

## B.Sc. (NEP) Sem.-5 Examination

DSC-C-351

Computer Science

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Time : 2-00 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 50

[Q-1] a) Discuss the different levels of data abstraction with a neat diagram. [ 5 ]

b) Describe the components of DBMS architecture. [ 5 ]

Or

a) Explain Codd's 12 rules for relational databases.

b) Explain business rules and their role in defining database constraints.

[Q-2] a) Write a short note on data independence and its types. [ 5 ]

b) Explain nested subqueries with examples. [ 5 ]

Or

a) Explain Transaction Management and the properties of transactions (ACID).

b) Explain views and discuss their advantages and limitations.

[Q-3] a) Explain join operations (inner join, outer join, cross join) with examples. [ 5 ]

b) Explain the steps of Normalization up to BCNF with suitable examples. [ 5 ]

Or

a) Write SQL queries for:

Creating a table

Inserting records

Updating and deleting data

Using WHERE clause

b) Discuss SQL aggregate functions with examples.

[Q-4] a) Draw and explain an ER diagram for a "Student–Course–Instructor" database. [ 5 ]

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b) Differentiate between Relational Algebra and Relational Calculus. [ 5 ]

Or

a) Discuss various types of constraints in the relational model.

b) Explain the types of data models with examples.

[Q-5] b) Answer the following. Each question carries 1 marks. [ 10 ]

1. What is data abstraction?
  2. Write the full form of ERD.
  3. What is a primary key?
  4. What is normalization?
  5. What is the purpose of a database system?
  6. Write the difference between DDL and DML.
  7. Define null value in SQL.
  8. What is a candidate key?
  9. Write one difference between table and view.
  10. Write the syntax for SQL SELECT command.
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