(b) Write in brief about the concept of digital library.

9. Write short notes on the following :

(a) Data warehousing

(b) Spatial database

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Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard will be entertained after the examination.

Note : Attempt all five parts of the question in section-A. Attempt four questions selecting one question from each unit in section-B. All questions carry equal marks.

Section-A

1. Explain the following :

(a) Database management system

(b) Relational data model

(c) Difference between schema and subschema

(d) Database recovery

(e) Multimedia database

Section-B

Unit-I

2. (a) How the database system approach is superior to file-oriented system?

   (b) Bring out the role of database administrator in managing a database system.

3. (a) Explain the meaning of data, information, record and file, taking suitable examples.

   (b) What is data dictionary? Explain in brief its utility in database management system.

Unit-II

4. (a) Explain different levels of architecture of database system with the help of a neat diagram.

   (b) Clarify meaning of the term 'data independence' and discuss the logical and physical data independence.

5. Discuss network data model taking suitable example. What are its advantages and disadvantages ?

Unit-III

6. What are major threats to database management system? What techniques are employed in securing the databases?

7. What do you mean by distributed database? Discuss in brief benefits and problems of distributed database system.

Unit-IV

8. (a) How does data mining help business organizations to get a competitive edge?