# PROQMAN – PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT TOOL FOR BUSINESSES

A Web based solution for Enterprises and Business to Manage their Direct and Indirect Procurements

Database Design Document.

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#### Context:

This document details out Detailed Database design of the ProQMan solution. It contains the Details of Various Entities, ER Diagram, Relational Design and other details for the solution.

# About ProQMan (Features):

ProQMan is a Web based solution for businesses and enterprises to allow them to manage their Direct and Indirect procurements.

The solution allows them to store, track and audit their procurement requests & orders, manage contracts with suppliers and provides pan organisation visibility in the procurement practices.

It also allows the cross sharing and collaboration of contracts and procurements across various sub units and division in enterprises.

The application additionally allows detailed reporting related to procurement expenses and supplier performances allowing companies to mitigate losses related to procurements.

The solution is web based and can be deployed on premise or in cloud and can be made available on the organisation's Intranet.

# What is Direct and Indirect procurement?

Direct procurement involves the purchasing of goods, materials, and services directly associated with the production of goods and services that a company is providing. Whereas, indirect spend refers to expenses incurred for materials, services, and maintenance required to operate the business. Both are important for a business, and one can't exist without the other.

# **Important Terminology**

1. Contract: A deal between supplier and the organisation detailing out product and pricing details.

- 2. Purchase Requisition (PR): A purchase requisition is a form that an internal department of your company submits to the company's purchasing department listing items it wants the purchasing department to order from an outside supplier.
- 3. Purchase Order (PO): Also known as a PO, the purchase order is a document outlining the details of an actual purchase. It contains details of product, quantity, delivery details etc and is sent to the external supplier.
- 4. Goods Received (GR): A GR document is generated once the product is received by the company. It contains details of delivery, quantity received, defects etc.

## ProQMan Application Solution details

The solution is deployed as web application on the internal network of the organisation. It is a web-based solution with a central database system. The solution can be deployed on-premise or can be offered on cloud such as AWS as SaaS.

As the solution can contain sensitive and resource critical data, the solution uses Database Replication and encryption techniques. The database uses primarily an enterprise grade RDBMS system. Additional tools to ensure high availability and data caching is also used, which is not detailed in this document.

## Users of the system

The system is designed to be used for procurement management and auditing. Following are the primary users of the system.

- 1. CPO (Chief Procurement Officer)
- 2. Procurement Managers
- 3. Procurement Executives
- 4. Category Managers
- 5. Category Analyst
- 6. Category Executive
- 7. CFO (Chief Finance Officer)
- 8. Finance Managers
- 9. Finance Auditors

In addition, the **System Administrators** also available whose role is support and maintenance of the system.

#### User Load

The main user base are the procurement and finance officers and analysts of the company. The solution is designed to be Single Instance per Organisation type solution. Depending on the size of the organisation, the number of users can vary from 50-1000 users and more.

Furthermore, the solution expects hundreds of concurrent users of the system.

# Benefits of the Application

#### The key benefits are

- 1. Works as a central repository for supplier contracts across Organisation.
- 2. Allows easy tracking and auditing of procurement requests online.
- 3. Provides Visibility in procurement practices.
- 4. Allows dynamic reporting of Procurement expenses and supplier performances.
- 5. Allows the cross sharing and collaboration of contracts and procurements across various sub units and division in enterprises
- 6. Allows easy creation of Purchase Requisitions for any unit's category analysts and manager.
- 7. Allows easy approvals of PR and creation of POs
- 8. Allows tracking of Goods Received, Online and Hard Copy Receipts, Delivery and other details etc for auditing.
- 9. Ease in Auditing for Finance teams.

# Entities in the system

**Described below are some of the Basic Entities of the system in the simplest form of the product.** However, the product can have additional entities and relationship as the complexity of the requirements increases.

