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MBA 3rd Semester Examination

System Analysis and Design & Software Engineering (N.S.)

IT-03

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

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

SECTION - A

1. Attempt all the following briefly:
 - (a) What is data dictionary?
 - (b) Compare economic and operational feasibility.
 - (c) What is probabilistic system?
 - (d) How do system analysis and design relate to each other?
 - (e) What is significance of system planning phase in SDLC?
 - (f) What is automated system?
 - (g) Differentiate between weak entity and strong entity.
 - (h) What do you understand by tolerable risk?
 - (i) How decision trees are useful?
 - (j) What are internet security standards? **(2×10=20)**

SECTION - B

2. Attempt any four from the following:
 - (a) What are the important characteristics of a system? List the four skills needed by a successful system analyst.

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- (b) What do you understand by the term “requirement elicitation”? Discuss any two techniques in detail.
- (c) Write a short note on data flow diagrams.
- (d) What are the inputs to the various processes of system development phase and what are their deliverables?
- (e) What are the different steps in the implementation of a system? Discuss in brief.
- (f) Discuss in brief about feasibility report. **(4×5=20)**

SECTION - C

3. Attempt any two from the following:
- (a) Discuss the importance of various phases of system development life cycle. What are the variations in SDLC model?
 - (b) Explain how prototyping helps in determining information systems requirement. In what situations prototyping is most suitable and useful for requirements determination?
 - (c) Explain various symbols and ER diagrams. An airline reservation is an association between a passenger, a flight and a seat. Select a few pertinent attributes for each of these entity types and represent a reservation in an ER diagram.
 - (d) What do you mean by cryptography? Discuss symmetric and asymmetric type of encryption algorithms. **(2×10=20)**