



Course Specification of Database Systems

Course No (.....)

2020/2021

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I. Course Identification and General Information:					
1	Course Title:	Database Systems			
2	Course Code & Number:				
3	Credit hours:	C.H			
		Th.	Seminar	Pr	Tr.
		2	-	2	-
4	Study level/semester at which this course is offered:	2 nd Level -2 nd Semester			
5	Pre –requisite (if any):	Database Fundamentals			
6	Co –requisite (if any):	None			
7	Program (s) in which the course is offered:	IS			
8	Language of teaching the course:	Arabic/English			
9	Study System	Term based system			
10	Mode of delivery:	Full Time			
11	Location of teaching the course:	Faculty of Computer and Information Technology			
12	Prepared By:	Dr.Ebraheem M.ALhaddad			
13	Date of Approval				

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II. Course Description:

This course introduces concepts and implementation schemes of data and information management. The potential topics covered in class include processing and optimization of declarative queries, transactions, crash recovery, self-tuning database systems, data mining, data warehouse and big data analytics. The course materials will be drawn from textbooks and it will be covered theoretically in the class and practically in the labs.

I. Course Intended learning outcomes (CILOs) of the course		Referenc ed PILOs
a1.	Illustrate the different modules that constitute a DBMS such as indexes, query processor and optimizer, concurrency control manager, and recovery and backup manager.	A
a2.	Explain data analysis technologies, data warehouse and mining, big data analytics.	A
b1.	Compare and contrast, physical database design decisions in the context of a high-performance database system, and analyze the suitability of such schemes for different kinds of workloads.	B
b2.	Experiment some popular analytics engines for large Datasets processing.	B

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c1.	Write stored procedures, functions and triggers.	C
c2.	Implement and evaluate complex, scalable database systems, with emphasis on providing experimental evidence for design decisions.	C
c3.	Apply simple data analysis tasks using tools such as OLAP and Map Reduce.	C
d1.	Negotiate and communicate effectively with the work environment in both written and oral formats.	D
d2.	Exhibit self-learning abilities in data management and analysis.	D

(A) Alignment Course Intended Learning Outcomes of Knowledge and Understanding to Teaching Strategies and Assessment Strategies:

Course Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching strategies	Assessment Strategies
a1. Illustrate the different modules that constitute a DBMS such as the query processor and optimizer, concurrency control manager, and recovery and backup manager.	Lectures, presentation, discussions	Quizzes, Exams.
a.2 Explain data analysis technologies, data warehouse and mining, big data analytics.	Lectures, presentation, discussions.	Quizzes, Exams.

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(B) Alignment Course Intended Learning Outcomes of Intellectual Skills to Teaching Strategies and Assessment Strategies:

Course Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching strategies	Assessment Strategies
b1.Compare and contrast, physical database design decisions in the context of a high-performance database system, and analyze the suitability of such schemes for different kinds of workloads.	Lectures Class discussions. Presentations	Assignments, Exams, Presentations.
b2.Experiment some popular analytics engines for large Datasets processing.	Lectures Discussions.	Assignments, Exams, Presentations.

(C) Alignment Course Intended Learning Outcomes of Professional and Practical Skills to Teaching Strategies and Assessment Strategies:

Course Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching strategies	Assessment Strategies
c1.Write stored procedures, functions and triggers.	Lab experiment, Problems Solving	Quizzes, Exams, Project assignment
c2.Implement and evaluate complex, scalable database systems, with emphasis on providing experimental evidence for design decisions.	Lab experiment, Problems Solving	Quizzes, Exams, Project assignment
c3. Apply simple data analysis tasks using tools such as OLAP and MapReduce.	Lab experiment, Problems Solving	Quizzes, Exams, Project assignment

(D) Alignment Course Intended Learning Outcomes of Transferable Skills to Teaching Strategies and Assessment Strategies:

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Course Intended Learning Outcomes	Teaching strategies	Assessment Strategies
d1.Negotiate and communicate effectively with the work environment in both written and oral formats.	Group projects, Presentation, Discussion	Reports, Project assignment, Presentations
d2.Exhibit self-learning abilities in data management and analysis.	Group projects,	Reports, Project assignment, Presentations