- 1. Users: There are various types of users of the system. Each can have various types of roles and can be associated with different departments.
- 2. Roles: The various roles of the users in the company related to the solution.
- 3. Departments: The departments of the company. Different department has different category for consumables and hence different Category Analysts and Managers
- 4. Products: These contains the direct and indirect consumables of the organisation.
- 5. Contracts: The contract contains the pricing deals for various products between organisation and suppliers. It's binding, however, may change upon consent as required.
- 6. Supplier: The vendor organisation which provides the product for procurement to the organisation. The supplier can be manufacturer, the whole seller or third party.
- 7. Purchase Requisition: The PR which is created by various departments for acquisition of the products. One PR may contain details of multiple products. It contains quantity required, purpose of the usage etc and is sent for approval.
- 8. Purchase Order: The PO is an approved PR which is sent outside to the supplier containing details of purchase request like order quantity, contract-based estimate, delivery estimates etc
- 9. Payment Details: The actual details of the payment made. This includes cost, payment made, payment mode and details like budget code etc. It also contains any prepayment details and refund details.
- 10. Receipt: The receipt document sent by the supplier. The document contains the total cost, discount, product, quantity, price and any payment details as per supplier. The details can be sent in hard copy or soft copy. The document is directly stored into the database after verification.
- 11. Goods Received: The details of the goods received by the organisation. This contains the products received along with quantity, Quality of the goods received, Goods returned, delivery details etc.

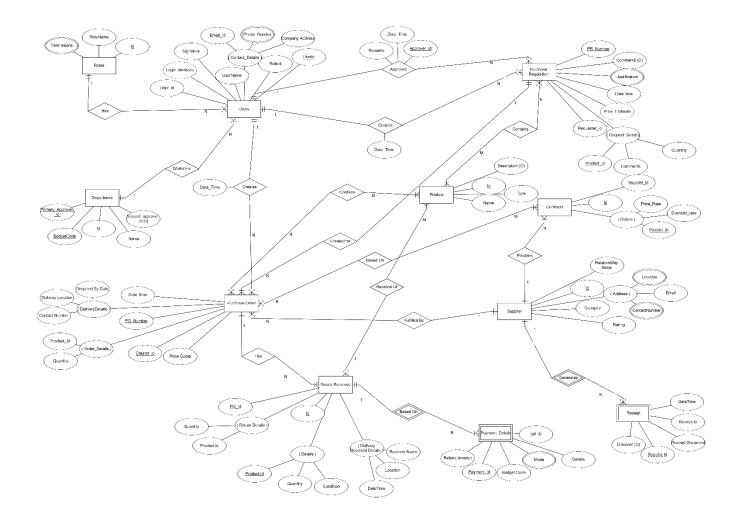
# ER Diagram of the system

Below is the preview of the ER Diagram.

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ERDiagram.png



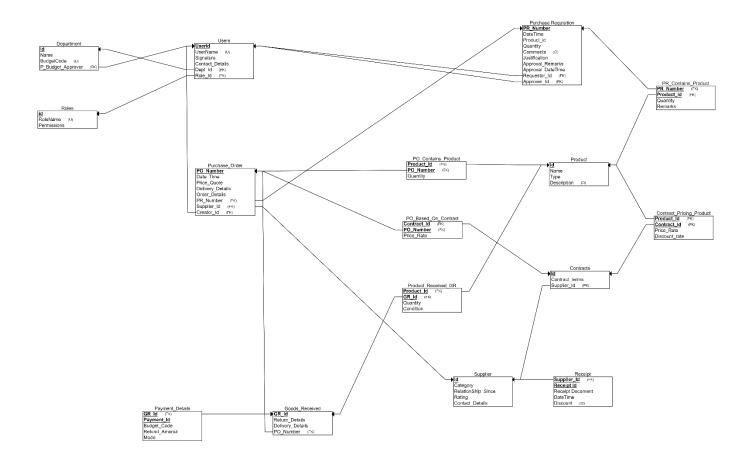
# Relational Model

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# Normalised Relational Model (BCNF)

