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BCA (2014 to 2018) (Sem.-4) DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

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Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains SIX questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.

SECTION-A

Answer briefly:

- 1. Define Data Independence.
- 2. What are Views?
- 3. Define the terms: schema, sub-schema, instance and tuple.
- 4. What is the difference between database security and recovery?
- 5. What is the difference between Natural Join and Equi Join operators?
- 6. Differentiate between weak entity set and strong entity set.
- 7. What is SQL?
- 8. Define DDL, DML and DCL.
- 9. What are the various problems encountered in concurrent access?
- 10. What is database recovery? How is database recovery performed?

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SECTION-B

- 11. Explain the advantages of database systems by comparing it against the traditional file processing systems.
- 12. Compare and contrast Hierarchical, Network and Relational data models.
- 13. Write the relational algebraic and relational calculus expression for the following queries using the following schema:

Project (Pno, PName)

Employee (Eno, EName)

AssignedTo (Pno, Eno)

- a) Find name of employees working on project no 101.
- b) Find details of employees who are working on project named "DBMS".
- c) Find employee number of employees working on project on which employee number 1 is also working.
- 14. What do you mean by Normalization of databases? Why do we need to normalize database? Discuss different normal forms with an example.
- 15. Define Integrity. What are the various types of integrity constraints? Explain each with a suitable example.
- 16. What is a Distributed database system? Explain the structure of a distributed database. Briefly discuss the methods of data distribution.

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