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Homework 1 – Basic SQL & Relational Algebra Queries

Part One

1) Describe the following tables: [agent, skill, skillrel, affiliation, affiliationrel, mission, securityclearance] from the spy database schema in the format shown below. Underline the attributes making up the primary key of each table and describe foreign keys in a separate line.

TableName1(Attribute1, Attribute2, Attribute3,...)

Attribute2 is a foreign key to Table3(Attribute2)

Or: Attribute2 -> Table3(Attribute2)

Answer:

- Table 1

agent (agent_id, first, middle, last, address, city, country, salary, clearance_id)

clearance_id is a FOREIGN KEY to securityclearance(sc_id)

- Table 2

skill (skill_id, skill)

- Table 3

skillrel (skill_id, agent_id)

skill_id is a FOREIGN KEY to skill(skill_id)

agent_id is a FOREIGN KEY to agent(agent_id)

- Table 4

affiliation (aff_id, title, description)

- Table 5

affiliationrel (aff_id, agent_id, affiliation_strength)

aff_id is a FOREIGN KEY to affiliation (aff_id)

agent_id is a FOREIGN KEY to agent(agent_id)

- Table 6
mission (mission_id, name, access_id, team_id, mission_status)
 access_id is a FOREIGN KEY to securityclearance(sc_id)
 team_id is a FOREIGN KEY to team(team_id)
- Table 7
securityclearance (sc_id, sc_level, description)

2a) How many security clearance levels can an agent have?

Answer:

An agent can have **one** security level

2b) How many skills can an agent have?

Answer:

An agent can have **many** number of skills

2c) Can two affiliations have the same name? (Note: name refers to the attribute/column named 'title' in the relation affiliation)

Answer:

Yes, two affiliations can have the same names.

2d) How many agents can be affiliated with a particular affiliation?

Answer:

Multiple agents can be affiliated with a particular affiliation.

2e) Can two agents have different affiliation strengths to the same affiliation?

Answer:

Yes, two agents can have different affiliation strengths to the same affiliation.

Part Two

Give the English request that could have resulted in each of the SQL queries below. (Don't just paraphrase the SQL into words.) Also include the first five rows of the result for each query (or fewer if the result is smaller), and the total number of rows returned.

3.

(a) SELECT * FROM agent WHERE country = 'USA' and city = 'Washington DC';

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT * FROM agent WHERE country = 'USA' and city = 'Washington DC';
```

agent_id	first	middle	last	address	city	country	salary	clearance_id
700	Christopher	R	Boxer	112 HART	Washington DC	USA	56224	4
701	Gordon	N	Cornyn	517 HART	Washington DC	USA	259534	1
731	Johnny	J	Hatch	104 HART	Washington DC	USA	52208	2
753	Jeff	M	Domenici	328 HART	Washington DC	USA	164656	4
771	Thomas	B	Thomas	307 DIRKSEN	Washington DC	USA	154114	2
781	James	M	Dodd	448 RUSSELL	Washington DC	USA	224896	2
791	Judd	J	Jeffords	413 DIRKSEN	Washington DC	USA	207326	2

(7 rows)

Total number of rows = 7 rows

(b) SELECT salary FROM agent;

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT salary FROM agent;
```

57934
89745
67894
89674
71395
55482
56703
54264
56923

Total number of rows = 662 rows

(c) SELECT DISTINCT clearance_id FROM agent;

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT DISTINCT clearance_id FROM agent;
```

clearance_id
7
1
5
2
4
6
3

(7 rows)

Total number of rows = 7 rows

(d) SELECT agent_id, city, country, clearance_id FROM Agent WHERE salary > 95000 AND country != 'USA';

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT agent_id, city, country, clearance_id FROM Agent WHERE salary > 95000 AND
su22adb20-> country != 'USA';
agent_id | city      | country | clearance_id
-----+-----+-----+-----
      144 | Baghdad  | Iraq    |           5
      154 | Jerusalem | Israel  |           2
      173 | Sydney   | Australia |          3
      482 | Warsaw   | Poland  |           1
      854 | Baghdad  | Iraq    |           6
(5 rows)
```

Total number of rows = 5 rows

4.