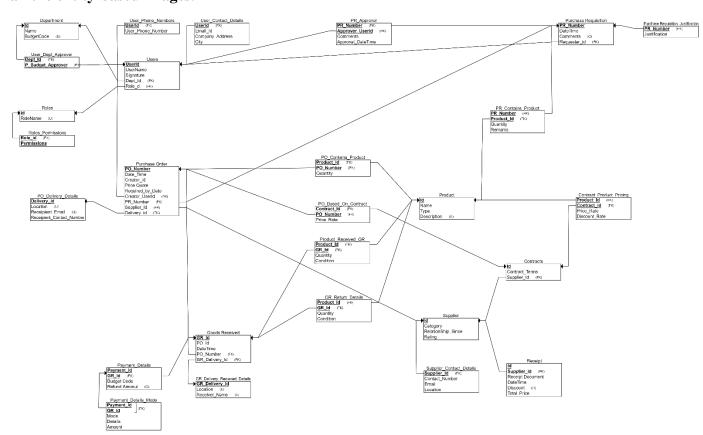
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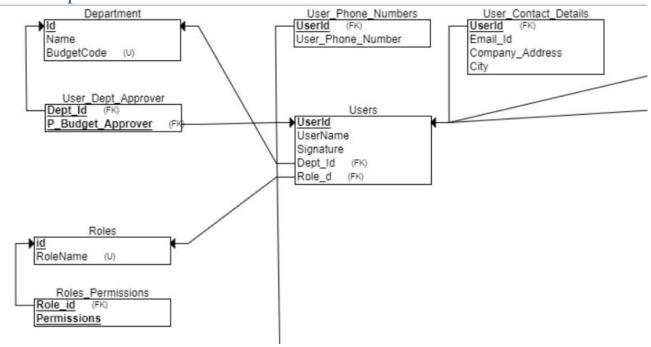
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# Also, PFB the entity based Normalised Diagrams. The final image is aggregation of the all the entity-based images.

