

Data Boot Camp

Lesson 9.3



Class Objectives

By the end of today's class, you will be able to:



Apply data modeling techniques to database design.



Normalize data.



Identify data relationships.



Create visual representations of a database through ERDs.



Data normalization is the process of restructuring data to a set of defined "normal forms", which eliminates data redundancy and inconsistencies.

Data Normalization

Three most common forms:

01

First normal form (1NF)

02

Second normal form (2NF)

03

Third normal form (3NF)

First normal form (1NF)

Each field in a table row should contain a single value.

Raw Data

VIN	Services Performed	Customer Name	Model
3D7LX39C86G106066	Oil Change	Marcia Jackson	Prius
1FAFP33Z24W147740	Oil Change, Alignment	Patricia Smith	Equinox
KNDJD736875757954	Oil Change, Brake Replacement	Mikhail Ivanov	CRV
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	Transmission Rebuild	Lucas Gonzalez	Tahoe

Normalization



First Normal Form (Each row is unique)

VIN	Services Performed	Customer Name	Salutation
3D7LX39C86G106066	Oil Change	Marcia Jackson	Prius
1FAFP33Z24W147740	Oil Change	Patricia Smith	Equinox
1FAFP33Z24W147740	Alignment	Patricia Smith	Equinox
KNDJD736875757954	Oil Change	Mikhail Ivanov	CRV
KNDJD736875757954	Brake Replacement	Mikhail Ivanov	CRV
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	Transmission Rebuild	Lucas Gonzalez	Tahoe

Second Normal Form (2NF)

Adds a Primary Key, and all columns are directly dependent on that key. To transform the data below, we'll need separate tables for Vehicle, Customer, and Service Performed.

VIN	Services Performed	Customer Name	Model	Make
3D7LX39C86G106066	Oil Change	Marcia Jackson	Prius	Toyota
1FAFP33Z24W147740	Oil Change	Patricia Smith	Escape	Ford
1FAFP33Z24W147740	Alignment	Patricia Smith	Escape	Ford
KNDJD736875757954	Oil Change	Mikhail Ivanov	CRV	Honda
KNDJD736875757954	Brake Replacement	Mikhail Ivanov	CRV	Honda
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	Transmission Rebuild	Lucas Gonzalez	Tahoe	Chevy



2NF Normalization

Second Normal Form (2NF)

Customer			
ID	First	Last	
1	Marcia	Jackson	
2	Patricia	Smith	
3	Mikhail	Ivanov	
4	Lucas	Gonzalez	

This is the same data in 2NF; note that yellow columns are Primary Keys and blue columns are Foreign Keys which reference the Primary Keys from other tables.

Vehicle			
VIN	Customer ID	Model	Make
3D7LX39C86G106066	1	Prius	Toyot a
1FAFP33Z24W147740	2	Equinox	Chevy
KNDJD736875757954	3	CRV	Honda
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	4	Tahoe	Chevy

	Services		
ID	Vehicle	Service	
1	3D7LX39C86G106066	Oil Change	
2	1FAFP33Z24W147740	Oil Change	
3	1FAFP33Z24W147740	Alignment	
4	KNDJD736875757954	Oil Change	
5	KNDJD736875757954	Brake Replacement	
6	3N1AB7AP7EL611028	Transmission Rebuild	

Second Normal Form (2NF)

Table contains a primary key.



Provides unique identifier for each row.



Ideally in a single column.



All columns are entirely dependent on the table's primary key.



Transitive dependency is the reliance of a column's value on another column through a third column.

Transitive Dependency

Transitive	If A \Longrightarrow B and B \Longrightarrow C then A \Longrightarrow C
Dependence	 One value relies on another. City relies on ZIP code; age depends on birthday.
For example	 Consider the VIN, Customer, Model, and Make columns in the Vehicle table. Customer depends on VIN. Model depends on Customer. Make thus depends on Model. This is an example of transitive dependency

Third Normal Form (3NF) — "Simplify the Relationships"

To transition to 3NF, data must be in 2NF. Additionally, no column can imply another column in the same table. For instance, "Make" is implied by "Model" in the table below. That is, a model "Prius" will always have a make of "Toyota".

