

Topsify



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Background

- Music is a part of most people's everyday life
 - No matter where you live
 - No matter your culture
 - No matter your religion
- This database could connect people over something we all enjoy
- Users of this database would involve anybody who wants a free music listening and ticket selling application



Requirements of Database: Data Requirements

- Consider the operation of a song database which stores artists and their associated songs/albums along with users who have the ability to search for songs, albums, etc.
- Data stored (Entities)
 - Artists
 - Must have at least one song and can host concerts, can belong to a production company, have many songs, and have album(s)
 - Identified by name, has a genre
 - Songs
 - Identified by name and has a length and release date
 - Albums
 - Name, year, number of songs
 - Concerts
 - Has a location/date and time
 - Can have many artists performing
 - Production Companies
 - Identified by name, has address, enlists artists
 - Users
 - Can like albums and songs, follow artists
 - Identified by username
 - Etc
- Will go in more depth on ER diagram

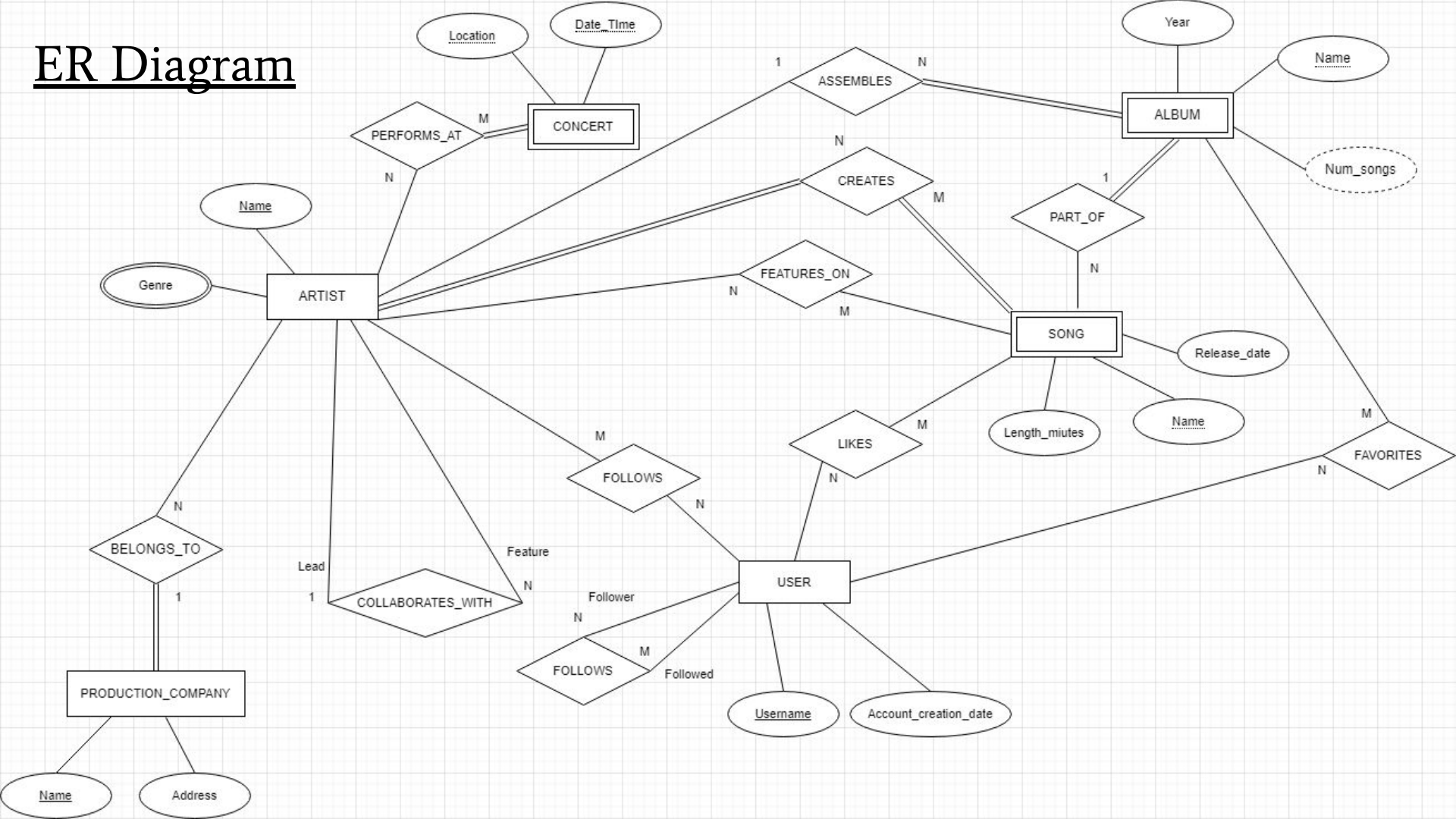


Requirements of Database: Functional Requirements

- People can search for
 - Artists
 - Songs
 - Albums
 - Concerts
 - Other Users
- Any of the above can be added at any time
- Anything company can get license for in the music world

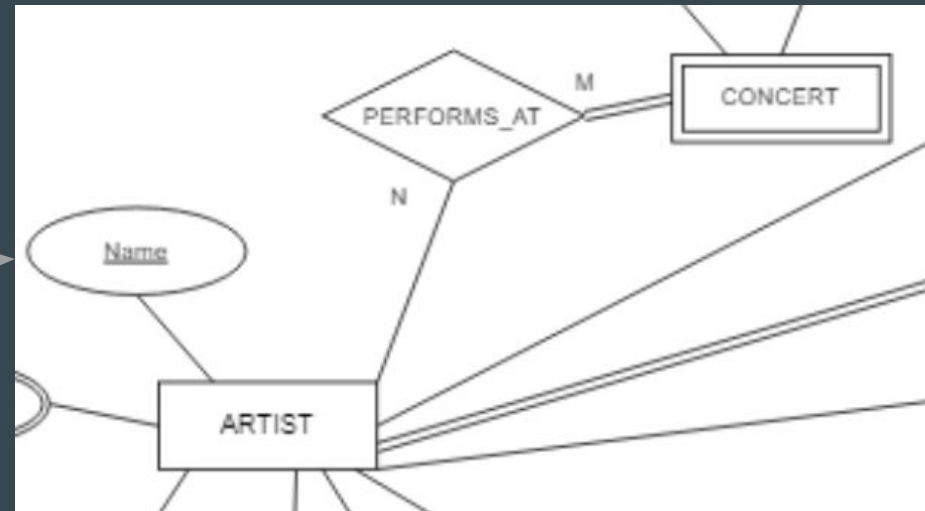
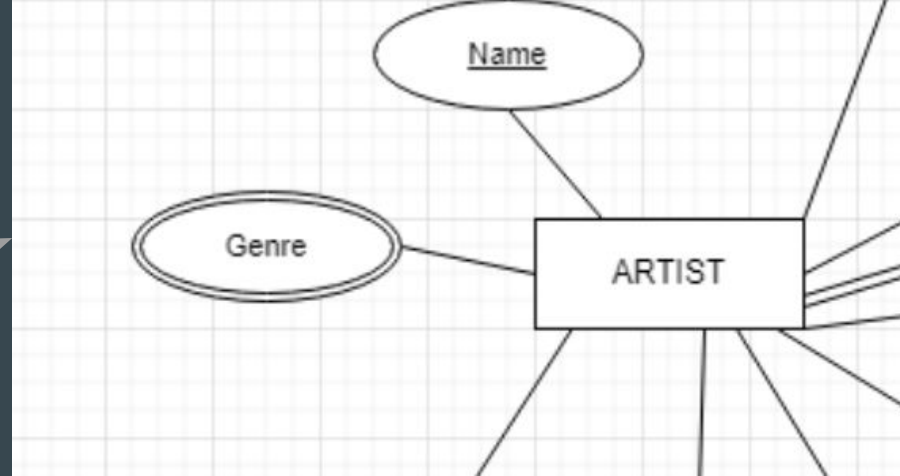


