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BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2020
(Sixth Semester)

Branch - COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY
CORE ELECTIVE - II CLIENT SERVER TECHNOLOGY [15CTU38A]

Marks: 75

Duration: 225 mins.

SECTION A

Answer all the questions.

- 1) List out any four characteristics of client/server systems. (2)
- 2) What is server to server middleware? (2)
- 3) State any four base services needed for a server from an OS. (2)
- 4) Define transparency in the NOS middleware. (2)
- 5) Expand OLTP and SQL. (2)
- 6) What is JDBC? Explain the two major sets of interfaces that are provided by JDBC. (2)
- 7) List out the components of groupware. (2)
- 8) What is Lotus notes/ domino? Write down the use of them. (2)
- 9) What is a component? (2)
- 10) Define CORBA objects. (2)

SECTION B

Answer all the questions.

- 11) Describe about Fat server and Fat client. (5)
 - a) [OR] Prepare a note on what is inside the building blocks of client/server system. (5)
 - b)
- 12) Explain the categories of clients. (5)

- a)
[OR] Discuss about server OS trends. (5)
b)
- 13) Prepare a note on OLE DB and ADO. (5)
- a)
[OR] Explain briefly data mining and the search methods which are used by the most data mining tools. (5)
b)
- 14) Describe about chained and nested transactions. (5)
- a)
[OR] Narrate any five benefits if TP monitor. (5)
b)
- 15) Explain the type of facilities provided by server-side components. (5)
- a)
[OR] Prepare a short note on the anatomy of a CORBA business object with a diagram. (5)
b)

SECTION C

Answer 3 out of 5 questions.

- 16) Discuss how bridges, routers and gateways are used in a modern backbone network. (10)
- 17) Describe about the shared private key approach and the public / private key approach to encryption. (10)
- 18) Elucidate all the three SQL database server architectures with diagrams. (10)
- 19) Discuss the electronic mail infrastructure and internet mail protocols: SMTP, IMAP and POP. (10)
- 20) Summarise what COBRA does on the client side and also draw the structure of a CORBA 2.0 ORB. (10)

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