I. Course Content:					
A – Theoretical Aspect:					
Order	Units/Topics List	Learning Outcomes	Sub Topics List	Number of Weeks	contact hours
1	Physical Database Design	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of Physical Storage Media <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cach, RAM, HD, SSD File Organizations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Heap, Ordered, Hash - Column-Oriented Storage Parallelizing Disk Access <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RAID - SAN,NAS. 	2	4
2	Indexing Structures	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single-Level Ordered Indexes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Primary, Clustered, Secondary. Multilevel Indexes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - B-Trees and B+-Trees - Indexes on Multiple Keys. - Function-Base Index - Bitmap Index. 	2	4

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3	Query Processing & Optimization	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition of Query Processing and Query Optimization Steps of Query Processing and Query Optimization Measures of Query Cost Different techniques for cost estimation for All Operation (Select, Project,...) 	2	4
4	Database Transaction & Concurrency Control Protocols	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trans. Concepts ACID Properties Trans. States Concurrent Execution Schedules Serializability Conflict Serializability Testing for Serializability Precedence Graph Recoverable Schedules Cascadeless Schedule Lock-Based Protocol Lock Conversion The 3 Problems with LB-P Graph-Based Protocols Timestamp-Based Protocols 	2	6
5	Database Security	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discretionary Access Control Based on Granting and Revoking Privileges Mandatory Access Control and Role-Based 	2	4

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access Control for Multilevel Security SQL Injection. Statistical Database Security 		
6	Data Warehouse	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Characteristics of Data Warehouses Data Modeling for Data Warehouses Building a Data Warehouse OLAP and OLTP 	1	2
7	Data Mining	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Association Rules Classification Clustering 	1	2
8	Big Data Technologies Based on MapReduce and Hadoop	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What Is Big Data? Introduction to MapReduce and Hadoop. Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS) Hadoop v2 YARN 	2	٤
Number of Weeks /and Units Per Semester				14	32

B - Practical Aspect: (if any)

Order	Tasks/ Experiments	Number of Weeks	contact hours	Learning Outcomes
1	Cursor	1	2	c1,c2,d1
2	Stored Functions	1	2	b1,c1,c2,d1
3	Stored Procedure	1	2	b1,c1,c2,d1

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4	Stored Trigger	1	2	b1,c1,c2,d1
5	Stored Packaged & LOBs	1	2	b1,c1,c2,d1,
6	Creating & managing indexes	2	4	c1,c2,d1
7	Security: Managing Users, Privileges and Roles	2	4	a1,a2,b1,b2,c1,c2
8	Database Backup and recovery	1	2	c1,c2,d1
9	Create Data Warehouse & perform Simple OLAP	2	4	b1,b2c2,c3,d1
10	Install Hadoop & Perform simple Map reduce tasks	2	4	b1,b2,c2,c3d1
Number of Weeks /and Units Per Semester		14	28	

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III. Assignments:

No	Assignments	Aligned CILOs(symbols)	Week Due	Mark
1	Assignment 1	b1,c2,d1,d2	4 th	2
2	Assignment 2	b1,c2,d1,d2	7 th	2
3	Assignment 3	b2, bc1, c2,d1,d2	10 th	3
4	Assignment 4	b2,c1,c2,d1,d2	13 th	3

IV. Schedule of Assessment Tasks for Students During the Semester:

No	Assessment Method	Week Due	Mark	Proportion of Final Assessment	Aligned Course Learning Outcomes
1	Assignments	4 th , 7 th , 10 th , 13 th	10	10%	b2, bc1, c2,d1,d2
2	Projects (single\group)	12 th	5	5%	b2, b1,c1,c2,d1,d2
3	Mid Term Exam practical	6 th	5	5%	b1,b2,c1,c2,d1
4	Mid Term Exam Theoretical	7 th	10	10%	a1,a2,b1,b2
5	Final Exam (practical)	16 th	10	10%	a1,a2,b1,b2,c1,c2
6	Final Exam (theoretical)	16 th	60	60%	a1,a2,b1,b2,c1,c2
7	Total		100	100%	

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V. Learning Resources:

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2- Essential References.

