

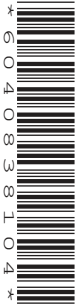
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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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Paper 1 Theory

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1 hour 45 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

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1 Tick the **four** most accurate statements about relational databases.

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Duplication of data is avoided saving storage space.	
Every individual mistake in the database has to be manually corrected in all tables.	
It is easier to produce cross-tabular reports in relational databases than with flat file databases.	
The only two possible relationships are one-to-one and many-to-one.	
It is impossible to make mistakes when entering data into a relational database.	
Tables can be linked using a key field.	
There must be at least three tables in a relational database.	
Primary keys are unnecessary whereas you must have them with flat file databases.	
Relational databases cannot store as much information as flat file databases.	
Referential integrity helps to prevent database users entering inconsistent data.	

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2 Tick the **four** statements referring to the use of the internet and the World Wide Web which are true.

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The internet is fully policed and safe.	
Information on the World Wide Web tends to be up to date.	
The World Wide Web has vast amounts of information.	
All information on the World Wide Web is unbiased.	
All websites are accurate.	
Lack of expertise in using search engines can lead to inefficient searching.	
It is more difficult to plagiarise information using the World Wide Web than copying out of a hard copy book.	
There is a danger of accessing inappropriate websites.	
The internet is smaller than an intranet.	
The World Wide Web and the internet are the same thing.	

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3 Ian wants to apply encryption to all his emails. He is not sure whether to use asymmetric or symmetric encryption.

(a) Describe what is meant by the asymmetric method of encryption.

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(b) Describe what is meant by the symmetric method of encryption.

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