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UGC AUTONOMOUS

II–B.TECH–II–Semester End Examinations (Regular) -June- 2025

DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

(Common for IT, CSD, CSM)

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 60]

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 10 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART-A

(10 Marks)

1. a) Mention any two advantages of using a DBMS over a file system. [1M]
- b) List any two components of a DBMS. [1M]
- c) Define a primary key. [1M]
- d) What is a view in SQL? [1M]
- e) Define trigger in SQL. [1M]
- f) What is a functional dependency? [1M]
- g) What is a transaction in a database system? [1M]
- h) Explain about serializability. [1M]
- i) What is a primary index? [1M]
- j) List the main advantage of B+ trees over B-trees? [1M]

PART-B

(50 Marks)

- 2.a) Compare file systems and DBMS in terms of data redundancy, consistency, and security. [5 M]
- b) Explain the levels of abstraction in a DBMS with an example. [5 M]

OR

3. Design a conceptual ER model for an online food delivery system. Include entities, attributes, and relationship sets. Justify your design. [10M]
4. Explain with examples how integrity constraints are enforced in relational databases. Evaluate the consequences of not using them properly. [10M]

OR

5. Design a database schema for a University system with tables for Students, Courses, and Enrollments. Include integrity constraints and write SQL statements for table creation, along with enforcing constraints. [10M]

6. Discuss the concept of lossless-join decomposition. Explain with an example how decomposition can lead to loss of data or anomalies. [10M]

OR

7. What is schema refinement? Describe the process of normalization up to BCNF. Discuss with suitable examples. [10M]

8. Describe the implementation of isolation in DBMS using locking and timestamp ordering protocols. Compare both. [10M]

OR

9. Describe recovery in multi-user environments using log-based recovery. How are checkpoints and cascaded rollbacks handled? [10M]

10. Explain various file organization methods and evaluate their performance in terms of search, insert, and delete operations. [10M]

OR

11. Explain in detail the intuition behind tree-based indexes. Why are B+ trees preferred in databases over binary trees or B-trees? [10M]