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4- Electronic Materials and Web Sites etc.

- 1- <https://15445.courses.cs.cmu.edu/fall2019/syllabus.html>
- 2- <https://web2.qatar.cmu.edu/~mhhammou/15415-s20/index.html>

III. Course Policies:

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The University Regulations on academic misconduct will be strictly enforced. Please refer to -----

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I. - Information about Faculty Member Responsible for the Course:							
Name of Faculty Member		Office Hours					
Location & Telephone No.		SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
E-mail							

II. Course Identification and General Information:						
1	Course Title:	Database Systems				
2	Course Number & Code:					
3	Credit hours:	C.H				Total
		Th.	Seminar	Pr.	Tr.	
		2	-	2	-	3
4	Study level/year at which this course is offered:	2 nd Level -2 nd Semester				
5	Pre –requisite (if any):	Fundamentals of Database				
6	Co –requisite (if any):	None				
7	Program (s) in which the course is offered	IS				
8	Language of teaching the course:	Arabic/English				

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9	System of Study:	Term based System
10	Mode of delivery:	Full Time
11	Location of teaching the course:	Faculty of Computer and Information Technology

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2	Indexing Structures	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Single-Level Ordered Indexes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Primary, Clustered, Secondary. Multilevel Indexes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - B-Trees and B+-Trees - Indexes on Multiple Keys. - Function-Base Index - Bitmap Index. 	3 rd ,4 th	4
3	Query Processing & Optimization	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition of Query Processing and Query Optimization 	5 th ,6 th	4

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Steps of Query Processing and Query Optimization Measures of Query Cost Different techniques for cost estimation for All Operation (Select, Project,...) 		
4	Midterm Exam		-	7 th	2
5	Database Transaction & Concurrency Control Protocols	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trans. Concepts ACID Properties Trans. States Concurrent Execution Schedules Serializability Conflict Serializability Testing for Serializability Precedence Graph Recoverable Schedules Cascadeless Schedule Lock-Based Protocol Lock Conversion The 3 Problems with LB-P Graph-Based Protocols Timestamp-Based Protocols 	8 th ,9 th	4
6	Database Security	a1,b1,c1,c2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discretionary Access Control Based on Granting and Revoking Privileges Mandatory Access Control and Role-Based 	10 th ,11 th	4

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access Control for Multilevel Security SQL Injection. Statistical Database Security 		
7	Data Warehouse	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Characteristics of Data Warehouses Data Modeling for Data Warehouses Building a Data Warehouse OLAP and OLTP 	12 th	2
8	Data Mining	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Association Rules Classification Clustering 	13 th	2
9	Big Data Technologies Based on MapReduce and Hadoop	a2,b2,c2,c3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What Is Big Data? Introduction to MapReduce and Hadoop. Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS) Hadoop v2 YARN 	14 th , 15 th	4
10	Final Exam		-	16 th	2
Number of Weeks /and Units Per Semester				16	32

B– Practical Aspect: (if any)

Order	Topics List	Week Due	Contact Hours
1	Cursor	1 st	2
2	Stored Functions	2 nd	2

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3	Stored Procedure	3 rd	2
4	Stored Trigger	4 th	2
5	Stored Packaged & LOBs	5 th	2
6	Mid Exam	6 th	2
7	Creating & managing indexes	7 th , 8 th	4
8	Security: Managing Users, Privileges and Roles	9 th , 10 th	4
9	Database Backup and recovery	11 th	2
10	Create Data Warehouse & perform Simple OLAP	12 th , 13 th	4
11	Install Hadoop & Perform simple Map reduce tasks	14 th , 15 th	4
12	Final Exam	16 th	2
Number of Weeks /and Units Per Semester		16	48

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1	Assignments	4 th , 7 th , 10 th , 13 th	10	10%
2	Projects (single\group)	12 th	5	5%
3	Mid Term Exam practical	6 th	5	5%
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5	Final Exam (practical)	16 th	10	10%
6	Final Exam (theoretical)	16 th	60	60%

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7	Total		100	100%
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