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DATABASE

16.6.2020 Basics of databases

Relational databases

e.g. MySQL, Oracle, Microsoft SQL

Other databases:

- Document-based databases
- hierarchical database
- nosql-databases (e.g. Graph QI) → new stuff

We are learning MySQL.

When googling for help you need to check if the answer refers to the language MySQL.

Data modelling

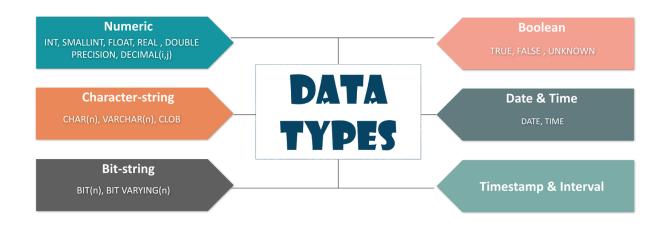
Sketch of a use case for a database. Has to be made for all databases and differs later in the implementation (which DB and language is used), when we setup the database.

- 1. Conceptual schema
- 2. Logic schema (readable by machines)
- 3. Implementation

For DB we are using the **ER-model with the CHEN-notation**.

UML is not used for DB, more for programming use cases.

Data Types



1. Numerics (Zahlen)

INT - for whole numbers, no decimals Used for e.g. IDs, to calculate

Numeric data Types have 2 options. signed: allows negative numbers

unsigned: does not allow negative numbers

TINYINT: max. 255 SMALLINT: max. 65535

MEDIUMINT: ...

INT BIGINT

DECIMAL - if you need <u>perfect numbers</u>

| DECIMAL | 999 | , | 99 |
|---------|-----------|---|-------|
| naming | precision | | scale |

other names for decimal:

DEC NUMERIC FIXED

FLOAT 4 bytes (about 7 digits)

DOUBLE 8 bytes (about 15 digits)

Data types that can store a lot of data and decimal numbers, but they do not maintain precision. Better use DOUBLE, because it's more precise.

If precision does not have to be perfect, minor differences are ok at the end of a decimal.

2. Binary (Binärdaten)

consists of 0 and 1, nothing else
BINARY
VARBINARY

3. Strings (Zeichenketten)

CHAR - fixed length, for strings

e.g. CHAR (10) \rightarrow The size parameter specifies the column length in characters.

Which character set? \rightarrow <u>unicode</u> \rightarrow encoded with UTF8

Default for text data type text: anything

What values are allowed? The default number is 1.

 $0 \rightarrow null$

 $255 \rightarrow max$, number for 8 bit number

Note:

If you do not need the foll space then you waste space.

If you export data with spaces SQL strips those spaces away.

→ PAD_CHAR_TO_FULL_LENGTH

VARCHAR - variable length

A VARIABLE length string (can contain letters, numbers, and special characters).

Attention: every string has different bytes, the encoding has also different bytes (e.g. chinese has 3 bytes)

Max. 65535 bytes (if a character takes 1 byte, the it's 65535 characters)

Row-limit: 65535

TEXT:

Use depends on the size of the text.

No row limit like char because the text data is stored elsewhere in MySql.

If you need more text in your rows then use text data.

Default for text data type text: NULL

"CLOB": character large object

TEXT: max. 65535 bytes
TINYTEXT: max. 255 bytes
MEDIUMTEXT: 16 mio. bytes
LONGTEXT: 4 billion. bytes

ENUM

list of values

Max. 3000 options

allows you to pick one of many options

everything is stored as a number

1 very good

2 ok

3 bad \rightarrow #3 is stored as an empty string, no data is stored, just the number (save space)

0 is invalid

ENUM("very good", "ok", "bad")

→ entering #2 = "ok"

The string has to match the string.

Using enum can be done with database design. It might be easier.