ER Diagram



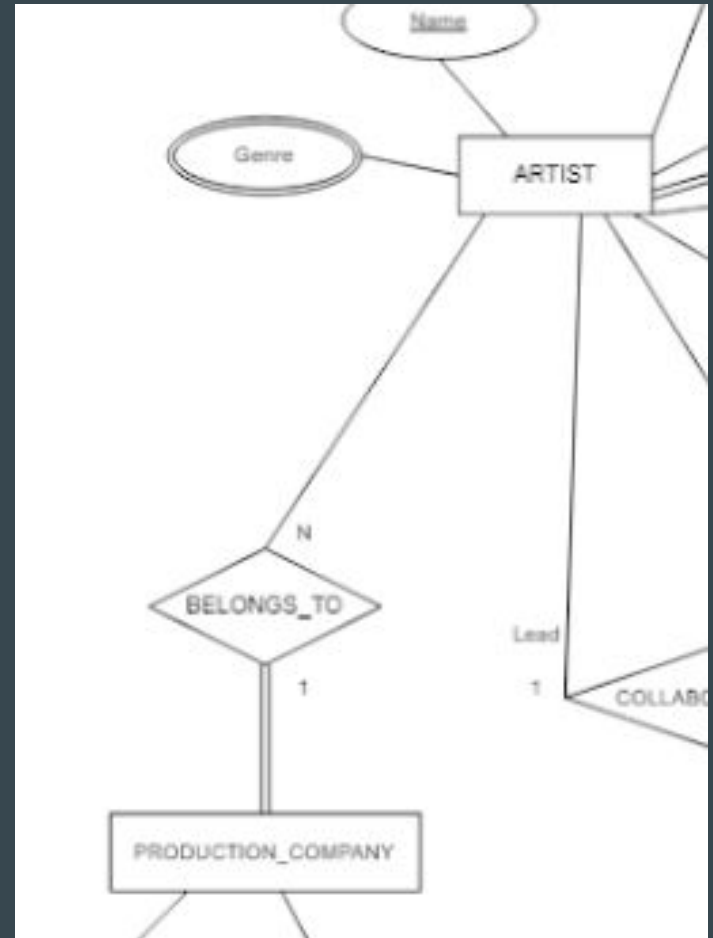
Artist: Attributes and Concert Relation

- Attributes
 - KEY: Name
 - Multivalued: Genre
- Relationships
 - PERFORMS_AT Concert
 - N:M
 - Artists perform many concerts
 - Concerts can be performed by many people
 - Single/double participation
 - Not every artist needs a concert
 - Every concert needs at least one artist



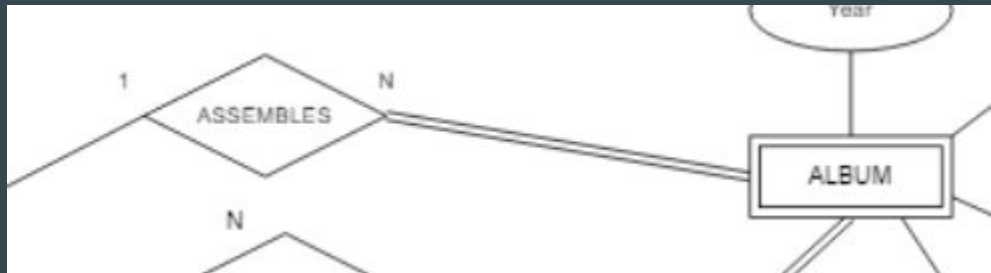
Artist: Production Company Relation

- BELONGS_TO Production Company
 - N:1
 - An artist can have only one production company
 - A production company can have many artists
 - Single/Double Participation
 - An artist does not need a production company
 - A P_C must have at least one artist



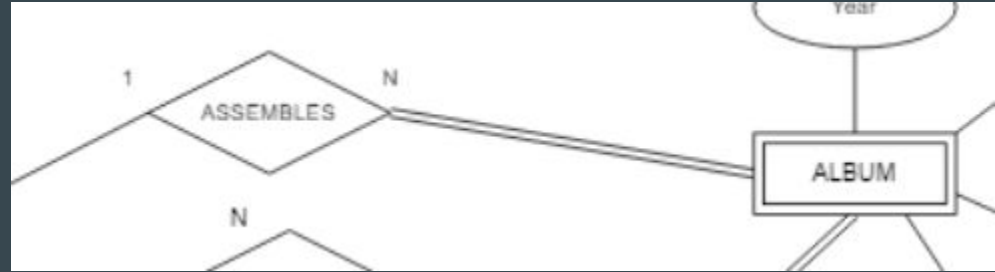
Artist: Album Relation

- Artist ASSEMBLES Album
 - 1:N
 - Every artist can have many albums
 - Albums can belong to one artist (For our intents and purposes)
 - Single/Double Participation
 - Not every artist needs an album
 - Every album must belong to an artist



