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MCA 3rd Semester Examination Data Base Management System (N.S.) MCA-301

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answerbook (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.

Note: Candidate is required to attempt five questions in all selecting one question from each of the section A, B, C, D of the question paper and all the subparts of the questions in E section. Section E is compulsory.

SECTION - A

- (a) What are the advantages of relational model over other two data models in a DBS? How is relational model implemented? (Answer to the point) (8)
 - (b) Define in-way B-tree. Where do we use a B-tree. (4)
- 2. (a) Draw an ER diagram for the following scheme:

Supplier (S#, Sname, Scity)

Part (P#, Pname, Pcolor)

Project (PR#, PRname, PRcity)

SPP (S#, P#, PR#, Amount)

Symbols have usual meaning. (8)

(b) Give an example of index sequential file. (4)

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2 SECTION - B

- 3. (a) What do you mean by free, bound variables and well formed formula in tuple oriented relational calculus? Give an example of each.
 - (b) Let $f_1(x)$ and $f_2(y)$ be two well formed formulas with free variables x and y respectively.

Whether the following is valid or invalid expression justify

$$\frac{1}{2}x(f_1(x))$$
 AND $\frac{1}{2}y(f_2(y))$

$$\equiv \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} y \left(f_1(x) \text{ AND } f_2(y) \right)$$
 (6+6=12)

4. Study the following scheme and write the SQL statements for the queries given below:

S (S#, Sname, Scity, DoB)

(DoB is date & birth)

CC#, Cname, Cyear, number 1 number indicates the number of students. SC (S#, C#)

- (a) Give the number of students studying in second year of 'Computer Science' class.
- (b) Give the names of the students who have joined the courses from city = 'xyz'.
- (c) Give the total number of students studying in first year. $(4\times3=12)$

SECTION - C

- 5. What are the three problems which are handled by concurrency control mechanism? Explain each briefly. (12)
- 6. Explain locking technique for concurrency control. (12)

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SECTION - D								
7.	What are the main objectives of DDBS?						(12)	
8.	Explain to the point the client/server system.						(12)	
SECTION - E								
9.	(a)) What are the advantages of DBS?						
	(b)	Defi	Define various types of join operations in a DBS. (3)					
	(c) Define functional dependency. Give the functional dependency (ies) from the following table. (3)							
			X	Υ	Z			
			10	50	90			

(d) What are the advantages of Network data model? (2)

(e) In relational algebra give examples of SELECT and PROJECT operations. (2)