Chapter 1 Databases and Database Users

1. What is DBMS? Give five properties of a good DBMS software.
2. What is metadata? Explain with example.
3. Explain the four characteristics of Database Approach.
4. Mention the different type of users associated with a Database.
5. Differentiate between Naive End Users and Sophisticated End Users.
6. Mention the advantages of using DBMS Approach.
7. Discuss the main characteristics of the database approach and how it differs from traditional file systems.
8. Discuss the differences between database systems and information retrieval systems.
9. Write a note on the following:
    I. DBA
    II. Database Designers
    III. Database Catelog
    IV. canned transaction