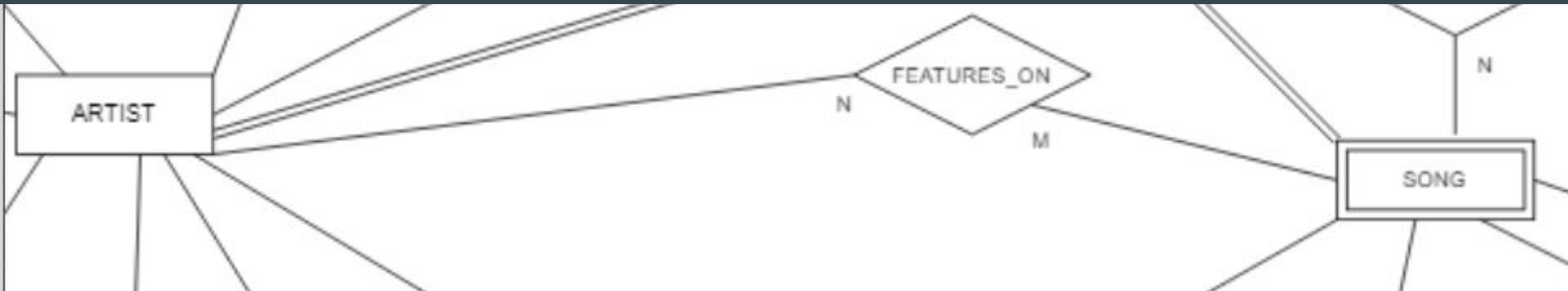
Artist: Song First Relation (Creates)

- Artist CREATES Song
 - N:M
 - Every artist can have many songs
 - Songs can belong to many artists
 - Double/Double Participation
 - Every artist must have a song
 - Every song must belong to an artist



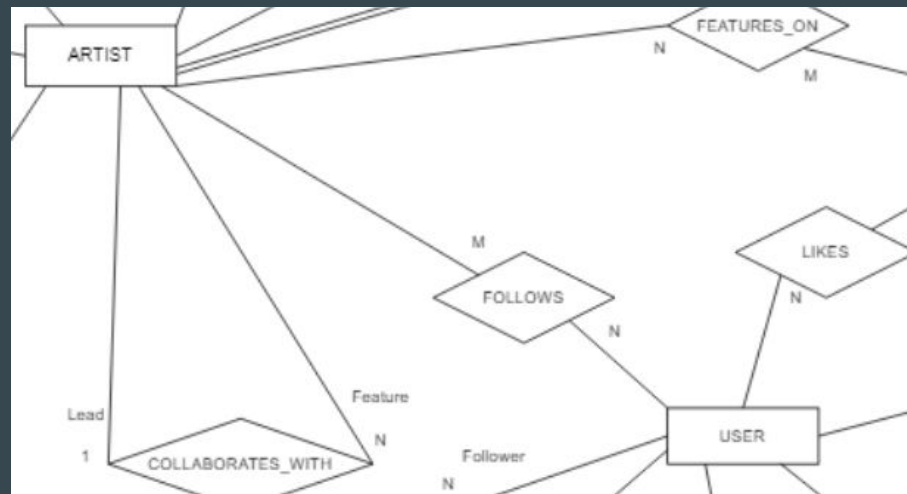
Artist: Song Second Relation (Features)

- Artist FEATURES_ON Song
 - N:M
 - Every artist can feature on many songs
 - Every song can have many features
 - Single/single Participation
 - Not every artist must feature on a song
 - Not every song must have a feature artist



