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DIPLOMA IN INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY  
(DICT M12/EV/FT)

**EIS 2203: DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

**SERIES: APRIL 2013**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**Instructions to Candidates:**

You should have the following for this examination

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

Maximum marks for each part of a question are as shown

This paper consists of **TWO** printed pages

**Question One (Compulsory)**

- a) Explain the following:
- (i) First Normal Form (1NF)
  - (ii) Second Normal Form (2NF)
  - (iii) Third Normal Form (3NF)
  - (iv) Foreign Key
  - (v) Primary Key
- (10 marks)**
- b) Distinguish between data and information. **(4 marks)**
- c) By mean of suitable examples explain the following:
- (i) Functional Dependency
  - (ii) Determinant
- (4 marks)**
- d) Explain “Concurrency Control” as applied to Database **(2 marks)**

**Question Two**

- a) Define database management system (DBMS) **(2 marks)**
- b) Describe the following database models:
- (i) Relational
  - (ii) Hierarchical
  - (iii) Object oriented
- (8 marks)**
- c) Explain the following as related to relational mode:
- (i) Attributes
  - (ii) Domain
  - (iii) Tuple
  - (iv) Degree
  - (v) Cardinality
- (5 marks)**
- d) List advantages and disadvantages of client/server architecture. **(5 marks)**

**Question Three**

- a) Describe the features of the following database system:
- (i) Two-tier system
  - (ii) Mutli-tier system
- (6 marks)**
- b) Describe the **THREE** levels of database architecture **(9 marks)**
- c) Explain the functions of the following SQL clauses:
- (i) Where
  - (ii) Having
  - (iii) Group by
- (3 marks)**
- d) Explain the following SQL predicates:
- (i) Distinct
  - (ii) Top
- (2 marks)**

### Question Four

a) The table below is sample of dentist/patient appoint data. Use it to answer the questions below:

| Staff | Staff   | Pat  | Patient | Appointment | Time  | Surger | Surgery        | Cost  |
|-------|---------|------|---------|-------------|-------|--------|----------------|-------|
|       | Name    | No   | Name    | Date        |       | No     | Type           |       |
| S011  | Kariuki | P100 | Jane    | 12/1/12     | 10:00 | 515    | Braces         | 2000  |
| S032  | Juma    | P105 | Fatma   | 12/1/12     | 12:00 | 515    | Extractio<br>n | 800   |
| S024  | Said    | P108 | Atieno  | 12/1/12     | 14:00 | 510    | Braces         | 20000 |
| S011  | Kariuki | P006 | Owino   | 14/01/12    | 8:00  | 510    | Braces         | 20000 |
| S024  | Said    | P105 | Fatma   | 18/01/12    | 16:00 | 515    | Extractio<br>n | 800   |
| S030  | David   | P100 | Jane    | 18/01/12    | 17:00 | 518    | Bleachin<br>g  | 5000  |

A patient is given appointment at a specific time and date with a dentist allocated for a particular surgery.

- (i) Identify all the entries for the appointment system
- (ii) Draw E-R diagrams for the system
- (iii) Normalize the above relation to 3NF (20 marks)

### Question Five

a) The table below shows an instance of relation employees. Use it to answer question that follow:

| DOB      | Employee # | Name        | Position   | Gender | Salary | Branch # |
|----------|------------|-------------|------------|--------|--------|----------|
| 01/10/65 | E001       | J. Maingi   | Manager    | M      | 60000  | B005     |
| 10/10/70 | E004       | Ann Onyango | Assistant  | F      | 54000  | B003     |
| 12/10/75 | E005       | Ali Hassan  | Supervisor | M      | 50000  | B005     |
| 01/01/70 | E007       | Mary Atieno | Manager    | F      | 55000  | B003     |
| 01/10/80 | E008       | S. Owour    | Assistant  | F      | 45000  | B005     |
| 01/01/80 | E010       | R. Ali      | Manager    | F      | 65000  | B001     |

List SQL statements to:

- (i) Create the above table
- (ii) Add one record to the table

- (iii) List all details of female employees who are manager
  - (iv) List number of employees in each branch
  - (v) List total salaries earned by staff in each branch
  - (vi) List Employ# and names of employee who earn salaries between 20,000 and 30,000
  - (vii) Increase salaries of all managers by 12%
  - (viii)** Delete record of employee E010 because the employee never reported for duty
- (16 marks)**

b) Briefly explain the following relational algebra operations:

- (i) Selection
- (ii) Projection
- (iii) Union
- (iv) Intersection

**(4 marks)**