### Lab Number: 1

#### Title

Designing Various Data Warehouse Schemas (Star Schema, Snowflake Schema, Fact Constellation) Using MySQL Query

# **Objective**

To gain practical understanding of different data warehouse schema designs—Star, Snowflake, and Fact Constellation by implementing them using SQL queries.

#### **IDE/Tools Used**

MySQL, Apache Server

# **Query Programming Language**

**SQL** 

### Theory

A **Data Warehouse** is a centralized repository used for storing large volumes of structured data from multiple sources. It is specifically designed for query and analysis, rather than transaction processing. The primary goal of a data warehouse is to support decision-making processes by enabling data consolidation, historical analysis, and data mining.

A **Schema in data warehousing** defines the logical view of the entire database. It describes how the data is organized and how the relationships between data are maintained. There are three main types of data warehouse schemas:

#### 1. Star Schema

The Star Schema is the simplest and most commonly used data warehouse schema. It consists of a central fact table that stores quantitative data (measures), and multiple dimension tables that contain descriptive attributes related to the facts. The structure resembles a star, with the fact table at the center and the dimension tables radiating outwards.

### **Advantages**

- Simple to understand and design
- Efficient for querying and reporting

**Example:** A sales fact table connected to dimension tables like Customer, Product, Time, and Location

#### 2. Snowflake Schema

The Snowflake Schema is a more complex version of the star schema where dimension tables are normalized into multiple related tables. This reduces data redundancy but increases the complexity of queries due to more joins.

# **Advantages**

- Reduces data redundancy
- Better data integrity

### **Disadvantages**

• More complex queries due to multiple table joins

**Example:** The Product dimension may be broken down into Product, Product Category, and Product Supplier tables

## 3. Fact Constellation (or Galaxy Schema)

A Fact Constellation Schema contains multiple fact tables that share many dimension tables. It is used in complex data warehouses where multiple business processes are modeled.

# **Advantages**

- Enables integrated analysis of different processes
- Reusability of dimension tables

**Example:** A data warehouse with separate fact tables for Sales and Inventory, both sharing Time, Product, and Location dimensions

By designing these schemas using SQL queries in MySQL and integrating them with tools like Apache server, we gain practical insights into organizing and optimizing data for analytical processing. Understanding these schemas is essential for effective data warehousing and business intelligence solutions.