Vehicle			
VIN	Customer	Model	Make
3D7LX39C86G106066	1	Prius	Toyota
1FAFP33Z24W147740	2	Equinox	Chevy
KNDJD736875757954	3	CRV	Honda
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	4	Tahoe	Chevy

Third Normal Form (3NF) — "Simplify the Relationships"

To break the same data into 3NF, we'd use the tables below.

Vehicle			
VIN	Customer	Model	Make
3D7LX39C86G106066	1	Prius	Toyota
1FAFP33Z24W147740	2	Equinox	Chevy
KNDJD736875757954	3	CRV	Honda
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	4	Tahoe	Chevy



Vehicle			
VIN	Customer ID	Model	
3D7LX39C86G106066	1	1	
1FAFP33Z24W147740	2	2	
KNDJD736875757954	3	3	
3N1AB7AP7EL611028	4	4	



Make		
ID Make		
TOY	Toyota	
CHE	Chevy	
HON	Honda	

Model			
ID	Model	Make	
1	Prius	TOY	
2	Equinox	CHE	
3	CRV	HON	
4	Tahoe	CHE	



Activity: Pet Normalizer

In this activity, you will practice data normalization skills by using the provided data.

Suggested Time:

15 minutes

Activity: Pet Normalizer

Instructions	In pgAdmin, create a new database called pets_db.
	Use Excel to get the data into 1NF.
	 Using the normalized CSV, create the following tables with continued normalized practices: a table for owners that takes an ID and the owner's name. a table for pet names that takes two IDs, the pet's name, and the pet's type.
	Using the CSV file as guide, insert the data into respective tables.
Hint	Be sure that each table has a unique primary key.
Bonus	Create a service table that displays the different types of services that are offered.
	Create a pet_names_updated table that takes an ID that will connect to the services table.
	Join all three tables.





Foreign Keys

Foreign Keys reference the primary key of another table.

Can have a different name. It does not have to be unique.

Primary Key

	A	В
1	family_id	family
2	1	Smiths
3	2	Jones

Primary Key Foreign Key

	A	В	С
1	child_id	family_id	children
2	11	1	Chris
3	22	1	Abby
4	33	1	Suzy



Activity: Foreign Keys

In this activity, you will create and populate two new tables with foreign keys that reference existing data.

Suggested Time:

15 minutes

Activity: Foreign Keys

Instructions	Create a customer table with a customer first name and customer last name.
	Create a <pre>customer_email</pre> table with a foreign key that references a field in the original customer table.
	Populate the customer_email table with emails.
	Create a customer_phone table with a foreign key that references a field in the original customer table.
	Populate the customer_phone table with phone numbers.
	Test foreign keys by writing a query to insert data in the customer_phone table that does not have a reference ID in the customer table.
	Join all three tables.
Hint	Think about how you can select certain columns in a table. Use those columns as a reference to insert data into a table.
	Make sure all tables have primary keys that increment with each new row of data.

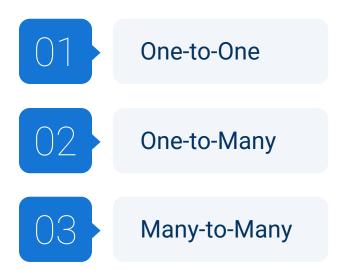


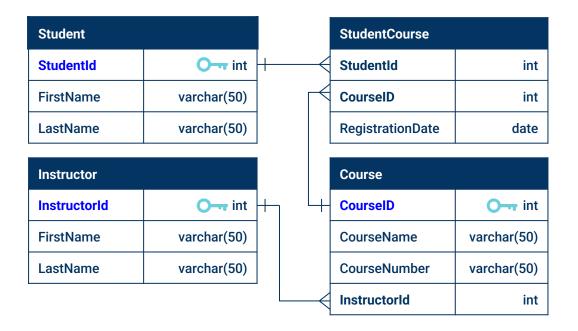


Data Relationships

Relationships Link Tables/Entities.

Types of relationships:





One-to-One Relationship

Each item in one column is linked to only one other item from the other column.

ID	Name	Social Security
1	Homer	111111111
2	Marge	22222222
3	Lisa	333333333
4	Bart	44444444
5	Maggie	55555555

Here, each person in the Simpsons family can have only one social security number.

Each social security number can be assigned only to one person.

One-to-Many Relationship

This example has two tables. The first table lists only addresses.