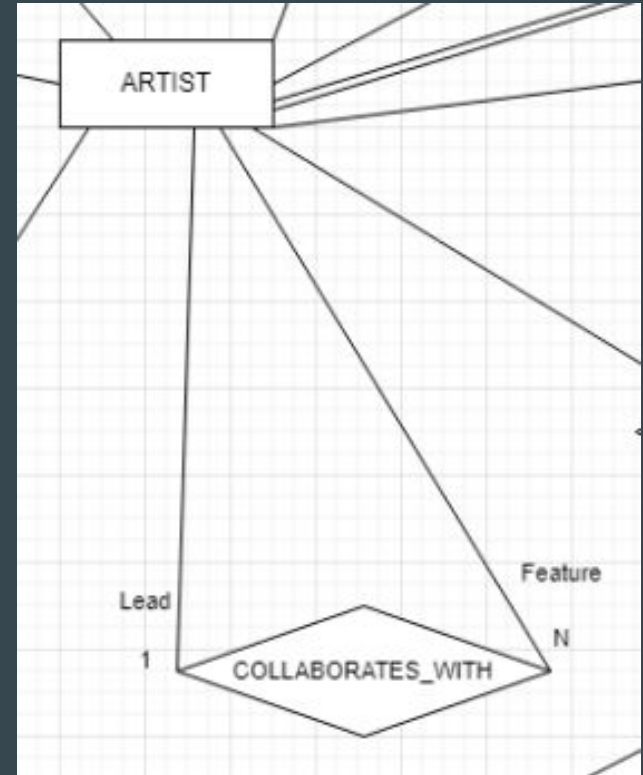
Artist: User Relation

- Artist FOLLOWS User
 - M:N
 - An artist can have many followers
 - Users can follow many artists
 - Single/Single Participation
 - Not every artist needs a follower
 - Not every user needs to follow an artist



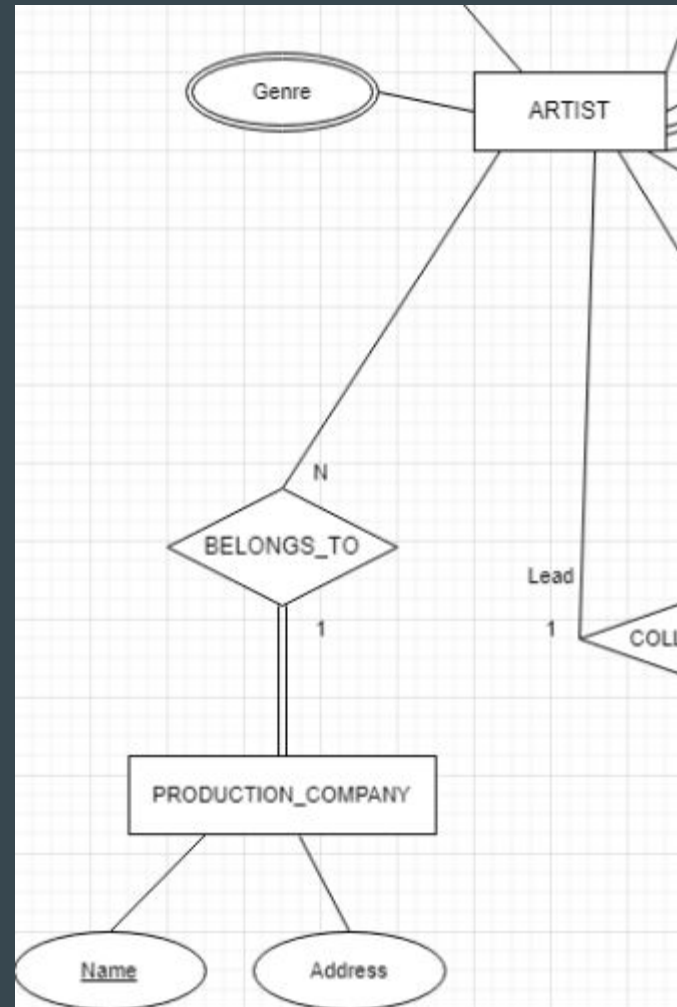
Artist: Collaborates_With Relation

- An Artist COLLABORATES_WITH other artists
 - There is 1 main artist who is the lead, and N artists who are the features
 - Artists do not have to collaborate with each, so both relations are partial