(a) SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent WHERE salary > 100000;

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent WHERE salary > 100000;
country
-----
Iraq
USA
(2 rows)
```

Total number of rows = 2 rows

(b) SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent WHERE agent.salary > 100000;

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent
su22adb20-> WHERE agent.salary > 100000;
country
-----
Iraq
USA
(2 rows)
```

Total number of rows = 2 rows

(c) SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent A WHERE A.salary > 100000;

Answer:

```
su22adb20=> SELECT DISTINCT country FROM agent A WHERE A.salary > 100000;
country
-----
Iraq
USA
(2 rows)
```

Total number of rows = 2 rows

Part Three

5. What is the team ID and the meeting frequency for the team 'Vikings'?

Answer:

SELECT team_id,meeting_frequency from team WHERE name = 'Vikings';

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su22adb20=> SELECT team_id,meeting_frequency from team WHERE name='Vikings';
team_id | meeting_frequency
-----+-----
      16 | weekly
(1 row)
```

Total number of rows = 1 row

6. Which countries have agents with Top Secret or Majestic clearance? (Your query shouldn't depend on what clearance IDs are used for these clearance levels, just the names of the levels.)

Answer:

SELECT DISTINCT A.country from agent A INNER JOIN securityclearance S ON A.clearance_id = S.sc_id WHERE S.sc_level = 'Top Secret' OR S.sc_level = 'Majestic';

```
country
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Iraq
Turkey
Spain
England
Italy
Greece
Egypt
```

Total number of rows = 20 rows

7. What are the first name, last name, and city of all agents in at least two affiliations? (You can do this without COUNT.)

Answer:

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SELECT a.first, a.last, a.city from agent a, affiliationrel af, affiliationrel aff
WHERE a.agent_id = af.agent_id and af.aff_id!=aff.aff_id
group by a.first, a.last, a.city;
```

first	last	city
Ted	Suderburg	Paris
John	Muthusamy	Hong Kong
Andrew	Floyd	Baghdad
David	Parekh	Athens
George	Wagner	Vancouver
Theo	Mateos	San Jose
Christopher	Bond	Miami

Total number of rows = 502 rows

8. List the name and status of all missions that have at least one agent with the skill VooDoo/Blackmagic. Don't repeat missions in your result.

Answer:

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SELECT DISTINCT m.name,m.mission_status FROM mission m
INNER JOIN teamrel t ON m.team_id = t.team_id
INNER JOIN skillrel s ON t.agent_id = s.agent_id
INNER JOIN skill sk ON s.skill_id=sk.skill_id
WHERE sk.skill='VooDoo/Blackmagic';
```

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su22adb20->
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name	mission_status
Narrow Ice	ongoing
Melian	success
Hammer of the Underw	ongoing
Causeway	success
Galadrim	success
Aman	failed
Widow	ongoing

Total number of rows = 180 rows

9. Which pairs of agents have the same first and last names? (List each pair only once.)

Answer:

SELECT first, last, count (*) from agent
GROUP BY first, last having count (*)>=2;

```
su22adb20-> GROUP BY first, last having count (*)>=2;
first | last | count
-----+-----+-----
George | Carter | 2
Anri | Lazaryan | 2
John | Miller | 2
(3 rows)
```

Total number of rows = 3 rows

Part Four Relational Algebra

10. Write the following queries in Relational Algebra

(a) Find the first and last names for all agents having clearance level more than 5.

Answer:

$$\pi_{(first, last)} \left(\left(\sigma_{clearance_id > 5} \right) agents \right)$$

(b) Find the unique agent id, first, and last names for agents who have Secret clearance and have a salary greater than \$65,000.

Answer:

$$\pi_{(agent_id, first, last)} \left(\left(\sigma_{sc_level='Secret' \text{ AND } salary > 65,000} (agents \bowtie_{clearance_id=sc_id} securityclearance) \right) \right)$$

(c) Find the unique agent names of all agents in Spain and with the Communications skill.

Answer:

$$\pi_{(first, middle, last)} \left(\left(\sigma_{country='Spain'} agents \bowtie \left(\sigma_{skillrel.skill_id=skill.skill_id \text{ AND } s.skill='Communications'} skill \right) \right) \right)$$