

B.Sc./B.C.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2019

Sixth Semester

Choice Based Core Course—CLIENT SERVER COMPUTING

[Common for B.Sc. Computer Science, B.C.A. and B.Sc. Computer Applications (Triple-Main)]

(2013 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. What is smart sizing ?
2. What is availability ?
3. What is dynamic data exchange ?
4. What is X window ?
5. What is data stripping ?
6. What is RPC ?
7. What is distributed file system ?
8. What is atomicity ?
9. What is data manipulation language ?
10. List ACID properties ?

(10 × 1 = 10)

Part B

Answer any eight questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

11. What are the hardware trends in the evolution of client server computing ?
12. List open system standard areas.
13. Define flexibility and scalability ?
14. What is the role of presentation manager ?
15. What is interoperability ?

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16. Differentiate between data dictionary and repository ?
17. What are the two versions of RAID 1 ?
18. List the advantages of super server over micro server ?
19. What is distributed directory service ?
20. Write a note on multi-threading ?
21. What is load leveling ?
22. List the different ways to interconnect LANs ?

(8 × 2 = 16)

Part C

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.*

23. Describe about transaction processing applications.
24. What are the obstacles in implementing the client server computing ?
25. Explain object linking and embedding ? What is the difference between DDL and OLE ?
26. Write a note on GUI design standards ?
27. What are the three major benchmark tests for servers ? Explain.
28. Explain multi-processing ?
29. What are the 8 layers of software ? Illustrate with figure.
30. What is stored procedure ? Explain
31. Write a short note on database gateways ?

(6 × 4 = 24)

Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 15 marks.*

32. With a diagram explain the components of client server application.
33. Explain open interface architecture with a diagram ?
34. Describe about different categories of servers ?
35. Explain OS/2 2.0 layered architecture with diagram ?

(2 × 15 = 30)