

**B.Tech. – VIEP – COMPUTER SCIENCE AND
ENGINEERING (BTCSVI)**

Term-End Examination

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BICSE-007 : DISTRIBUTED DATABASE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer any seven questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Explain the general architecture of a parallel database system and shared memory architecture. 10

2. Which process of DDBS design is used when we want to design DDBS from scratch ? Also draw and explain that process. 10

3. (a) "Providing transparency is needed in DDBMS." Comment with suitable examples. 5

- (b) How does distributed transaction manager deal with multiple copies of data, when concurrency control is based on locking? 5
4. (a) "Dynamic query optimization approach is best for Ad-hoc queries." — Write your comments on this statement by giving justification for your answer. 5
- (b) What is query optimization? List the components of query optimizer software and explain any one from that. 5
5. (a) How can the correctness rules be applied to primary and derived horizontal fragmentation? 5
- (b) Define distributed deadlock detection. 5
6. Describe query decomposition and data localization in detail. 10
7. (a) Explain ACID properties of transaction. 5
- (b) What are the lazy replication protocols? 5

8. (a) Describe the fundamental approaches to construct a reliable system. 5
- (b) Explain the distributed cost model with an example. 5
9. (a) Differentiate between federated database system and multi database system. 5
- (b) Explain three-phases commit protocol in detail. 5
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) Scheduler
- (b) 2PC
- (c) Fragmentation of database
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