SET

Similar to ENUM allows you to pick many of many options - a set of data Max. 64 options possible

Note: Do not use SET for M:N relations, solve this with database design (intermediate table)

BLOB - For BLOBs (Binary Large OBjects). Holds up to 65,535 bytes of data **TINYBLOB** - For BLOBs (Binary Large OBjects). Max length: 255 bytes **MEDIUMBLOB** - For BLOBs (Binary Large OBjects). Holds up to 16,777,215 bytes of data **LONGBLOB** - For BLOBs (Binary Large OBjects). Holds up to 4,294,967,295 bytes of data

4. Booleans (Boolesche Werte)

true or false

If a boolean is compared to "null" or "unknown", then the result is always "unknown".

5. Datetimes (Datum-/ Zeit-Werte)

DATE
TIME
DATETIME
TIMESTAMP

| DATE | TIME (6) | DATETIME |
|------------|--|-----------------------|
| 2020-01-22 | 22:54:30.123456 Seconds up to 6 decimals! | Date and time in one! |

Date conventions: YY MM TT yy mm tt dd hh ss,... attention to detail!

Check documentation: MySQL 8.0 Reference Manual :: 11.2 Date and Time Data Types

| Einheit | Kürzel |
|-------------|----------|
| year | уууу, уу |
| quarter | qq, q |
| month | mm, m |
| dayofyear | dy, y |
| day | dd, d |
| week | wk, ww |
| weekday | dw |
| hour | hh |
| minute | mi, n |
| second | SS, S |
| millisecond | ms |

6. Intervals (Intervalle)

Similar to datetime, difference between 2 datetimes

7. XML

Format for plattform neutral exchange of data

SQL Data Types for MySQL, SQL Server, and MS Access

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UGu9unCW4PA&list=PL_c9BZzLwBRKn20DFbNeLAAbw4ZMTIZPH

How to use and write date formats:

Student (Matrnr: INTEGER, Name: VARCHAR, Semester: TINYINT)

- → Der Student (Objekt) hat die Attribute Matrnr, Name und Semester. Es gibt immer ein Schlüsselattribut.
- → Objekte stehen in Beziehung zueinander. Beziehungen können auch Attribute haben.

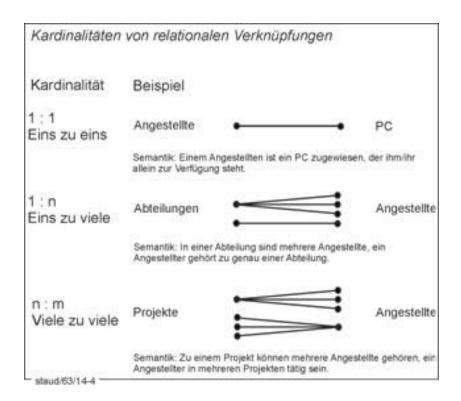
Relations

Different kinds of relations

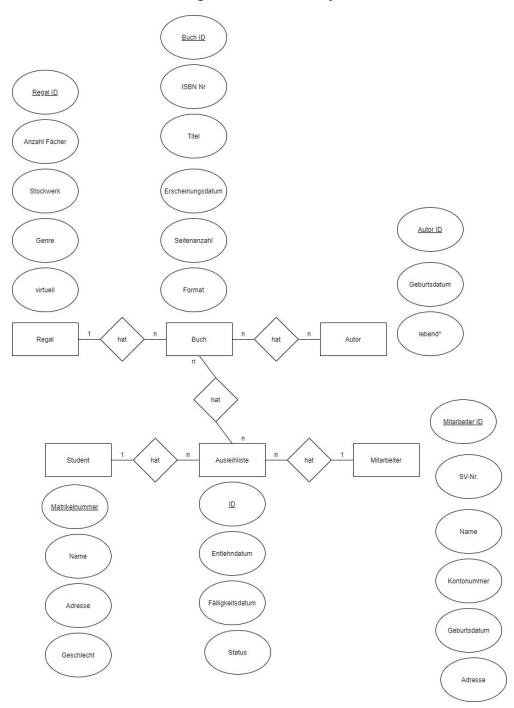
- 1. binär
- 2. unär
- 3. ternär

Describing relations with cardinalities

- 1. 1:1
- 2. 1:n
- 3. n:n



First draft of ER-diagram - a library:



MIN, MAX-Notation

Bei der (min,max)-Notation wird für jeden an einer Beziehung beteiligten Entitätstyp ein geordnetes Paar mit einem **Minimal- und einem Maximalwert** angegeben. Diese Werte geben

an, an wie vielen Beziehungsausprägungen die Entitätausprägungen mindestens teilnehmen müssen und an wie vielen sie höchstens teilnehmen dürfen.



