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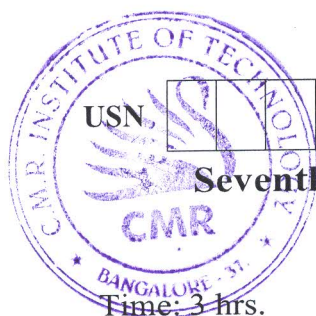### Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2023/Jan.2024
Cloud Computing and Its Applications

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

1   a.   Describe cloud computing reference model. List any four characteristics and benefits of cloud computing. **(08 Marks)**
    b.   Describe the three major milestones which have led to cloud computing. **(06 Marks)**
    c.   Define service oriented computing and utility oriented computing. **(02 Marks)**

OR

2   a.   What is virtualization? What are the characteristics of virtualized environments? **(08 Marks)**
    b.   What is an Hypervisor? Explain how hardware virtualization can be achieved. **(08 Marks)**

Module-2

3   Define PaaS. PaaS reference model with neat diagram and list the essential characteristics that identify and PaaS solution. **(16 Marks)**

OR

4   How do you build Aneka clouds? Explain Infrastructure and logical organization of building Aneka clouds. **(16 Marks)**

Module-3

5   a.   Explain the domain decomposition techniques for parallel computation. **(10 Marks)**
    b.   What is multiprocessing? Describe the different techniques for implementing multiprocessing. **(06 Marks)**

OR

6   a.   Explain the computing categories for task computing. **(06 Marks)**
    b.   Explain reference model of a workflow system. **(10 Marks)**

Module-4

7   a.   Define Data Intensive computing. List any six open challenges in Data Intensive computing. **(08 Marks)**
    b.   Bring out the salient features of Map Reduce programming model with a neat diagram of MapReduce compworkflow. **(08 Marks)**

OR

8   a.   Explain the Google Big Table Architecture. **(08 Marks)**
    b.   List and explain the parameters that can be controlled during execution of Aneka MapReduce Application. **(08 Marks)**

Module-5

9   With neat diagram, explain Microsoft windows Azure platform Architecture. **(16 Marks)**

OR

10   a.   What are DropBox and icloud? Which kind of problem do they solve by using cloud technologies? **(08 Marks)**
     b.   Provide some examples of media applications that use cloud technologies. **(08 Marks)**

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