

Assignment 1 of CISC 3000

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- File-processing system has more data redundancy and inconsistency while the database management system has less or no data redundancy and inconsistency.
- Database management system is more easy to access data compared with file-processing system.
- Data in file-processing system is isolated while in database management system data is not.
- File-processing system has less secure compared with database management system.

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Physical Data Independence is the ability to make changes in the structure of the lowest level of the Database Management System without affecting the higher-level schemas. With Physical independence, we can easily change the physical storage structures or devices with an effect on the conceptual schema. Any change done would be absorbed by the mapping between the conceptual and internal levels.

2.14

a

$$\Pi_{ID, person_name}(\sigma_{company_name="BigBank"}(works))$$

b

$$\Pi_{works.ID, person_name, city}(\sigma_{works.ID=employee.ID}(works \times employee))$$

c

$Employee \leftarrow \sigma_{works.ID=employee.ID \wedge salary > 10000}(works \times employee)$
 $Result \leftarrow \Pi_{works.ID, name, street, city}(Employee)$

d

$e_1 \leftarrow \sigma_{works.ID=employee.ID}(works \times employee)$
 $e_2 \leftarrow \sigma_{e_1.company_name=company.company_name}(e_1 \times company)$
 $e_3 \leftarrow \sigma_{employee.city=company.city}(e_2)$
 $result \leftarrow \Pi_{works.ID, person_name}(e_3)$

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a

$\Pi_{loan_number}(\sigma_{amount > 10000}(loan))$

b

$a_1 \leftarrow \sigma_{balance > 6000}(account)$
 $d \leftarrow \sigma_{depositor.account_number=account.account_number}(depositor \times a_1)$
 $result \leftarrow \Pi_{ID}(d)$

c

$a_1 \leftarrow \sigma_{balance > 6000}(account)$
 $a_2 \leftarrow \sigma_{branch_name = "Uptown"}(a_1)$
 $d \leftarrow \sigma_{depositor.account_number=account.account_number}(depositor \times a_2)$
 $result \leftarrow \Pi_{ID}(d)$