Spieler-Entität (1,1) → da jeder Spieler zu genau einer Mannschaft gehören soll

Mannschafts-Entität (11,11) \rightarrow da es für jede Mannschaft genau 11 Spieler geben soll, die zu ihr gehören

Other possible options:

0,0

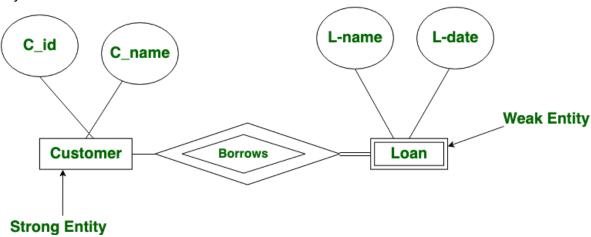
0,1

0,*

1,*

Starke und schwache Entitäten

A **weak entity** is **dependent on a strong entity** to ensure the its existence. Unlike a strong entity, a weak entity does not have any primary key. It instead has a partial discriminator key.



E.g. A bank loan does not exist without a customer. A Customer can have a loan.

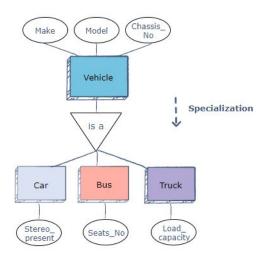
A weak entity is represented by a double rectangle.

The relation between one strong and one weak entity is represented by a double diamond. https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/weak-entity-set-in-er-diagrams/

Generalisierung und Spezialisierung

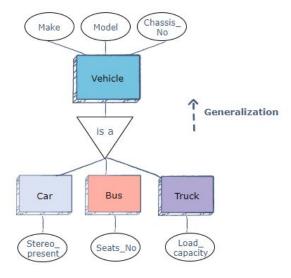
Specialisation

Top-down approach where a higher-level entity is divided into multiple specialised lower-level entities.



Generalisation

Bottom-up approach: lower-level entities are combined to a higher-level entifies.



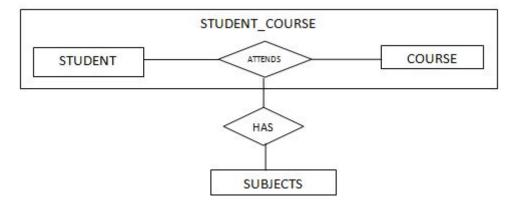
NOTE: In both cases Make, Model, and Chassis_No are shared attributes among the entities Car, Bus, Truck. These entities have their own attributes as well.

is a-Beziehung

Type A is a subtype of type B when A's specification implies B's specification.

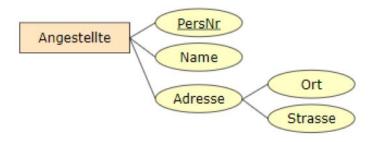
Aggregation

Relations with corresponding entities are aggregated.



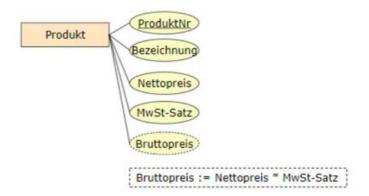
Strukturierte Attribute

Groups of attributes that share similar attributes.



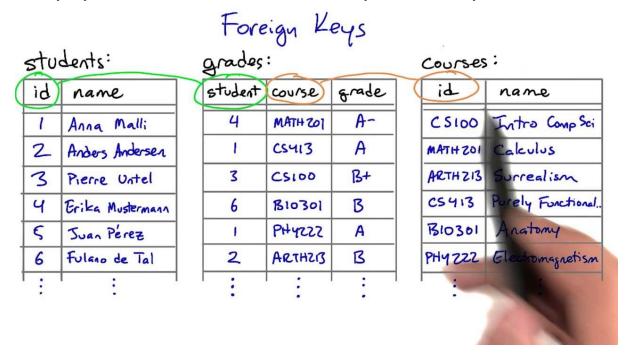
Abgeleitete Attribute (berechnet sich aus anderen Attributen)

"Calculated attributes" who's values can't be stored in an attribute, but calculated via a DB query.