# **Implementation**

### Q1.) Star Schema Queries

```
-- Create a database
CREATE DATABASE autoxyz;
-- Create a source table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE company (
  id INT auto increment PRIMARY KEY,
  item name VARCHAR(255),
 brand VARCHAR (255),
  sold by VARCHAR(255),
  category VARCHAR(255),
  day INT,
  month VARCHAR (255),
  quarter VARCHAR (255),
  years INT,
  location name VARCHAR(255),
  state VARCHAR (255),
  pin code INT,
 branch name VARCHAR (255),
 branch manager VARCHAR (255),
  qty sold INT,
  amt sold INT
);
INSERT INTO company (
  item name, brand, sold by, category,
  day, month, quarter, years, location_name,
  state, pin_code, branch_name, branch manager,
  gty sold, amt sold
)
VALUES
    "car", "model x", "tesla", "four wheeler",
    13, "june", "q2", 2021, "new baneshwor",
    "bagmati", "123", "baneshwor 1",
    "ashish", 2, 15000
  ),
    "car", "model y", "tesla", "four wheeler",
    15, "october", "q4", 2022, "old baneshwor",
    "bagmati", "123", "baneshwor 3",
    "manoj", 1, 5000
  );
```

```
-- Create time dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE timedim (
 t id INT auto increment PRIMARY KEY,
  day INT,
 month VARCHAR (255),
 quarter VARCHAR(255),
 years INT
);
INSERT INTO timedim (day, month, quarter, years)
SELECT
 day,
 month,
 quarter,
 years
FROM
  company;
-- Create item dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE itemdim (
  i id INT auto increment PRIMARY KEY,
  item name VARCHAR(255),
 brand VARCHAR(255),
  sold by VARCHAR(255),
  category VARCHAR(255)
);
INSERT INTO itemdim (
  item name, brand, sold by, category
SELECT
 item name,
 brand,
 sold by,
 category
FROM
  company;
-- Create location dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE locationdim (
  l id INT auto increment PRIMARY KEY,
 location_name VARCHAR(255),
 state VARCHAR(255),
 pin_code INT
);
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INSERT INTO locationdim (location name, state, pin code)
SELECT
 location name,
 state,
 pin code
FROM
  company;
-- Create branch dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE branchdim (
 b id INT auto increment PRIMARY KEY,
 branch name VARCHAR (255),
 branch manager VARCHAR (255)
);
INSERT INTO branchdim (branch name, branch manager)
SELECT
 branch name,
 branch manager
FROM
  company;
-- Create sales fact table for data warehouse using Foreign Key.
CREATE TABLE salesfact (
 t id INT,
 i id INT,
 l id INT,
 b id INT,
  qty sold INT,
  amt sold INT,
  FOREIGN KEY(t id) REFERENCES timedim(t id),
  FOREIGN KEY(i id) REFERENCES itemdim(i id),
  FOREIGN KEY(1 id) REFERENCES locationdim(1 id),
  FOREIGN KEY(b_id) REFERENCES branchdim(b_id)
);
INSERT INTO salesfact (
  t id, i id, l id, b id, qty sold, amt sold
)
SELECT
 t id,
 i id,
 l id,
 b id,
 qty sold,
  amt sold
FROM
  company c
  LEFT OUTER JOIN timedim t ON t.day = c.day
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AND t.month = c.month
 AND t.quarter = c.quarter
 AND t.years = c.years
 LEFT OUTER JOIN itemdim i ON i.item name = c.item name
 AND i.brand = c.brand
 AND i.sold by = c.sold by
 AND i.category = c.category
 LEFT OUTER JOIN locationdim 1 ON 1.location name = c.location name
 AND l.state = c.state
 AND l.pin code = c.pin code
 LEFT OUTER JOIN branchdim b ON b.branch name = c.branch name
 AND b.branch manager = c.branch manager;
-- Query to select the records where years = 2022
SELECT
FROM
  salesfact s
 LEFT OUTER JOIN timedim t ON t.t id = s.t id
 years = 2022;
Q2.) Snowflake Schema Queries
-- Create a database named "snowcompany".
CREATE DATABASE snowcompany;
-- Create a source table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE company (
  id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  item name varchar(255),
 brand varchar (255),
  sold by varchar(255),
  category varchar (255),
  day int,
  month varchar(255),
  quarter varchar(255),
  years int,
  location name varchar(255),
  state varchar(255),
 pin code int,
 branch name varchar(255),
 branch manager varchar(255),
  department name varchar(255),
  department code int,
  supplier name varchar(255),
  supplier address varchar(255),
  supplier_type varchar(255),
  qty sold int,
  amt sold int
```

```
);
INSERT INTO company(
  item name, brand, sold by, category,
  day, month, quarter, years, location name,
  state, pin_code, branch_name, branch_manager,
  department name, department code,
  supplier name, supplier address,
  supplier type, qty sold, amt sold
VALUES
    "Car", "Model X", "Tesla", "Four wheeler",
    13, "June", "Q2", 2021, "New
Baneshwor",
    "Bagmati", "123", "Baneshwor 1",
    "Ashish", "sales", 013, "C&C
Auto",
    "Koteshwor", "Auto Four Wheeler",
    2, 15000
 ),
    "Car", "Model Y", "Tesla", "Four wheeler",
    15, "October", "Q4", 2022, "Old
Baneshwor",
    "Bagmati", "123", "Baneshwor 3",
    "Manoj", "finance", 420, "T&T
Auto",
    "Tripureshwor", "Auto", 1, 5000
  );