The second table lists each person's Social Security number and address. As before, one Social Security number is unique to one individual.

ID	Address	ID	Name	Social Security	AddressID
11	742 Evergreen Terrace	1	Homer	111111111	11
12	221B Baker Street	2	Marge	22222222	11
		3	Lisa	33333333	11
		4	Bart	44444444	11
		5	Maggie	55555555	11
		6	Sherlock	112233445	12
		7	Watson	223344556	12

One-to-Many Relationship

- Each address can be associated with multiple people.
- Each person has an address.
- The two tables, joined, would look like this.

ID	Address	ID	Name	Social Security	AddressID
11	742 Evergreen Terrace	1	Homer	111111111	11
12	221B Baker Street	2	Marge	22222222	11
		3	Lisa	33333333	11
		4	Bart	44444444	11
		5	Maggie	55555555	11
		6	Sherlock	112233445	12
		7	Watson	223344556	12

Many-to-Many Relationship

- Each child can have more than one parent.
- Each parent can have more than one child.

ID	Child	ID	Parent
1	Bart	11	Homer
2	Lisa	12	Marge
3	Maggie		

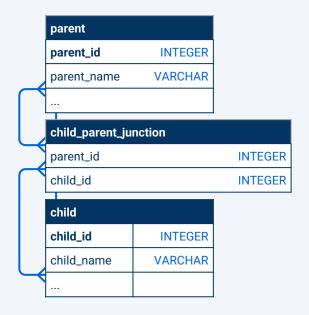
Many-to-Many Relationship

- Each child can have more than one parent.
- Each parent can have more than one child.
- The two tables are joined in a **junction table**.

ChildID	Child	ParentID	Parent
1	Bart	11	Homer
1	Bart	12	Marge
2	Lisa	11	Homer
2	Lisa	12	Marge
3	Maggie	11	Homer
3	Maggie	12	Marge

Junction Table

The junction table contains many parent_id's and many child_id's.



	parent_id integer	child_id integer
1	11	1
2	11	2
3	11	3
4	12	1
5	12	2
6	12	3

Join child and parent table to junction table

	parent_name character varying (255)	child_name character varying (255)
1	Homer	Bart
2	Homer	Lisa
3	Homer	Maggie
4	Marge	Bart
5	Marge	Lisa
6	Marge	Maggie



Activity: Data Relationships

In this activity, you will create table schemata for students and available courses, and then create a junction table to display all courses taken by students.

Suggested Time:

15 minutes

Activity: Data Relationships

Instructions

You are the database consultant at a new university. Your job is to design a database model for the registrar. The database will keep track of information on students, courses offered by the university, and the courses each student has taken.

Create a students table that keeps track of the following:

- Unique ID number of each student
- Last and first names of each student

Create a courses table that keeps track of the following:

- Unique ID number of each course
- Name of each course

Create a student_courses_junction that keeps track of the following:

- All courses that have been taken by each student
- Term in which a course was taken by a student (spring or fall)

