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# MBA III Semester Regular & Supplementary Examinations November/December 2017 DATA WAREHOUSING & MINING

(For students admitted in 2014, 2015 & 2016 only)

Time: 3 hours

PART – A

(Answer the following:  $(05 \times 10 = 50 \text{ Marks})$ 

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1 How can you evaluate database technology?

#### OR

- 2 Explain how to organize the data warehousing in data management.
- 3 Explain the data sharing between functional units and different levels of users.

## OR

- 4 Explain database system in data warehousing.
- 5 (a) Explain how a relational database can be organized for a data ware house.
  - (b) Explain four levels of data in data warehouse environment with example.

#### OR

- 6 (a) What is data cleaning? Why is it necessary?
  - (b) How to choose the right database structure for a data ware house? Explain.
- 7 What are the four types of data that the data warehouse architecture must specify? Explain.

OR

- 8 (a) What are the three basic elements of a project plan? Explain it.
  - (b) Explain how a OLAP analysis might proceed.
- 9 What is data cleaning? Why is it necessary? Explain it.

## OR

10 What situation, where data transformation would be necessary in preparing data to be loaded into a data warehouse?

## PART – B

(Compulsory question, 01 X 10 = 10 Marks)

## 11 Case study:

You have decided to prepare a budget for next 12 months on your actual expenses for the past 12 months. You need to get your expense information into what is in effect. **Questions:** 

- (a) What are your information sources for this data warehouse?
- (b) Describe how you would carry out each of the five steps of data preparation for a data warehouse, from extraction through summarization. If a particular step does not apply, say so and justify your statement.

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