-- Create time dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE timedim (
  t id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  day int,
 month varchar(255),
  quarter varchar(255),
  vears int
);
INSERT INTO timedim(day, month, quarter, years)
SELECT
 day,
 month,
 quarter,
 vears
FROM
  company;
```

```
-- Create location dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE locationdim (
  l id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  location name varchar(255),
 state varchar(255),
 pin_code int
);
INSERT INTO locationdim(location name, state, pin code)
SELECT
 location name,
 state,
 pin code
FROM
  company;
-- Create department dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE departmentdim(
  dept id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  dept name varchar (255),
  dept code int
);
INSERT INTO departmentdim(dept name, dept code)
SELECT
  department name,
  department code
FROM
  company;
-- Create branch dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE branchdim (
 b id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 branch name varchar(255),
 branch manager varchar(255),
  depart id int,
  FOREIGN KEY(depart id) REFERENCES departmentdim(dept id)
);
INSERT INTO branchdim(
 branch name, branch manager, depart id
)
SELECT
 branch_name,
 branch manager,
  dept id
FROM
  company c
  JOIN departmentdim d ON c.department name = d.dept name
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AND c.department code = d.dept code;
-- Create Supplier dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE supplierdim(
  supp id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  supp name varchar(255),
 supp address varchar(255),
  supp_type varchar(255)
);
INSERT INTO supplierdim(
  supp name, supp address, supp type
SELECT
 supplier name,
 supplier address,
 supplier type
FROM
  company;
-- Create item dimension table for data warehouse.
CREATE TABLE itemdim (
  i id int AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 item name varchar(255),
 brand varchar(255),
  sold by varchar(255),
  category varchar(255),
  supplier id int,
  FOREIGN KEY(supplier id) REFERENCES supplierdim(supp id)
);
INSERT INTO itemdim(
  item name, brand, sold by, category,
  supplier id
SELECT
 item name,
 brand,
 sold by,
 category,
 supp id
FROM
  company c
  LEFT OUTER JOIN supplierdim s ON c.supplier name = s.supp name
  AND c.supplier address = s.supp address
  AND c.supplier type = s.supp type;
```

```
-- Create sales fact table for data warehouse using Foreign Key.
CREATE TABLE salesFact (
 t id int,
  i id int,
 l id int,
 b id int,
  qty sold int,
  amt sold int,
  FOREIGN Key(t id) REFERENCES timedim(t id),
  FOREIGN Key(i id) REFERENCES itemdim(i id),
  FOREIGN Key(l id) REFERENCES locationdim(l id),
  FOREIGN Key(b id) REFERENCES branchdim(b id)
);
INSERT INTO salesFact(
  t_id, i_id, l_id, b_id, qty_sold, amt_sold
SELECT
 t id,
 i id,
 l id,
 b id,
 qty sold,
  amt sold
FROM
  company c
 LEFT OUTER JOIN timedim t ON t.day = c.day
 AND t.month = c.month
 AND t.quarter = c.quarter
 AND t.years = c.years
 LEFT OUTER JOIN itemdim i ON i.item name = c.item name
 AND i.brand = c.brand
 AND i.sold by = c.sold by
 AND i.category = c.category
 LEFT OUTER JOIN locationdim 1 ON 1.location name = c.location name
 AND l.state = c.state
 AND l.pin code = c.pin code
 LEFT OUTER JOIN branchdim b ON b.branch name = c.branch name
 AND b.branch manager = c.branch manager;
SELECT
FROM
  salesFact;
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-- Query to show the records of sales fact table with the department dimension
table
SELECT
FROM
  salesFact s
 LEFT OUTER JOIN branchdim b ON b.b id = s.b id
 LEFT OUTER JOIN departmentdim d ON b.depart id = d.dept id;
Q3.) Galaxy Schema Queries
-- Create the database
CREATE DATABASE galaxycompany;
USE galaxycompany;
-- Source Table for Data Warehouse (for initial data load)
CREATE TABLE company (
  id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 item name VARCHAR(255),
 brand VARCHAR (255),
  sold by VARCHAR (255),
  category VARCHAR (255),
  day INT,
 month VARCHAR (255),
  quarter VARCHAR (255),
  years INT,
 location name VARCHAR(255),
  state VARCHAR(255),
  pin code INT,
 branch name VARCHAR (255),
  branch manager VARCHAR(255),
  department name VARCHAR(255),
  department_code INT,
  supplier name VARCHAR(255),
  supplier address VARCHAR (255),
  supplier type VARCHAR(255),
  qty sold INT,
  amt sold INT,
  qty in stock INT,
  reorder level INT,
  last updated DATE
);
INSERT INTO company (
  item name, brand, sold by, category,
  day, month, quarter, years, location name,
  state, pin_code, branch_name, branch_manager,
  department name, department code,
  supplier name, supplier address,
  supplier type, qty sold, amt sold,
```

```
qty in stock, reorder level, last updated
)
VALUES
  (
    "Car", "Model X", "Tesla", "Four wheeler",
    13, "June", "Q2", 2021, "New Baneshwor",
    "Bagmati", 123, "Baneshwor 1", "Ashish",