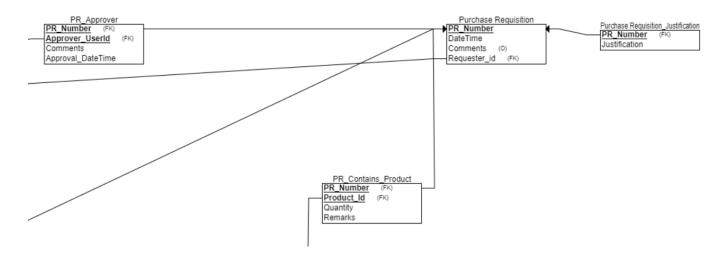


# **Entity-Based Normalised Diagrams**

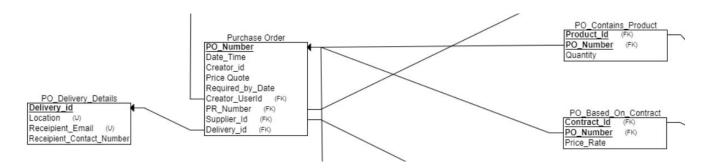
User – Department – Role Entities



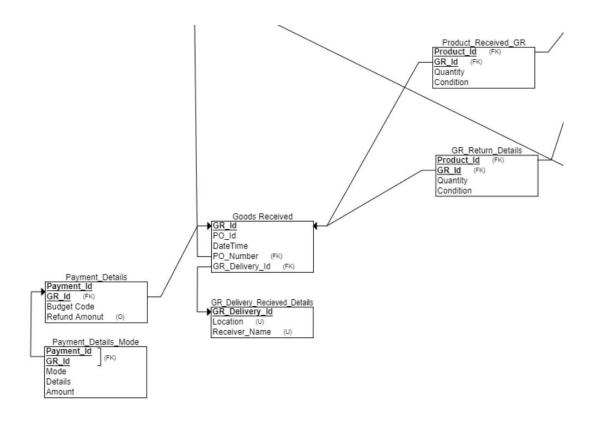
# Purchase Requisition Entity



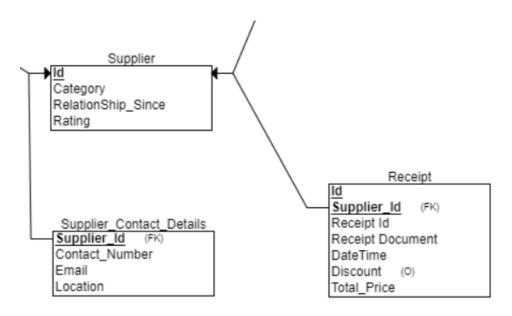
# **Purchase Order Entity**



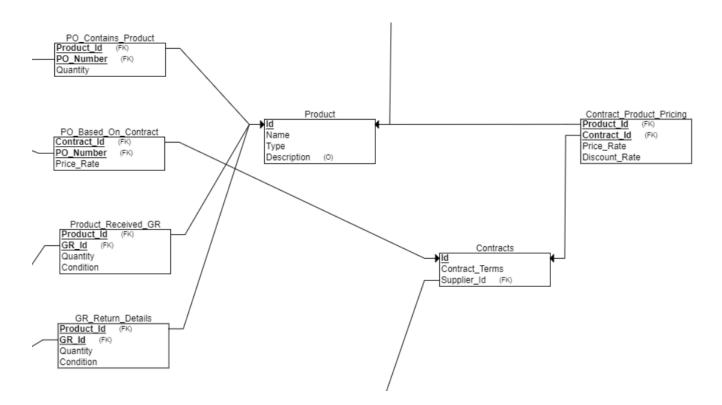
# Goods Received – Payment Details



# Supplier – Receipt Entity



# Contract – Product Entity



# SQL Queries Create SQL:

```
CREATE TABLE Department
 Id INT NOT NULL,
 Name VARCHAR (50) NOT NULL,
 BudgetCode VARCHAR NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Id),
 UNIQUE (BudgetCode)
CREATE TABLE Roles
 RoleName ENUM NOT NULL,
 id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (id),
 UNIQUE (RoleName)
CREATE TABLE Product
 Id INT NOT NULL,
 Name VARCHAR (100) NOT NULL,
 Type ENUM NOT NULL,
 Description Text,
 PRIMARY KEY (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Supplier
 Id INT NOT NULL,
 Category ENUM NOT NULL,
 RelationShip Since DATE NOT NULL,
 Rating INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Receipt
 Id INT NOT NULL,
 Receipt Document Blob NOT NULL,
 DateTime DATE NOT NULL,
 Discount NUMERIC,
 Total Price NUMERIC NOT NULL,
 Supplier Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Id, Supplier Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Supplier Id) REFERENCES Supplier (Id)
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE Roles Permissions
 Permissions INT NOT NULL,
 Role id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Permissions, Role id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Role id) REFERENCES Roles (id)
);
CREATE TABLE Supplier Contact Details
 Contact Number INT NOT NULL,
 Email VARCHAR (50) NOT NULL,
 Location VARCHAR (100) NOT NULL,
 Supplier Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Supplier Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Supplier Id) REFERENCES Supplier (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE PO Delivery Details
 Receipient Contact Number VARCHAR (15) NOT NULL,
 Location VARCHAR (50) NOT NULL,
 Receipient Email VARCHAR (50) NOT NULL,
 Delivery id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Delivery id),
 UNIQUE (Location),
 UNIQUE (Receipient Email)
);
CREATE TABLE GR Delivery Recieved Details
 Location INT NOT NULL,
 Receiver Name INT NOT NULL,
 GR Delivery Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (GR Delivery Id),
 UNIQUE (Location),
 UNIQUE (Receiver Name)
);
CREATE TABLE Users
 UserName INT NOT NULL,
 UserId INT NOT NULL,
 Signature Blob NOT NULL,
 Dept Id INT NOT NULL,
 Role d INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (UserId),
 FOREIGN KEY (Dept Id) REFERENCES Department (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Role d) REFERENCES Roles (id)
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE Contracts
 Id INT NOT NULL,
 Contract Terms Text NOT NULL,
 Supplier Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Supplier Id) REFERENCES Supplier (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Purchase Requisition
 PR Number INT NOT NULL,
 DateTime DATE NOT NULL,
 Comments Text,
 Requester id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (PR Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Requester id) REFERENCES Users (UserId)
);
CREATE TABLE Purchase Order
 PO Number INT NOT NULL,
 Date Time DATE NOT NULL,
 Creator id INT NOT NULL,
 Price Quote INT NOT NULL,
 Required_by_Date DATE NOT NULL,
 Creator UserId INT NOT NULL,
 PR Number INT NOT NULL,
 Supplier Id INT NOT NULL,
 Delivery id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (PO Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Creator UserId) REFERENCES Users (UserId),
 FOREIGN KEY (PR Number) REFERENCES Purchase Requisition (PR Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Supplier Id) REFERENCES Supplier (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Delivery id) REFERENCES PO Delivery Details (Delivery id)
);
CREATE TABLE Goods Received
 PO Id INT NOT NULL,
 GR Id INT NOT NULL,
 DateTime DATE NOT NULL,
 PO Number INT NOT NULL,
 GR Delivery Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (GR Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (PO Number) REFERENCES Purchase Order (PO Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (GR Delivery Id) REFERENCES