Fremdschlüssel

Primary keys from other entities used as referential key in another entity.



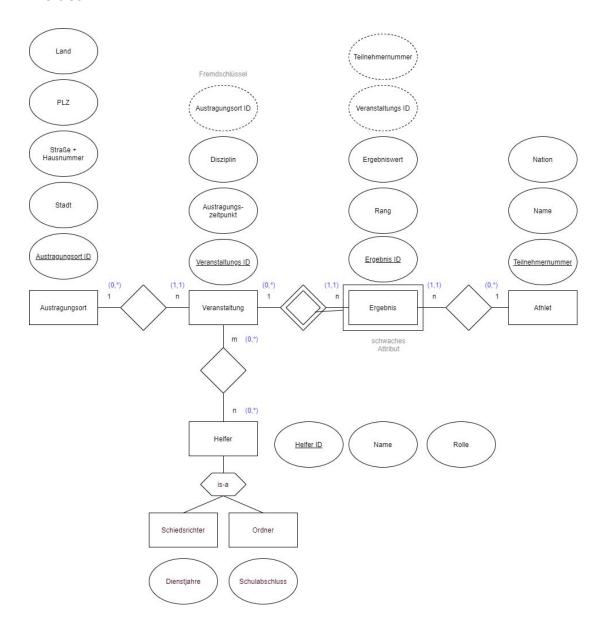
Kreuztabellen bei n:m Beziehungen mit zusammengesetzten Primärschlüssel

Artificial primary key that is a combination of the primary keys of two entities in a n:m relation.

Vorgehensweise:

- 1. ER-Diagramm
- 2. Relation in Tabellen darstellen
- 3. Textuelle Notation

Exercise:



Austragungsort: {[<u>Austragungsort ID:integer (PK)</u>, Stadt:string, Straße+Hausnummer:string, PLZ:integer, Land:string]}

Veranstaltung: {[<u>Veranstaltungs ID:integer (PK)</u>, Austragungszeitpunkt:datetime, Disziplin:string, Austragungsort ID:integer (FK)]}

Ergebnis: {[<u>Ergebnis ID:integer (PK)</u>, Rank:integer, Ergebniswert:string, Veranstaltungs ID:integer (FK), Teilnehmernummer:integer (FK)]}

Athlet: {[Teilnehmernummer:integer (PK), Name:string, Nation:string]}

Helfer: {[Helfer ID: integer (PK), Name:string, Rolle:string]}

Helfer_Ergebnis_Liste: {[Helfer ID:integer (PK, FK), Veranstaltung ID:integer (FK, PK)]}

Normalformen

Ziel: Anomalien vermeiden

Änderungsanomalie, Einfügungsanomalie, Löschanomalie

Normalformen: rules to avoid redundancies and inconsistencies

1NF

- only atomic attributes
- NOTE: no more that one value per attribute, cell
- Keinen Schas in den Feldern abspeichern, nichts mischen.

Während der Anforderungsanalyse in der Datenbankentwicklung ist folgende Rechnungsinformation aufgenommen worden:

| RNr. | Datum | Name | Straße | Ort | Artikel | Anzahl | Preis |
|------|------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------|--------|-------|
| 187 | 01.01.2012 | Max Mustermann | Musterstr. 1 | 12345 Musterort | Bleistift | 5 | 1,00€ |

Nach der Anwendung der Ersten Normalform (1NF) sieht das Ergebnis folgendermaßen aus:

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Die **erste Normalform (1NF)** ist dann erfüllt, wenn die **Wertebereiche** der **Attribute** des Relationstypen **atomar** vorliegen.