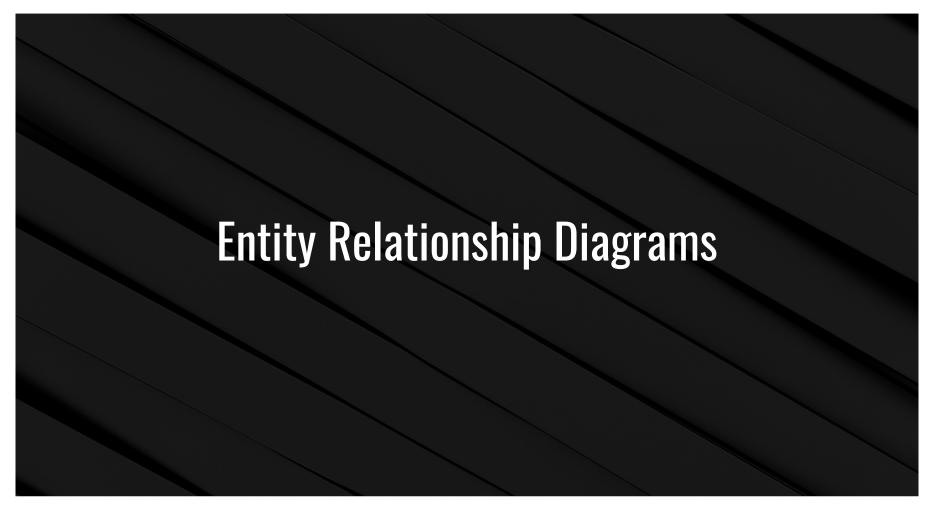
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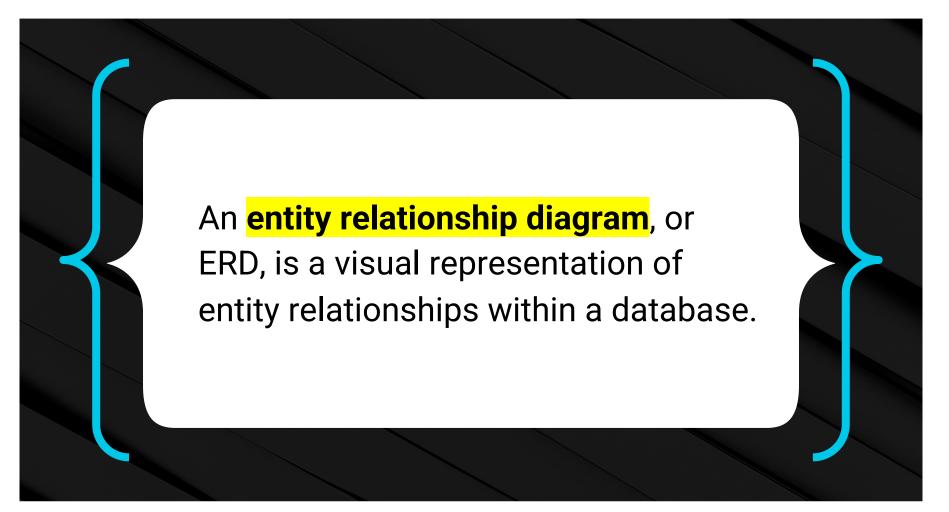
Bonus

Make sure all tables have primary keys that increment with each new row of data.



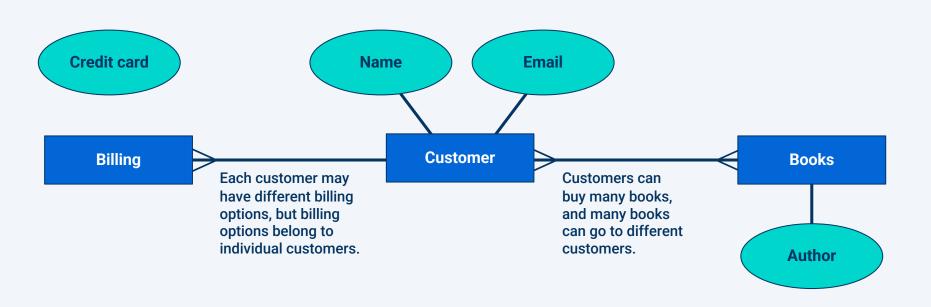




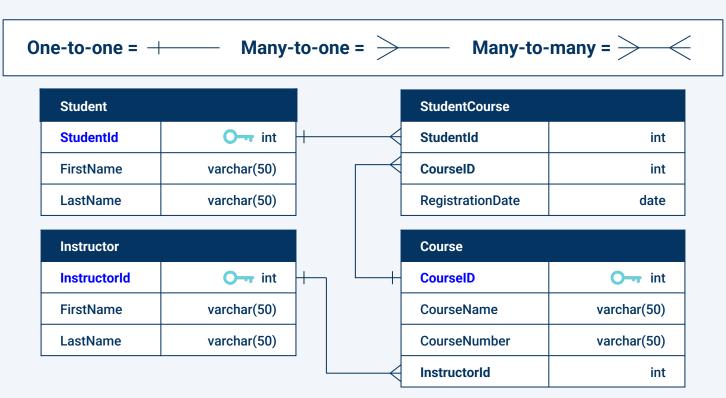


ERD uses the following notations to create the relationships.





A typical ERD design.