GR_Delivery_Recieved_Details(GR_Delivery_Id)
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE PO Based On Contract
 Price Rate NUMERIC NOT NULL,
 Contract Id INT NOT NULL,
 PO Number INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Contract Id, PO Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Contract Id) REFERENCES Contracts (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (PO Number) REFERENCES Purchase Order (PO Number)
);
CREATE TABLE PR Contains Product
 Quantity INT NOT NULL,
 Remarks Text NOT NULL,
 PR Number INT NOT NULL,
 Product Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (PR Number, Product Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (PR Number) REFERENCES Purchase Requisition (PR Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Product Id) REFERENCES Product (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Product Received GR
 Quantity INT NOT NULL,
 Condition ENUM NOT NULL,
 Product Id INT NOT NULL,
 GR Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Product Id, GR Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Product Id) REFERENCES Product (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (GR Id) REFERENCES Goods Received (GR Id)
);
CREATE TABLE PO Contains Product
 Quantity INT NOT NULL,
 Product Id INT NOT NULL,
 PO Number INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Product Id, PO Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Product Id) REFERENCES Product (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (PO Number) REFERENCES Purchase Order (PO Number)
);
CREATE TABLE Purchase Requisition Justification
 Justification INT NOT NULL,
 PR Number INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (PR Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (PR Number) REFERENCES Purchase Requisition (PR Number)
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE User Contact Details
 Email Id VARCHAR (100) NOT NULL,
 Company Address Text NOT NULL,
 City VARCHAR (100) NOT NULL,
 UserId INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (UserId),
 FOREIGN KEY (UserId) REFERENCES Users (UserId)
);
CREATE TABLE User Phone Numbers
 User Phone Number VARCHAR (15) NOT NULL,
 UserId INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (UserId),
 FOREIGN KEY (UserId) REFERENCES Users (UserId)
);
CREATE TABLE PR Approver
 Comments INT NOT NULL,
 Approval DateTime DATE NOT NULL,
 PR Number INT NOT NULL,
 Approver UserId INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (PR Number, Approver UserId),
 FOREIGN KEY (PR Number) REFERENCES Purchase Requisition (PR Number),
 FOREIGN KEY (Approver UserId) REFERENCES Users (UserId)
);
CREATE TABLE Contract Product Pricing
 Price Rate INT NOT NULL,
 Discount Rate INT NOT NULL,
 Product Id INT NOT NULL,
 Contract Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Product Id, Contract Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Product Id) REFERENCES Product (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Contract Id) REFERENCES Contracts (Id)
);
CREATE TABLE User Dept Approver
 Dept Id INT NOT NULL,
 P Budget Approver INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Dept Id, P Budget Approver),
 FOREIGN KEY (Dept Id) REFERENCES Department (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (P Budget Approver) REFERENCES Users (UserId)
);
CREATE TABLE GR Return Details
 Quantity INT NOT NULL,
 Condition ENUM NOT NULL,
Product Id INT NOT NULL,
```

```
GR Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Product Id, GR Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Product Id) REFERENCES Product (Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (GR Id) REFERENCES Goods Received(GR Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Payment Details
 Payment Id INT NOT NULL,
 Budget Code VARCHAR(10) NOT NULL,
 Refund Amonut NUMERIC,
 GR Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Payment Id, GR Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (GR Id) REFERENCES Goods Received (GR Id)
);
CREATE TABLE Payment Details Mode
 Mode INT NOT NULL,
 Amount NUMERIC NOT NULL,
 Details Text NOT NULL,
 Payment Id INT NOT NULL,
 GR Id INT NOT NULL,
 PRIMARY KEY (Payment Id, GR Id),
 FOREIGN KEY (Payment Id, GR Id) REFERENCES
Payment Details (Payment Id, GR Id)
);
```

