



Assignment No. 1

Q. 1 Differentiate between file system & Database system

Ans	Point	File System	DBMS
1	Structure	It is software that manages & organises the file in storage medium within a computer.	It is a software for managing (DB).
2	Data Redundancy	It is present	It's not present
3	Backup & Recovery	It does not provide backup & recovery if file is lost.	It provides Backup & recovery.
4	Query processing	No efficient query processing in filesystem.	Efficient query processing in DBMS.
5	Consistency	Less data consistency.	More data consistency because of normalization.
6	Data Abstraction	It provides detail of data representation & storage of data.	It gives an abstract view of data that hides the internal details.

Q. 2 Discuss the role of Database Administrator.

Ans The roles of Database Administrator are listed below -

- 1) The DBA needs to perform many roles to keep the (DB) up & running.
- 2) System Administrator/Designer.
- 3) The DBA needs to manage DBMS software & server.
- 4) It is responsible for deciding on the storage & access method.
- 5) It performs all data field updates or adding new fields into (DB).
- 6) Database developer/programmer.
- 7) To design means of reorganizing DB periodically.

- 8) The DBA determines & implement DB searching strategies.
- 9) System Analyst.
- 10) The DBA needs to take care of system by planning proper recovery procedures.
- 11) The DBA specify techniques for monitoring DB performance.

Q.3 Write a short note on Data Independence & Data Abstraction.

Ans. Data Independence -

It can be defined as capacity to change schema at one level without affecting schema at next higher level.

Types of Data Independence -

1) Logical - It has the capacity to change conceptual schema without having to change external schema.

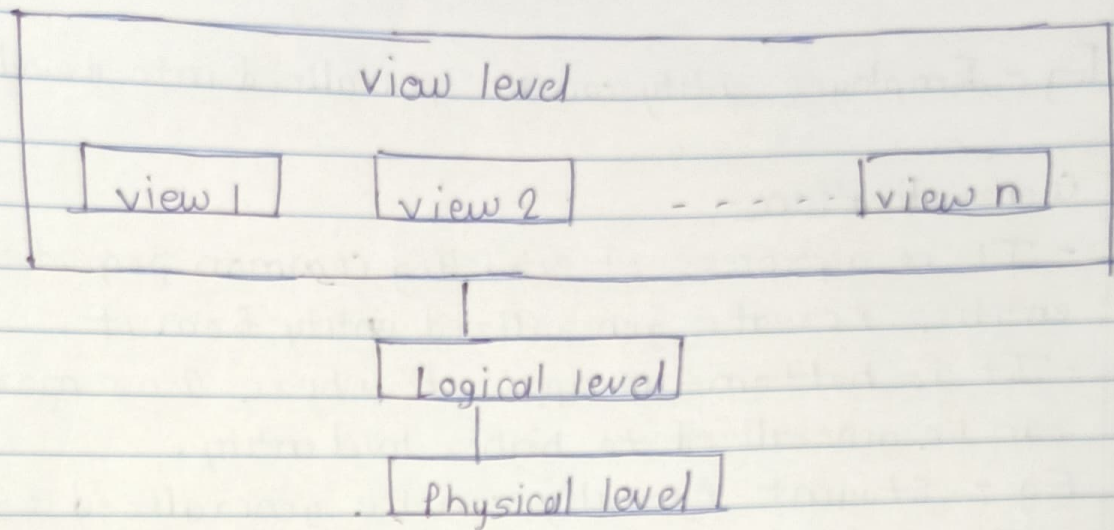
Eg - Change conceptual schema to expand DB by adding records type or data item.

2) Physical - It has the capacity to change internal schema without changing conceptual schema.

Eg - Conceptual structure of data could not be affected by any change in storage size of DB system server.

Data Abstraction -

- Hiding unwanted or irrelevant details from end user.
- Providing different views & helps in achieving data independence.
- Enhance security of data
- Database system consists of complicated data structure & relations for user to access data easily. This complications are kept hidden & only relevant part is accessible to user.



1) Physical / internal level -

It is lowest level of abstraction which describes how data are actually stored & complex low level data structure in detail.

2) Logical / conceptual level -

It is intermediate level of abstraction which describes what data are stored in DB & what relationship exist among those data. It is used by developer or DBA ~~for~~ to must decide what info to keep in DB. Overall these level contains tables & relationship among table attributes.

3) View / external level -

It is highest level of abstraction & it simplifies interaction with user & provide multiple views of same DB.

Q. 4

Write a short note on Specialization, Generalization & Aggregation

Ans

Specialization -

- In this, an entity is divided into subentities based on their characteristic.
- It is top-down Approach where high level entity is specialized into 2 or more lower level entity.

Eg - Employee entity can be specialized into developer, tester etc.