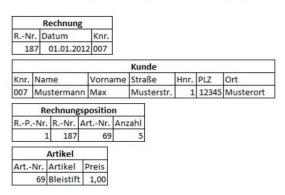
2NF

- partial dependencies of an attribute ONLY on the one or all keys
- It's not ok when an attribute depends on only one of many keys.

Die Rechnungsinformationen liegen nun in der ersten Normalform (1NF) vor:

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Nach der Anwendung der Zweiten Normalform (2NF) sieht das Ergebnis folgendermaßen aus:



3NF

- eliminates additional transitive dependencies
- It's not ok, when an attribute depends on anything else than a key/ the keys.

Die Kundeninformationen liegen nun in der zweiten Normalform (2NF) vor:

| Kunde | | | | | | |
|-------|------------|---------|------------|------|-------|-----------|
| Knr. | Name | Vorname | Straße | Hnr. | PLZ | Ort |
| 007 | Mustermann | Max | Musterstr. | 1 | 12345 | Musterort |

Nach der Anwendung der **Dritten Normalform (3NF)** sieht das Ergebnis folgendermaßen aus:

| Kunde | | | | | | |
|-------|------------|---------|------------|------|-------|--|
| Knr. | Name | Vorname | Straße | Hnr. | PLZ | |
| 007 | Mustermann | Max | Musterstr. | 1 | 12345 | |

| Postleitzahl | | | | | |
|--------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| PLZ | Ort | | | | |
| 12345 | Musterort | | | | |

Postleitzahl depends on Musterort which is NOT a key.

Setup a database

Software:

- XAMPP
 - o Apache und MySqI und immer aktivieren
 - http://localhost/dashboard/
- Datagrip von Jetbrains (development environment)

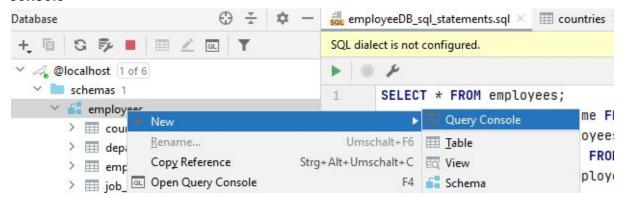
How is everything connected:

- 1. DB server
- 2. software or server type (e.g. MySql, Oracle, Maria DB,...) that runs on the server to manage the DB
- 3. graphic interface to work on the DB with software like PHP MyAdmin, Datagrip,...
- ightharpoonup We used XAMPP to setup a localhost on our PC. It automatically has Apache and MySql as server and server type included. The pre-installed graphic interface PHP MySql can be accessed by simply typing localhost in the browser window.

XAMPP Tutorial/Anleitung: Windows Installation & Konfiguration https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/XAMPP

Datagrip how-to:

Open previously saved sql file \rightarrow click on database "employees" and select **new query console**



SQL queries:

SELECT **attributes**, selected data in a relation FROM from which **relation**, which table

WHERE **conditions**, selection criteria, combinations, filter

GROUP BY aggregating data

HAVING selections for groups (e.g. to be aggregated)

ORDER BY sorting the results

AND combines two conditions \rightarrow && AS renaming the column or table

DISTINCT used with SELECT to return unique entries COUNT () counts rows of selected column that are not null

COUNT(*) count everthing

IS NULL used with WHERE to test conditions
IS NOT NULL used with WHERE to test conditions

First statements:

```
SELECT first_name, last_name FROM employees;

SELECT * FROM employees WHERE employee_id = 100;

SELECT * FROM employees ORDER BY last_name asc;

SELECT * FROM employees ORDER BY hire_date asc;

SELECT * FROM employees ORDER BY manager_id asc, salary desc;

- Kombi von Sortierungen

SELECT count(*) FROM employees;

SELECT count(*) AS 'Anzahl Mitarbeiter' FROM employees;

- Spaltenausgabe benennen

SELECT count(first_name) AS "Anzahl Mitarbeiter", manager_id FROM employees GROUP BY manager_id;

- wieviele Mitarbeiter ein Manager hat

SELECT DISTINCT manager_id FROM employees;

- mit distinct Duplikate entfernen
```

```
SELECT DISTINCT manager_id FROM employees WHERE manager_id IS NOT NULL;

→ Nullwerte entfernen

SELECT DISTINCT manager_id FROM employees WHERE manager_id IS NOT NULL AND manager_id > 105;
```

