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B.E. (Computer Engineering)
ADVANCE DATABASES
(2008 Pattern) (Elective - III)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer 3 questions from Section - I and 3 questions from Section - II.*
- 2) Answer to the two Sections should be written in separate book.*
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 5) Assume suitable data, if necessary.*

SECTION - I

- Q1) a)** State and explain different parallel system architecture [8]
b) What factors could result in skew and what can be done to reduce the skew? [8]

When a relation is partitioned on one of its attribute by

- i) Round Robin partitioning
- ii) List partitioning

OR

- Q2) a)** What is parallelism? Explain the difference between interquery & Intraquery parallelism [8]
b) What are the different performance measure parameters in parallel system? Explain in brief. [8]

- Q3) a)** What is deadlock? How it has been handled in distributed system? [8]
b) Explain distributed transaction management and its types. [8]

OR

- Q4) a)** Explain the types of storage mechanism and failure in distributed system.[8]
b) State and explain distributed system architecture [8]

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- Q5) a)** Why do we have the XML DTD? Explain with an example. [8]
b) What is the role of middle tier? How it helps in client server communication? [10]

OR

Q6) Write short note on the following. [18]

- a) XQUERY
- b) Thin & Thick Client
- c) 3tier architecture

SECTION - II

- Q7) a)** What are you mean by data cleaning? Explain different methods of data cleaning? [8]
b) Explain the components of data warehouse with a neat diagram. [10]

OR

- Q8) a)** Differentiate between OLAP & OLTP. [6]
b) Explain the following operation on the multidimensional data [6]
 - i) Roll up and drill down.
 - ii) slicing & dicingc) What are different types of schema? Explain the design a galaxy schema[6]

- Q9) a)** What is clustering? Explain the K-means clustering algorithm. [8]
b) What is Decision tree? Explain ID3 algorithm to create decision tree.[8]

OR

- Q10)a)** What is frequent item set ? State and explain Apriori algorithm ? [8]
b) Explain the following terms [8]
 - i) Machine learning
 - ii) Outlier analysis.

- Q11)**a) What you mean by relevance ranking? Explain any methods of relevance ranking [8]
- b) Explain the following: [8]
- i) Ontology
 - ii) Stop words

OR

- Q12)**a) What is page ranking and popularity ranking? Explain in brief. [8]
- b) Explain the following terms [8]
- i) Web crawlers
 - ii) Vector space model