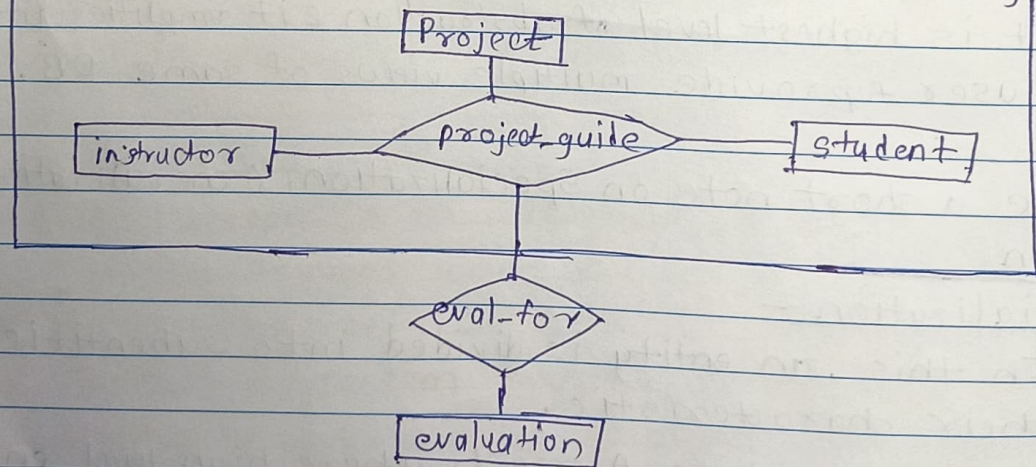
Generalization -

- It is a process of extracting common properties from set of entities & create generalized entity from it.
- It is bottom-up approach where 2 or more entities can be generalized to higher level entity.

Eg - Student & faculty can be generalized to high-level entity called person.

Aggregation -

- One limitation of ER model is that it can't express relationship among relationships.
 - In such case, a relationship with corresponding entities is aggregated into high level entity. Aggregation is an abstraction through which we can represent relationship as higher level entity set.
- Eg - We regard relationship set Proj-guide as higher level entity set such entity set is pointed in some manner as any other entity set.



We can then create a binary relationship eval-for betⁿ project-guide at evaluation to represent to which combination & evaluation is formed



Q.5 Explain the steps for mapping of ER model to relational model.
 Ans The steps for mapping of ER model to relational model are as follows :

1) Mapping of regular entity type. (ex. vehicle transportation)

Vehicle

Owner	Model	Reg_No	Location
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Driver

Driver-ID	Name	Age	phone-No
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Specs

Milage	Fuel-supply	Engine-No
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2) Mapping of weak entity type

Fuel-consumpt

I-Engine-No	I-milage	V-speed	Distance-travelled
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Maintenance

C-Engine-No	I-distance-travelled	Last & next service date
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3) Mapping of Binary 1:1 relationship type

Vehicle

Owner	Model	Reg_No	Location
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Specs

Milage	Fuel-supply	Engine-No	Reg-No
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4) Mapping of binary 1:N relation type

vehicle

owner	Model	Reg-No	Locatio
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Driver

Driver-ID	Name	Age	phone-No	Model
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5) Mapping of Binary M:N relation type

Has		Has	
Location	Phone-No	Reg-No	Engine-No

6) Mapping of multivalued attribute

C-Detail	
Location	Phone-No

7) Mapping of N-array elements relation type

No such exist.

Q.6 Explain Relational algebra operators in detail.

Ans The list relational algebra operators are as follows:

1) Select operator -

It is used for selecting tuples from a relation based on some condition.

Syntax: $\sigma(\text{cond}^n)(\text{Relation name})$

where σ is used to denote select operator.

Eg - $\pi(\sigma_{\text{Age} > 19})(\text{student})$

2) Union -

- It contains all the tuples that are either in R or S or both in R & S.

- It eliminates duplicate tuple

- It is denoted by \cup

Syntax: $R \cup S$

Eg - $\pi(\text{customer} / \text{Borrow}) \cup \pi(\text{customer} / \text{Depositor})$



3) Project -

It is used to project particular column from relation.

Syntax:

$\pi(\text{col1}, \text{col2}, \dots) (\text{Relation name})$

Eg - $\pi(\text{Roll-No}, \text{Name}) (\text{Student})$

4) Intersection -

- It contains all tuples that are both in R & S.

- It is denoted by \cap

Syntax: $R \cap S$

Eg $\pi(\text{custname}(\text{Borrow}) \cap \pi(\text{custname}(\text{Depositor}))$

5) Set difference -

- It contains all the tuples that are in R but not in S.

- It is denoted by $(-)$

Syntax: $R - S$

Eg $\pi(\text{custname}(\text{Borrow}) - \pi(\text{custname}(\text{Depositor}))$

6) Cartesian Product -

- It is used to join 2 relation

- For every row of R_1 each row R_2 is connected.

- If R_1 has M tuples & R_2 has N tuples cross product of R_1 & R_2 will have $M \times N$ tuples.

Syntax: $R_1 \times R_2$

Eg. Employee

Department

E-ID	E-Name	E-Dept	D-No	D-Name
1	Smith	A	A	Sales
2	Harry	B	B	Legal

Employee X Department

E-ID	E-name	E-Dept	D-No	D-Name
1	Smith	A	A	Sales
1	Smith	A	B	Legal
2	Harry	B	A	Sales
2	Harry	B	B	Legal

7) Rename -

- It is used to rename output relation
- It is denoted by ρ (rho)

eg - We can use Rename operator ρ

Rename student relation to student_1

$\rho(\text{student}_1, \text{student})$