    "Sales", 13, "C&C Auto", "Koteshwor",
    "Auto Four Wheeler", 2, 15000, 10,
    5, "2022-10-15"
  ),
    "Car", "Model Y", "Tesla", "Four wheeler",
    15, "October", "Q4", 2022, "Old Baneshwor",
    "Bagmati", 123, "Baneshwor 3", "Manoj",
    "Finance", 420, "T&T Auto", "Tripureshwor",
    "Auto", 1, 5000, 5, 2, "2022-10-16"
  );
-- Time Dimension
CREATE TABLE timedim (
  t id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 day INT,
 month VARCHAR (255),
  quarter VARCHAR(255),
  years INT
);
INSERT INTO timedim (day, month, quarter, years)
SELECT
 DISTINCT day,
 month,
 quarter,
  years
FROM
  company;
-- Location Dimension
CREATE TABLE locationdim (
 1 id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 location name VARCHAR(255),
 state VARCHAR(255),
 pin code INT
);
INSERT INTO locationdim (location name, state, pin code)
SELECT
 DISTINCT location name,
  state,
```

```
pin code
FROM
  company;
-- Department Dimension
CREATE TABLE departmentdim (
  dept id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  dept name VARCHAR(255),
  dept code INT
);
INSERT INTO departmentdim (dept name, dept code)
  DISTINCT department name,
  department code
FROM
  company;
-- Branch Dimension
CREATE TABLE branchdim (
 b id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
 branch name VARCHAR (255),
 branch manager VARCHAR (255),
  depart id INT,
  FOREIGN KEY (depart id) REFERENCES departmentdim(dept id)
);
INSERT INTO branchdim (
 branch name, branch manager, depart id
)
SELECT
  DISTINCT c.branch_name,
  c.branch manager,
  d.dept id
FROM
  company c
  JOIN departmentdim d ON c.department name = d.dept name
  AND c.department code = d.dept code;
-- Supplier Dimension
CREATE TABLE supplierdim (
  supp_id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  supp name VARCHAR(255),
  supp address VARCHAR (255),
  supp type VARCHAR(255)
);
INSERT INTO supplierdim (
  supp name, supp address, supp type
```

```
)
SELECT
 DISTINCT supplier name,
  supplier address,
 supplier type
FROM
  company;
-- Item Dimension
CREATE TABLE itemdim (
  i id INT AUTO INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  item name VARCHAR (255),
 brand VARCHAR (255),
  sold by VARCHAR(255),
  category VARCHAR (255),
  supplier id INT,
  FOREIGN KEY (supplier id) REFERENCES supplierdim(supp id)
);
INSERT INTO itemdim (
 item name, brand, sold by, category,
  supplier id
)
SELECT
 DISTINCT c.item name,
 c.brand,
 c.sold by,
  c.category,
  s.supp id
FROM
  company c
  LEFT JOIN supplierdim s ON c.supplier name = s.supp name
 AND c.supplier address = s.supp address
 AND c.supplier_type = s.supp_type;
-- Sales Fact Table
CREATE TABLE salesfact (
  t id INT,
 i id INT,
  l id INT,
 b_id INT,
  qty_sold INT,
  amt sold INT,
  FOREIGN KEY (t_id) REFERENCES timedim(t_id),
  FOREIGN KEY (i id) REFERENCES itemdim(i id),
  FOREIGN KEY (1 id) REFERENCES locationdim(1 id),
  FOREIGN KEY (b id) REFERENCES branchdim(b id)
);
```

```
INSERT INTO salesfact (
  t id, i id, l id, b id, qty sold, amt sold
SELECT
 t.t id,
 i.i_id,
 1.1 id,
 b.b_id,
 c.qty sold,
 c.amt sold
FROM
  company c
 LEFT JOIN timedim t ON c.day = t.day
 AND c.month = t.month
 AND c.quarter = t.quarter
 AND c.years = t.years
 LEFT JOIN itemdim i ON c.item name = i.item name
 AND c.brand = i.brand
 AND c.sold by = i.sold by
  AND c.category = i.category
 LEFT JOIN locationdim 1 ON c.location name = 1.location name
  AND c.state = 1.state
 AND c.pin code = l.pin code
  LEFT JOIN branchdim b ON c.branch name = b.branch name
 AND c.branch manager = b.branch manager;
-- Inventory Fact Table
CREATE TABLE inventoryfact (
 t id INT,
  i id INT,
 l id INT,
 b id INT,
  qty in stock INT,
 reorder level INT,
  last updated DATE,
  FOREIGN KEY (t id) REFERENCES timedim(t id),
  FOREIGN KEY (i id) REFERENCES itemdim(i id),
  FOREIGN KEY (1 id) REFERENCES locationdim(1 id),
  FOREIGN KEY (b id) REFERENCES branchdim(b id)
);
INSERT INTO inventoryfact (
 t id, i id, l id, b id, qty in stock,
 reorder level, last updated
SELECT
 t.t id,
 i.i id,
  1.1 id,
```

```
b.b id,
  c.qty in stock,
  c.reorder level,
  c.last updated
FROM
  company c
 LEFT JOIN timedim t ON c.day = t.day
 AND c.month = t.month
 AND c.quarter = t.quarter
  AND c.years = t.years
 LEFT JOIN itemdim i ON c.item name = i.item name
 AND c.brand = i.brand
 AND c.sold by = i.sold by
  AND c.category = i.category
 LEFT JOIN locationdim 1 ON c.location name = 1.location name
  AND c.state = 1.state
 AND c.pin code = l.pin code
  LEFT JOIN branchdim b ON c.branch name = b.branch name
  AND c.branch manager = b.branch manager;
-- Example Query: Integrated Sales and Inventory Analysis
SELECT
  s.amt sold,
  s.qty_sold,
 i.qty in stock,
 i.reorder level,
 t.years,
 p.item name
FROM
  salesfact s
  JOIN inventory fact i ON s.t id = i.t id
  AND s.i id = i.i id
  JOIN timedim t ON s.t id = t.t id
  JOIN itemdim p ON s.i_id = p.i_id
WHERE
 t.years = 2022
  AND p.item name = 'Car';
```