# Sample Insert SQL Statements

```
INSERT INTO Department (Id, Name, Budget_Code) VALUES (1001, 'ENG',
'ENG0011');

INSERT INTO Roles (Id, RoleName) VALUES (1, 'Admin');

INSERT INTO Roles_Permissions(Role_id, Permissions) VALUES (1,
'READ'), (1, 'WRITE'), (1, 'MODIFY'), (1, 'DELETE');

INSERT INTO Users (UserName, UserId, Signature, Dept_Id, Role_Id) VALUES ('Braj Kishor', 1,
'12343dqewfr23qwefq32rwqdfq3wr23rfqwefqwefqw3rfqewfqwdf3', 1001, 1);

INSERT INTO User_Dept_Approver (Dept_Id, P_Budget_Approver) VALUES (1001, 1);

INSERT INTO User_Phone_Numbers (UserId, User_Phone_Number) VALUES (1, '+919223940394030'), (1, '+01133203');

INSERT INTO User_Contact_Details (UserID, Email_id, Company_Address, City) VALUES (1, 'skdfsnf@officemail.com', '1/2, Mount Everest' 'MAR-SARA');
```

```
INSERT INTO Purchase Requisition (PR Number, DateTime, Comments,
Requester id) VALUES (123, now(), 'Raising PR', 2);
INSERT INTO Purchase Requisition Justification (PR Number,
Justification) VALUES (123, 'Need Stuff');
INSERT INTO PR Approver (PR Number, Approver UserId, Comments,
Approval DateTime) VALUES (123, 1, 'Approved, now());
INSERT INTO Product (Id, Name, TYPE, Description) VALUES (1, 'MR
Chairs', 'OFFICE CONSUMABLE', 'Chairs FOR Office');
INSERT INTO PR Containing Product (PR Number, Product Id, Quantity,
Remark) VALUES (123, 1, 500, 'Needed Asap');
/////INSERTING THE VALUES IN THE ORDER OF THE COLUMNS/////
INSERT INTO Purchase Order VALUES (1, Now(), 3, 25000.00, 3, 123, 1);
INSERT INTO PO_Delivery_Details VALUES (1, '91223213212', 'JAX', '31-
03-2020', 'dfsdfads@officemail.com');
INSERT INTO Suppliers VALUES (90001, 'Office Supplies', '01-01-2010',
'HIGH');
INSERT INTO Supplier Contact Details VALUES (90001, '23234234234',
'sdfasdf@suppliermail.com', 'MUMBAI');
INSERT INTO Contracts VALUES (3001, 'Valid Till 31-07-2020', 90001);
INSERT INTO Contract Product Pricing VALUES (1, 3001, `50.00', `5% per
100, 10% per 500');
INSERT INTO Goods Received VALUES (1, 1, 1, 3220012);
INSERT INTO GR Delivery Recieved Details VALUES (1, 'MAR-SARA',
'Tutood', Now());
INSERT INTO Payment Details (3220012, 'ENG0011', 1, 332.00);
INSERT INTO Payment Details Mode ('DD', 3220012, 23000.00, 'DD No
12312312');
```

# Sample Update SQL Statements

#### **Update Primary Budge Approver for Departments**

```
UPDATE User_Dept_Approver SET P_Budget_Approver = 5 WHERE Dept Id = 1002;
```

#### **Update Contract Terms and Pricing after negotiation with Supplier**

```
UPDATE Contracts SET Contract_Terms = 'New Contract Term' WHERE Id =
90001;
UPDATE Contract_Product_Pricing SET Price_Rate = '70', Discount_Rate =
'10% per 100, 20% per 1000' WHERE Contract_Id = 90001 AND Product_Id =
1;
```

