## 2021

(held in 2022)

## **MCA**

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code: MCA-5.3

(Data Mining and Warehousing)

Full Marks - 75

Time - Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

- 1. Answer the following questions:  $1 \times 5=5$ 
  - (a) A data warehouse is said to contain a "time varying" collection of data because
    - (i) It's contents very automatically with time
    - (ii) It's life-spans is very limited
    - (iii) It contains historical data
    - (iv) It's content has explicit time-stamp.

- (b) The "Pivot" is an OLAP operation which
  - (i) Intergrates several dimensions.
  - (ii) Is a visualization operation rotating the axes for alternative presentation.
  - (iii) Is not visualization operation.
  - (iv) Is not a rotating axes for alternative presentation.
- (c) Which of the following statement is true?
  - (i) A fact table describes the transactions stored in a DWH.
  - (ii) A fact table describes the granularity of data held in a DWH.
  - (iii) The fact table of a data warehouse is the main store of descriptions of the transactions stored in a DWH.
  - (iv) The fact table of a data warehouse is the main store of all of the recorded transactions over time.
- (d) The Apriori property means
  - (i) If a set cannot pass a test, all of its supersets will fail the same test as well
  - (ii) To improve the efficiency the level-wise generation of frequent item sets

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- (iii) If a set can pass a test, all of its supersets will fail the same test as well
- (iv) To decrease the efficiency the level-wise generation of frequent item sets.
- (e) What is / are the different types of Metadata?
  - 1. Administrative
  - 2. Business
  - 3. Operational
  - (i) Only (1) above
  - (ii) Both (2) and (3)
  - (iii) Both (1) and (2) above
  - (iv) All (1), (2), and (3) above.
- 2. Answer any *five* of the following questions:  $2\times5=10$ 
  - (a) What is data cuboid in multidimensional data model.
  - (b) Difference between Supervised learning and Unsupervised learning with example.
  - (c) What is a decision tree?
  - (d) List out the types of metadata.

Transaction ID	Items Purchased
1	Bread, Cheese, Egg, Juice
2	Bread, Cheese, Juice
3	Bread, Milk, Yogurt
4	Bread, Juice, Milk
5	Cheese, Juice, Milk