# Screenshots of the different generated schemas

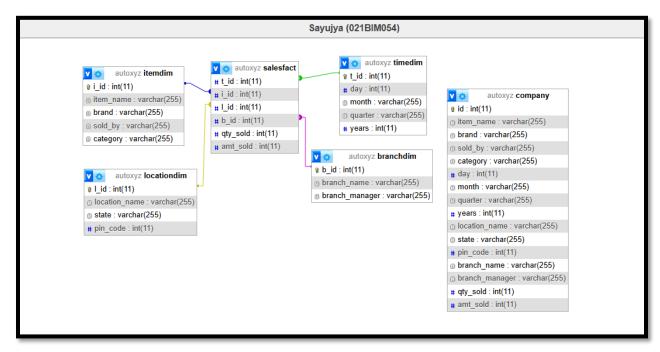


Figure 1: Star Schema

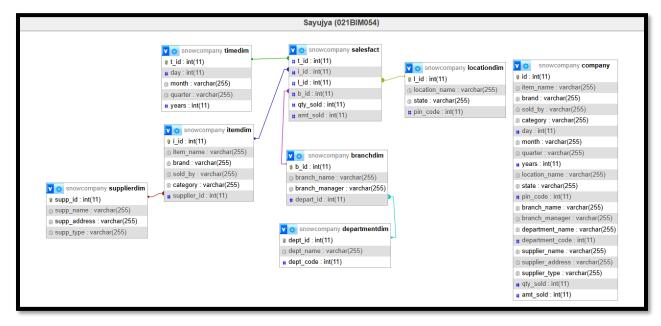


Figure 2: Snowflake Schema

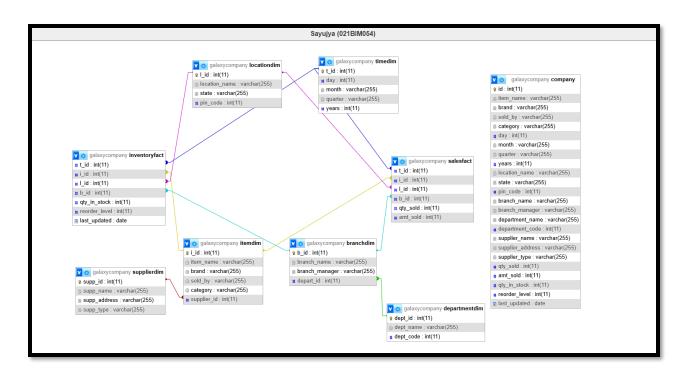


Figure 3: Galaxy Schema