

CSCI-585

Exam II review

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Overview of Exam II

Possible topics:

- XML (20-30%)
- Query analysis and/or optimization (10-15%)
- Distributed databases (10-20%)
- OLAP and decision support (10-20%)

Overview of Exam II

Types of questions

- Same as Exam I:
 - T/F questions (5-10%)
 - Please describe...? What's the pros & cons of ...? (10-20%)
 - Technical questions (50-70%)

XML

1. Consider the following XML DTD:

```
<!ELEMENT bib (entry*)>
<!ELEMENT entry (book | collection)>
<!ELEMENT book (author, title)>
<!ELEMENT collection (author, title,
publisher?, article+)>
<!ELEMENT article (author, title)>
<!ATTLIST entry (year CDATA #REQUIRED)>
<!ELEMENT author (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT title (#PCDATA)>
```

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SOLUTION:

No because:

- 1) year is an attribute, not an element;
- 2) collection must have at least one article (but the publisher can be missing);
- 3) author must precede title in book;
- 4) there is no closing "entry" tag.

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`//author`

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SOLUTION:

`/bib/entry[@year=2012]/book/author`

XML

2. Assume that you are given an XML document called “doc.xml”. State in English what the following queries return.

(a)

```
<XML>
{
  for $c in document(doc)//course[@prof='‘Susan
  Davidson’']
  let $g:= c//grade[text()= ‘A’]
  return
  <SDCourse>
  <course cnum= {$c/@cnum} />
  <num>{count($g)}</num>
</SDCourse>
}
</XML>
```

(b)

```
<XML>
{
  for $p in distinct-values(document(doc.xml)
  //course/@prof)
  return
  <courses prof={$p}>
  {
    for $c in document(doc.xml)//course
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SOLUTION:

For every course with professor 'Susan Davidson', return the course (with cnum as an attribute) and number of A's received as an element with tag num.

XML

(b)

```
<XML>
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return
<courses prof={$p}>
{
for $c in document(doc.xml)//course
where $c/@prof = $p
return <course>{$c/@cnum} </course>
}
</courses>
}
</XML>
```

SOLUTION:

For each professor, return an element with tag courses and professor as an attribute containing as subelements it all courses taught by that professor, represented as an element with tag course and value of cnum.

XML

3. Write down the XML Schema for the following XML document.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="ISO-8859-1"?>
```

```
<bookstore>
```

```
<book category="COOKING">
```

```
<title lang="en">Everyday Italian</title>
```

```
<author>Giada De Laurentiis</author>
```

```
<year>2005</year>
```

```
<price>30.00</price>
```

```
</book>
```

```
<book category="CHILDREN">
```

```
<title lang="en">Harry Potter</title>
```

```
<author>J K. Rowling</author>
```

```
<year>2005</year>
```

```
<price>29.99</price>
```

```
</book>
```

```
<book category="WEB">
```

```
<title lang="en">XQuery Kick Start</title>
```

```
<author>James McGovern</author>
```

```
<author>Per Bothner</author>
```

```
<author>Kurt Cagle</author>
```

```
<author>James Linn</author>
```

```
<author>Vaidyanathan Nagarajan</author>
```

```
<year>2003</year>
```

```
<price>49.99</price>
```

```
</book>
```

```
<book category="WEB">
```

```
<title lang="en">Learning XML</title>
```

```
<author>Erik T. Ray</author>
```

```
<year>2003</year>
```

```
<price>39.95</price>
```

```
</book>
```

```
</bookstore>
```

Query optimization

1. Consider the following database tables at a Sailing club:

Sailors (sid, sname, rating, age)

Boats (bid, bname, color)

Reserves (sid, bid, day, rname)

Each table has some additional fields that we are not interested in.

a) For the following query:

```
SELECT sname
FROM Sailors S, Boats B, Reserves R
WHERE S.sid = R.sid AND B.bid = R.bid AND B.
Color='RED'
```

Draw the most basic query tree.

b) Use the heuristics for algebraic query optimization to transform/restructure the query-tree you generated in part a) above into a more efficient query-tree.

