

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**MCA - SEMESTER- V EXAMINATION – SUMMER - 2016**

**Subject Code:650004****Date:11/05/ 2016****Subject Name: Advanced Database Management Systems****Time: 10:30 AM to 01:00****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) Describe the Physical design factors that affect the performance of applications and transactions. **07**
- (b) 1. Discuss Component modules of DBMS and its interactions with diagram. **05**  
 2. Double buffering **02**
- Q.2** (a) 1. What are the goals of tuning? List the typical inputs to the tuning process. **04**  
 2. List and explain the commonly accepted threats to database security. **03**
- (b) 1. What are the relative merits of using DAC or MAC **04**  
 2. What is digital signature? How do they work? **03**
- OR**
- (b) What are the typical security classifications? Discuss the simple security property and the \*-property, and explain the justification behind these rules for enforcing multilevel security. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Discuss the immediate update recovery technique in both single-user and multiuser environments. What are the advantages and disadvantages of immediate update? **07**
- (b) 1. Write an algorithm for searching a nondense multilevel primary index with t levels. Assume that overflow records are ignored. **04**  
 2. Describe the WAL protocol. **03**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) What is the main difference between primary index and clustering index ?how does insertion of a record in a block affect a primary or clustering index-considering the cases of with and without overflow?. **07**
- (b) 1. Define and explain the different types of distribution transparency. **04**  
 2. Explain the concept of Steal/No-Steal and Force/No-Force. What is the usage of dirty bit and pin-unpin bit? **03**
- Q.4** (a) What is Distributed Database? Explain the concept of Fragmentation and Replication. What benefits do they offer? **07**
- (b) What is Genome Data Management? Explain the characteristics of biological data. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) What is Temporal Database? Discuss benefits of Temporal Database giving example. **07**
- (b) Discuss the nature of multimedia data and applications in Multimedia databases. Also discuss where the multimedia databases are applicable. **07**

- Q.5 (a)** List the object relational features included in SQL-99. Write the rules dealing with inheritance. Give an example to implement inheritance. **07**
- (b)** 1. Explain any four methods defined by GIS standards for testing spatial Relations and spatial analysis. **04**  
2. What is meant by Data Allocation in Distributed Database design? **03**
- OR**
- Q.5 (a)** Describe the concept of deductive database. What is the similarity between rules used in deductive databases and views in the relational model? **07**
- (b)** 1. What is Service Names? What is the problem with client configurations using tnsnames.ora file? What are the solutions for it? **04**  
2. Write a short note on Database Links. **03**

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