Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

PART A - (10 \times 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions.

- 1. What is a database management system?
- 2. What are the three basic types of events occur in a database environment?
- 3. What is data dictionary?
- 4. Write the syntax of create view.
- 5. List the SQL operations not involving cursors.
- 6. What are the various report layout elements?
- 7. What are the benefits of the menu?
- 8. What is the difference between forms and reports?
- 9. What is serialization?
- 10. What is the use of cluster analysis?
- 11. List the primary database tasks required for implementation.
- 12. Define third normal form.

PART B - (5 \times 5 = 25 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions.

- 13. Explain the advantages of using database management systems.
- 14. Discuss about common data types.
- 15. Examine any four aggregation operators.
- 16. Explain the 'from, where and select' clauses in SQL.
- 17. Discuss the fundamentals of report design.
- 18. Describe the hashed-key storage methods.
- 19. Explain the primary role of the data administrator.

PART C —
$$(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 20. Explain the process of converting a class diagram to normalized tables with an example.
- 21. Describe the various simple queries in SQL.

- 22. Explain the basic report type's designs.
- 23. Explain the concept of data clustering and data partitioning.
- 24. Discuss about Client/Server databases.