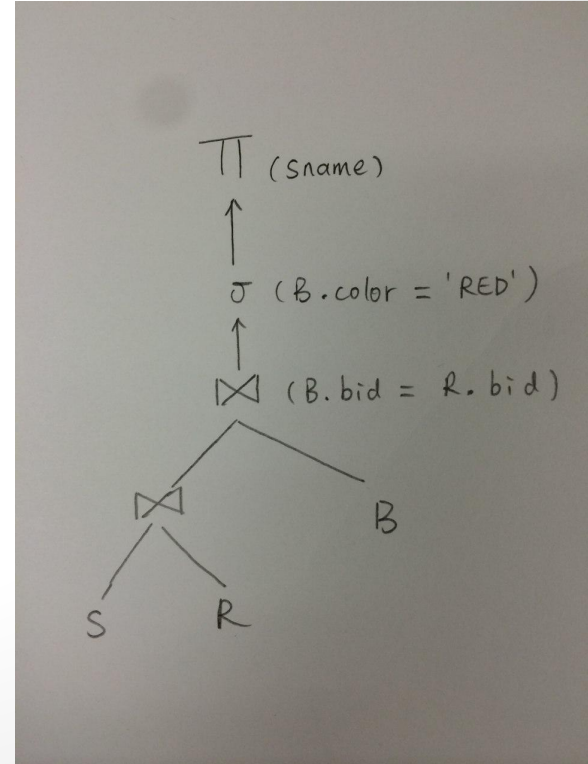
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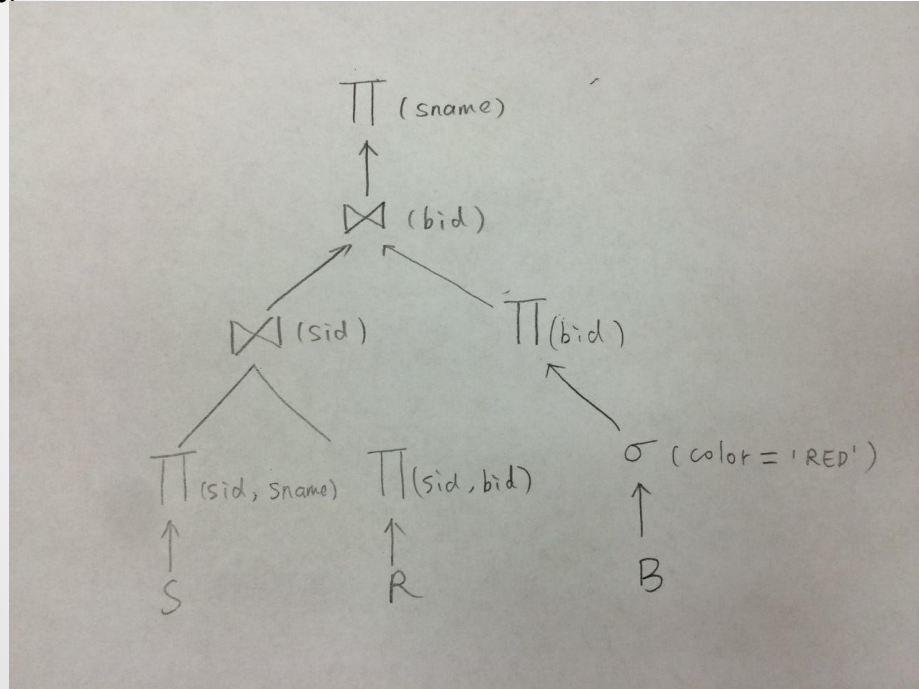
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SOLUTION:

We assume not all boats are red.

OLAP

1. The following two dimensional OLAP cube contains sales forecasts (in millions)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
LA	1	2	2	2	3	3	4
NY	1	2	2	2	2	3	3
Paris	1	1	1	2	2	2	3

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OLAP

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SOLUTION:

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
LA	1	3	5	7	10	13	17
NY	2	6	10	14	19	25	32
Paris	3	8	13	19	26	34	44

b) Compute the results of the following range query using the prefix sum matrix. Find total sales in NY and Paris from 2012 thru 2015.

SOLUTION:

$$34 - 13 - 8 + 3 = 16$$

Distributed databases

1. Consider the following three relations with their keys underlined:

Movie (Movie_ID, Title, Director, Budget)

Theater (Theater_ID, Name, Location)

SHOW (Movie_ID, Theater_ID, StartDate, Duration)

Furthermore, assume the following two queries:

• Query 1 (q1):

```
select Movie.Movie_ID, Title, SHOW.Theater_ID, StartDate
from Movie, SHOW
where Movie.Movie_ID = SHOW.Movie_ID and Duration =
30
```

Suppose q1 is executed by an application that is located at sites S1 and S2, with frequencies 3 and 2, respectively.

• Query 2 (q2):

```
select Movie_ID, Director, budget
from Movie
```

Suppose q2 is executed by an application that is located at sites S2 and S3, with frequencies 2 and 3, respectively.

• Query 3 (q3):

```
select MAX(budget)
from Movie, Theater, SHOW
where Movie.Movie_ID = SHOW.Movie_ID and
SHOW.Theater_ID = Theater.
Theater_ID and
Location = 'Chicago'
```

Suppose q3 is executed by an application that is located at sites S1 and S3, with frequencies 1 and 1, respectively.

Distributed databases

a) Construct the affinity matrix AA containing all attributes of the relation SHOW.

SOLUTION:

"use" matrix for SHOW:

$$U = \begin{matrix} & A_1 & A_2 & A_3 & A_4 \\ \begin{matrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

"frequency" matrix for "show"

$$F = \begin{matrix} & S_1 & S_2 & S_3 \\ \begin{matrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$\Rightarrow AA =$

$$\begin{matrix} & A_1 & A_2 & A_3 & A_4 \\ \begin{matrix} A_1 \\ A_2 \\ A_3 \\ A_4 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} - & 7 & 5 & 5 \\ 7 & - & 5 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 & - & 5 \\ 5 & 5 & 5 & - \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Distributed databases

b) Use one of the approaches we have discussed in class to come up with a vertical fragmentation of the relation SHOW.