List of SQL keywords

https://www.w3schools.com/sql/sql_ref_keywords.asp

Most commonly used sql commands:

https://www.codecademy.com/articles/sql-commands

```
ALTER TABLE countries ADD test table int; -- adds a new column to a
selected table
SELECT last name FROM employees WHERE manager id = 124 AND salary >
3000 ; -- combining 2 conditions: "All employees of manager 124 with
salary > 3000."
SELECT country id AS "Länder" FROM countries; -- remaning the
column of a table
SELECT AVG(salary) FROM employees; -- average value of numeric
column
SELECT last name, first name FROM employees WHERE salary BETWEEN
2000 AND 3000; -- filter the result within a certain range e.g a
certain salary range
SELECT last name,
  CASE
       WHEN salary > 10000 THEN 'extrem gut bezahlte Leute'
       WHEN salary > 5000 THEN 'gut bezahlte Leute'
       ELSE 'normales Gehalt'
  END
FROM employees; -- With CASE you can create different outputs.
SELECT COUNT (commission pct) AS 'Anzahl Provisionen' FROM employees;
-- counts all rows that are not null
CREATE TABLE test table (
```

```
column1 varchar(10),
   column2 varchar(10),
   column3 varchar(10)
); -- creating a new table
INSERT INTO test table (column1, column2, column3)
   VALUES
       ('Apfel', 'Gurke', 'Käse');
INSERT INTO test table (column1, column2, column3)
  VALUES
       ('Birne', 'Karotte', 'Milch'); -- insert content per row
DELETE FROM test table WHERE column1 = 'Apfel'; -- deletes the whole
row if there is a matching content
SELECT department id, COUNT(*) FROM employees GROUP BY
department id; -- only in combination with COUNT to aggregate data,
group results
SELECT department id, COUNT(*) FROM employees GROUP BY department id
HAVING COUNT(*) > 1; -- combining aggregating and conditions (WHERE
is not working) --> "All department with more that 1 employees."
SELECT commission pct FROM employees WHERE commission_pct IS NULL;
-- IS NULL or IS NOT NULL
SELECT first name FROM employees WHERE first name LIKE 'E%'; --
search for a specific pattern
SELECT salary FROM employees ORDER BY salary desc LIMIT 3; -- limit
results e.g. top 3 salaries
SELECT MAX(salary) FROM employees;
SELECT MIN(salary) FROM employees; -- min and max values
SELECT manager id FROM employees WHERE manager id = 100 OR
department id = 110; -- selection with OR condition
SELECT ROUND(salary, 1) FROM employees; -- round integers to defined
decimal numbers
SELECT DISTINCT commission pct FROM employees; -- returns all unique
values (Duplikate entfernen)
```

```
SELECT SUM(salary) FROM employees; -- sum of values (does not count
the number of lines!)

UPDATE test_table SET column1 = 'ApfelNEU' WHERE column1 = 'Apfel';
-- updates content of a specific row

WITH temporary_department_id (Vorname, Nachname) AS (
    SELECT first_name, last_name
    FROM employees )

SELECT *
FROM temporary_department_id; -- store the result of a query in a
temporary table
```

LIKE and the patterns that can be used:

Das ,MUSTER' kann nach folgenden Strukturen aufgebaut werden:

- ,L_S': Alle Zeichenketten die mit einem ,L' beginnen, inklusive einem Folgezeichen und mit einem ,S' enden.
- ,BEST%': Alle Zeichenketten, die mit ,BEST' beginnen.
- ,%UNG': Alle Zeichenketten, die auf ,UNG' enden.
- ,%ST%': Alle Zeichenketten, die an irgendeiner Stelle das Muster ,ST' enthalten.

To be clarified:

INNER JOIN OUTER JOIN