Three Types of ERDs or Data Models



Conceptual Model Design

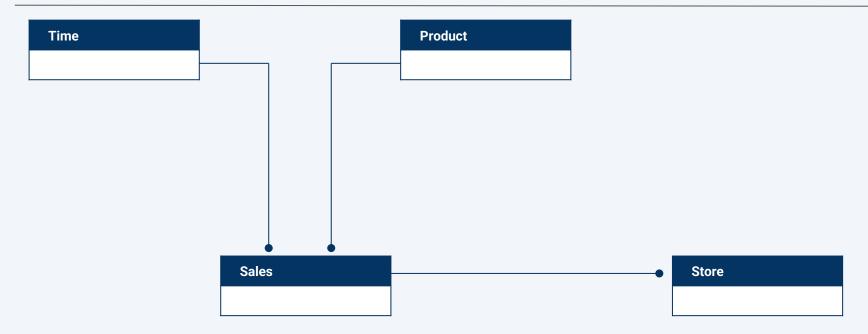


Logical Model Design

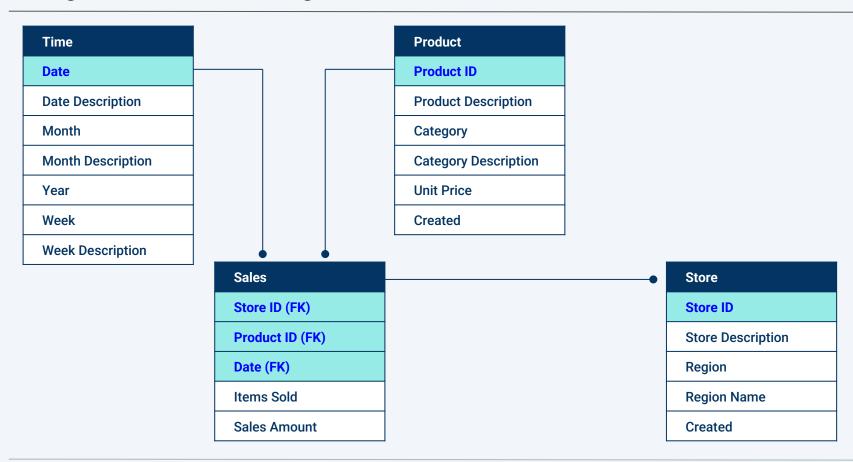


Physical Model Design

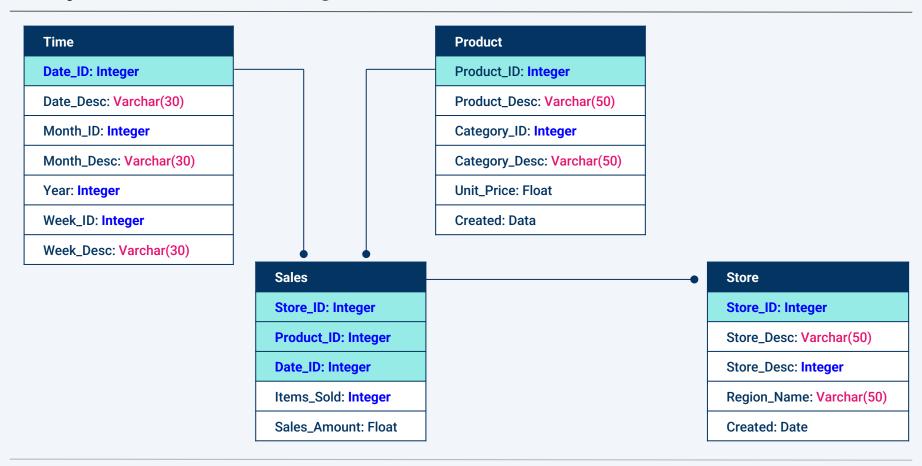
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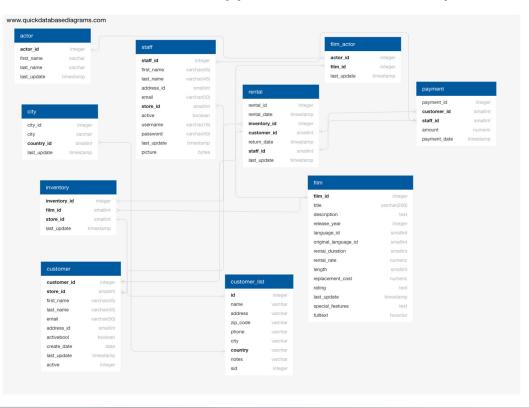
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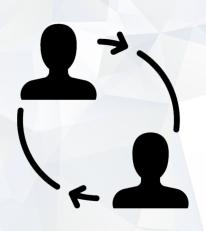


Physical Model Design



An ERD illustrates entities, their data types, and relationships.