#### Update PO Delivery Details Incase supplier needs to reschedule delivery

```
UPDATE PO_Delivery_Details SET Location = 'New Location', Receiver_Email =
'new email', Required_By_DateTime = 'new date', Receipient_Contact_Number =
'123123123' WHERE PO_Number = 1;
```

#### Update Supplier Rating incase supplier last few deliveries were not good.

```
UPDATE Supplier SET Rating = 'Average' WHERE Id = 3001;
```

#### Update Refund Amount in case products were returned upon Goods Received

```
UPDATE Payment_Details SET Refund_Amount = 400.00 WHERE Payment_Id =
123123 AND GR Id = 2;
```

## Sample Select SQL Queries

# Select all the PR details which have been approved which has been raised by users of a given department.

```
SELECT * FROM Purchase_Requisition as PR INNER JOIN
Purchase_Requisiton_Justification as PRJ ON PR.PR_Number = PRJ.PR_Number
INNER JOIN PR_Approver as PRA ON PR.Number = PRA.Number INNER JOIN Users as U
ON U.User_Id = PRA.Approver_UserId INNER JOIN Department as D ON U.Dept_Id
= D.Id WHERE D.Id = 1004;
```

#### For a given User, Show all his PRs and POs

```
SELECT * FROM User U INNER JOIN Purchase_Requisition PR ON
PR.Requester_UserId = U.UserId INNER JOIN Purchase_Order PO ON PR.PR_Number
= PO.PR Number WHERE U.UserId = 'Csssld';
```

#### Select all POs associated with a given PR.

```
SELECT * FROM Purchase_Requisition as PR INNER JOIN Purchase_Order as PO ON
PR.PR_Number = PO.PR_Number INNER JOIN PO_Delivery_Details as POD ON
PO.PO_Number = POD.PO_Number WHERE PR.PR_Number = 1231;
```

# For A given PR, what was the total quantity which was delivered vs the quantity which was ordered for each product?

SELECT PR.PR\_Number, PRCP.Product\_Id as 'Product Ordered', PRCP.Quantity 'Quantity Ordered', PGR.Product\_Id as 'Product Received', PGR.Quantity - GRD.Quantity as 'Quantity Received' FROM Purchase\_Requisition as PR INNER JOIN PR\_Contains\_Product as PRCP ON PRCP.PR\_Number = PR.PR\_NUMBER INNER JOIN Product as P on P.Id = PRCP.Purchase\_Order as PO ON PR.PR\_Number = PO.PR\_Number INNER JOIN Goods\_Received as GR ON PO.PO\_Number = GR.PONumber INNER JOIN Product\_Received\_GR as PGR ON PGR.GR\_Id = GR.GR\_Id AND P.Id = PGR.Product\_Id INNER JOIN GR\_Return\_Details as GRD on GRD.GR\_Id = GR.GR\_Id AND P.Id = GRD.Product Id WHERE PR.PR Number = 123;

#### Select the Best supplier for each category who has given maximum discount till now.

SELECT Id, Category, MAX(Discount\_Sum), Category FROM (SELECT SUM(Discount)
as Discount\_Sum, Supplier.Id FROM Supplier INNER JOIN Receipt ON
Supplier.Id = Receipt.Id GROUP BY Supplier.Id) WHERE Category = 'HIGH'
GROUP BY Id, Category;

#### For each product, how many contracts and suppliers are present?

SELECT P.Id, P.Name, COUNT(Contract\_Id), Count(Supplier\_Id) FROM Product as
P LEFT OUTER JOIN Contract\_Product\_Pricing as CPP ON P.Id = CPP.Product\_Id
INNER JOIN Contracts as C ON CPP.Contract Id = C.Id GROUP BY p.Id, P.Name;

#### For each department what is the Average Order Price in the sorted order descending?

SELECT D.Id, D.Name, Avg(Price\_Quote) FROM Department D LEFT OUTER JOIN
User U ON D.Id = U.DeptId INNER JOIN Purchase\_Requisition PR ON U.UserId =
PR.Requestor\_id INNER JOIN Purchase\_Order PO ON PR.PR\_Number = PO.PR\_Number
GROUP BY D.Id, D.Name ORDER BY Avg(Price Quote) DESC;

