to make space for new information. [6]

OR

- Q8) a)** Write short notes on: [10]
- i) OLAP
  - ii) Meta Data.
- b)** Explain the various options / steps for designing fact table and summary table for Inventory system. [6]
- Q9) a)** Write steps of Hunt's Algorithm to construct decision tree. Consider following Data set. [12]
- i) Calculate Information gain of Refund, Marital Status and Taxable Income.
  - ii) Calculate Gini Index of Refund, Marital Status and Taxable Income.
  - iii) Calculate Error Rate of Refund, Marital Status and Taxable Income.
  - iv) Draw Decision Tree.

Instance	Refund	Marital Status	Taxable Income	Cheat
1	Yes	Single	125K	No
2	No	Married	100K	No
3	No	Single	70K	No
4	Yes	Married	120K	No
5	No	Divorced	95K	Yes
6	No	Married	60K	No
7	Yes	Divorced	220K	No
8	No	Single	85K	Yes
9	No	Married	75K	No
10	No	Single	90K	Yes

- b) Write a short note on Text Mining. [6]

OR

- Q10)a) Explain Data Preprocessing in Data Mining. [6]

- b) Write K-means algorithm in details and apply this algorithm on the following items to cluster. Assume  $k = 2$ . [6]

Object	Attribute 1	Attribute 2
Medicine A	1	1
Medicine B	2	1
Medicine C	4	3
Medicine D	5	4

- c) Explain Naïve Bayes Classifier with suitable example. [6]

- Q11)a) Define Information Retrieval System. Describe how it is differ from database system. [8]

- b) Write a short note on:

- i) Web Search Engine.  
ii) Retrieval Effectiveness. [8]

OR

- Q12)a) Explain different factors for relevance ranking in information retrieval system. [8]

- b) Explain different Indexing of Documents approaches. [8]

