

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**MCA- IInd SEMESTER-EXAMINATION –JUNE - 2012****Subject code: 620006****Date: 11/06/2012****Subject Name: Database Management Systems-II****Time: 10:30 am – 01:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Explain the concept of transaction and discuss the typical states of transaction by giving an example. **07**
- (b) Consider the following database schema: **07**
DEPT (dno, dname, dlocation)
EMPLOYEE (eno, ename, gender, city, dno, salary)

Give relational algebra expressions for each of the following query.

- 1) Display the dept details of department 'MCA'.
- 2) Display ename and salary of employees whose salary is greater than Rs. 12000.
- 3) Display the name of female employees whose dno is 20.
- 4) Display dname and ename of all employees.
- 5) Display the dno, dname, eno, ename of all employees whose dname is 'MCA' and city is 'Mumbai'.
- 6) Find out gender wise total number of employees.
- 7) Display the name of employees who don't live in 'Mumbai' city.

- Q.2** (a) Define the following **07**
- 1) Authorization
 - 2) Serial schedule
 - 3) Inter-query parallelism
 - 4) Semi-Join
 - 5) Relational algebra
 - 6) Evaluation plan
 - 7) Query graph

- (b) Differentiate between discretionary security scheme and mandatory security scheme. **07**

OR

- (b) Explain the basic set-theoretic operations of relational algebra with notation and example. **07**

- Q.3** (a) Discuss the advantages and problems of concurrent execution of transactions. **07**
- (b) Differentiate between immediate update and deferred update recovery techniques. **07**

OR

- Q.3** (a) What is locking? How does a lock work? Explain the different types of locks. **07**
- (b) Describe how transaction log file is used in forward and backward recovery. **07**

- Q.4** (a) Differentiate between parallel databases and distributed databases. Explain the architecture of parallel database. **07**
(b) What is data allocation? Compare different strategies of data allocation for distributed databases. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain & differentiate the speed-up and scale-up property of parallel databases. **07**
(b) Explain advantages and disadvantages of object oriented databases. **07**

- Q.5** (a) How does optimistic concurrency control method differ from other concurrency methods? Why they are also called validation methods? **07**
(b) What is query processing? Explain the typical steps of query processing. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) What are the types of damages than can take place to the database? Explain. **07**
(b) What is query optimization? Explain query optimizer module with block diagram. **07**