#### For a given supplier which is the most preferred mode of payment?

SELECT Id, Max(Mode\_Count), Mode as 'Preferred Mode' FROM (SELECT S.Id as Supplier, PDM.COUNT(Mode) as Mode\_Count, Mode FROM Supplier S INNER JOIN Purchase\_Order PO ON S.Id = PO.Supplier\_Id INNER JOIN Goods\_Received GR ON PO.PO\_Number = GR.PO\_Number INNER JOIN Payment\_Details PD ON PD.GR\_Id = GR.GR\_Id INNER JOIN Payment\_Details\_Mode PDM ON PDM.GR\_Id = PD.GR\_Id AND PD.Payment\_Id = PDM.Payment\_Id GROUP BY S.Id, Mode ORDER BY PDM.Count(Mode) DESC) GROUP BY Id, Mode;

# For each supplier for whom a Purchase Order was opened, how many times, he delivered product which were not required to be returned and what was the quality of the product?

SELECT S.Id, Count(GR.Id), Condition FROM Supplier S INNER JOIN
Purchase\_Order PO ON S.Id = PO.Supplier\_Id INNER JOIN Goods\_Received GR ON
PO.PO\_Number = GR.PO\_Number INNER JOIN Product\_Received\_GR PRGR ON
PRGR.GR\_Id = GR.GR\_Id WHERE GR.Id NOT IN (SELECT GR\_ID FROM
GR Return Details) GROUP BY S.Id, Condition;

### Indices On the Tables

Following Indices are present on the tables.

# Key Attribute Indices Primary Keys

Each table is having it's own primary key. Primary key selected is naturally a unique Identifier column which has been selected for each of the tables.

For the weak entity tables their primary key's as the Combination of the weak entities unique key and the foreign key of the parent entity.

For the table which are made for Associative entities has, the primary key is the combination of both the foreign keys to the related entities.

### Unique Keys

Additionally, following entities have Unique keys present

- 1. Department **BudgeCode** BudgetCode is unique for each dept and can be used to for finance reporting and auditing to figure out Department's expenses.
- 2. Roles RoleName Each user has a single rolename and rolename is always unique.
- 3. PO Delivery Details
  - **a. Receipient\_Email** Can be used for fast searching a contact for a given location.
- 4. GR\_Delivery\_Received\_Details:
  - a. **Location** Can be used for fast searching where the Product was delivered.

# Non-Key Indices

#### **ENUMS**

ENUM Datatype when used, creates its own type of **Index**. ENUMS can be used when a column has only specified set of values possible. The ENUMS are String representation but has Integer Storage and Indexing Values.

Following Colums are Declared ENUMS

Role -RoleName – The role names are fixed. There can only be certain types.
 Declaring this ENUM can speed up queries related to User Roles, Access and Permissions.

- 2. Product\_Received\_GR **Condition** The condition of products received. Only a few key conditions are possible. With ENUM, searches related to Product quality received, supplier ratings etc can become faster.
- 3. GR\_Return\_Details **Condition** The condition of products returned. With ENUM, queries related what was returned and why, Supplier Rating, Refund Calculation etc will become faster.
- 4. Product **Type** There are fixed types of Product possible. Declaring this ENUM can be used to group the Product when Showing in UI and Drill Down on those types.
- 5. Supplier Category The category of product which supplier delivers. This being ENUM can be used to Group Suppliers and Showing then UI, Faster Drill Down, Faster searches while comparing multiple suppliers who supply same type of product

#### Additional Non-Key Indices which can Declared.

Apart from all the indices which already have been declared above, following additional Indices can become helpful in certain scenarios.

- 1. Product Name A Full Text Search Index can be created on this field to speed up searching of the products especially if the List of Products is too large.
- 2. Purchase\_Requestion **DateTime** An Index on this column can speed up queries related to sorting the PR's raised and Approved.
- 3. Purchase\_Order **DateTime** An Index on this can speed up queries related to sorting the PO's raised and Deliveries and Turn Around Times.
- 4. Supplier-Contact-Details **Location** An Index on this can speed up queries to find a supplier in a given location.