Partner Activity: Designing an ERD, Part 1

In this activity, you will create a conceptual ERD for a gym owner.

Suggested Time:

10 minutes

Partner Activity: Designing an ERD, Part 1

Instructions

You are meeting with a gym owner who wants to organize his data in a database. Create a conceptual ERD for the gym owner.

Determine the entities that will be present in the database, along with their attributes. Be sure to include the following: trainers, members, and gym as well as one more entity that you think is necessary.

Create a diagram using the Quick Database Diagrams tool.

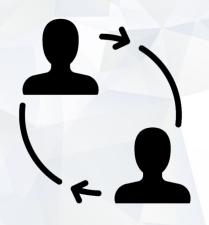
When you are satisfied with the conceptual diagram, update it to a logical ERD by including column data types and primary keys.

Which data model is appropriate here: one to one, one to many, or many to many?

Hint

Check Slack for the **documentation** for more in-depth explanations of entity relationship diagrams.





Partner Activity: Designing an ERD, Part 2

In this activity, you and and your partner will continue designing an entity relationship diagram for the gym by transitioning your logical ERD created in the previous activity to a physical ERD.

Suggested Time:

10 minutes

Partner Activity: Designing an ERD, Part 2

Hints

Foreign keys are added to each table represented by the FK acronym, followed by the relationship, e.g., OrderID INT FK >- Order.OrderID.

You will need to add foreign keys to your tables in order to map the data relationships.

Remember to document the relationships between entities using the correct symbols. Here are the allowed relationship types:

_	one TO one	0_	zero or one TO one
_<	one TO many	0_0	zero or one TO zero or one
>_	many TO one	_0<	one TO zero or many
>_<	many TO many	>0_	zero or many TO one
_0	one TO zero or one		

Partner Activity: Designing an ERD, Part 2

Hints

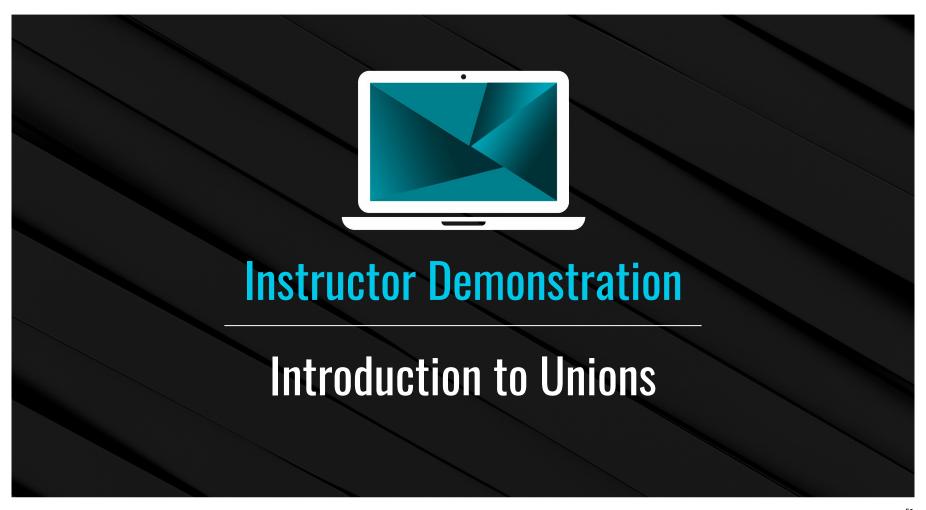
Keep in mind the following:

- Each member belongs to only one gym.
- Trainers work for only one gym, but a gym has many trainers.
- Each member must have a trainer, but each trainer may instruct multiple members.
- Each member has one credit card on file.

Once you have created tables in pgAdmin, you can check the table creation with the following syntax:

SELECT * FROM Members;







Activity: Unions

In this activity, you will practice unions by combining data from multiple tables without the use of joins.

Suggested Time:

15 minutes

Activity: Unions

