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NCS067

B.TECH.

THEORY EXAMINATION (SEM-VI) 2016-17

DISTRIBUTED DATABASE

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

*Note : Be precise in your answer. In case of numerical problem assume data wherever not provided.*

## SECTION – A

1. Explain the following: 10 x 2 = 20
- (a) What is a cascade less schedules?
  - (b) State serializability. How it is tested?
  - (c) Differentiate strict two phase locking protocol and rigorous two phase locking protocol.
  - (d) What are the timestamps associated with each data item?
  - (e) Define replication.
  - (f) What is Fragmentation? Give its types.
  - (g) Provide the Concepts in Orphan in distributed database.
  - (h) How database recovery can be done?
  - (i) What the difference is between distributed and replicated database?
  - (j) Define Distributed Deadlock detection.

## SECTION – B

2. Attempt any five of the following questions: 5 x 10 = 50
- (a) Compare conflict and view serializability with example.
  - (b) Explain timestamp based concurrency algorithms in detail.
  - (c) State the purpose of 2PC protocol. Explain 2PC in detail.
  - (d) Explain the need for the two-phase commit protocol. Then describe the two phases.
  - (e) Illustrate the cost based query optimization for Distributed Database in detail.
  - (f) Mention about Recovery in Message Passing System. Explain concept of inconsistent states.
  - (g) What are Multiversion Schemes? Explain its importance in Multiversion Protocol.
  - (h) Describe query optimization algorithms.

## SECTION – C

- Attempt any two parts of the following questions: 2 x 15 = 30
- 3 Explain how the transactions are managed in a distributed database. Also differentiate between Homogeneous and Heterogeneous Database.
  - 4 Brief about Traditional recovery techniques with example.
  - 5 What are the objects of distributed query processing? Explain.