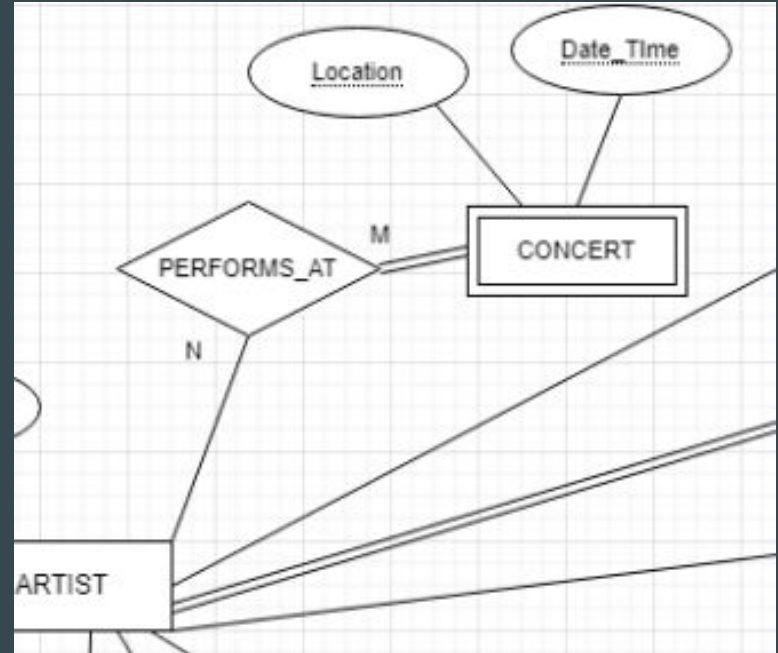
Production Company

- Attributes
 - Key: Name
 - Each production company has a unique trademarked name
 - Address
- Single-to-double participation
 - Artists do not need production companies, but production companies need artists for their business



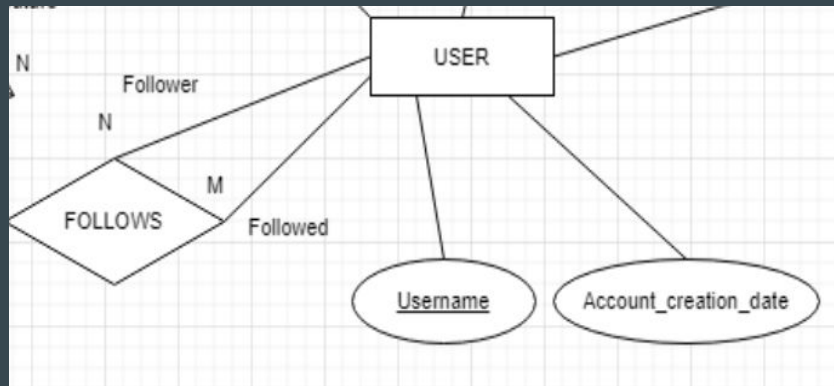
Concert

- Entity Type
 - Weak since a concert cannot be identified solely by its location and date/time because multiple concerts can happen at the same venue and concerts can have multiple artists
- Attributes
 - Weak Key: Location
 - Location of the concert would be used in tandem with the artist's name to determine the exact concert
 - Weak Key: Date_Time
 - Date and time of the concert would be used in tandem with the artist's name to find the exact concert



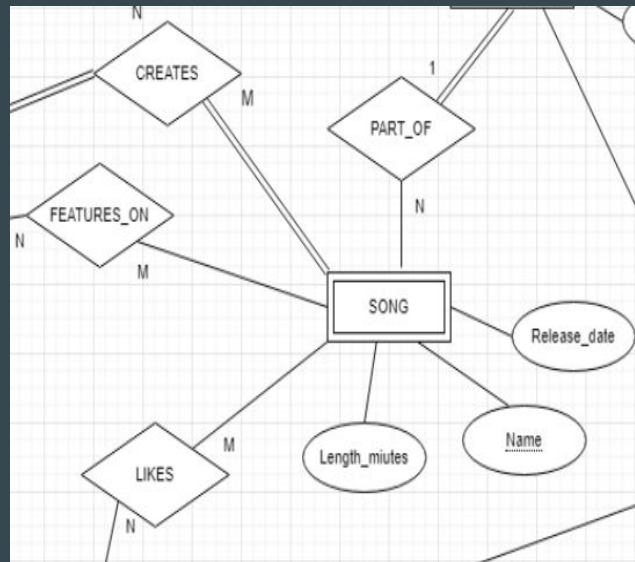
User

- Attributes
 - KEY: Username
 - Account_creation_date
- Relationships
 - FOLLOWS
 - N:M
 - Users can follow multiple other users
 - Users can be followed by multiple different users
 - Single/Single Participation
 - Not every user is following someone and not every user has followers
 - LIKES
 - N:M
 - Users can like multiple songs
 - Songs can be liked by multiple users
 - Single/Single Participation
 - Not every song has a like and not every user likes a song



Song

- Attributes
 - PARTIAL KEY: Name
 - Length_minutes
 - Release_date
- Relationships
 - PART_OF
 - N:1
 - Many songs can be in one album
 - A song can only belong to one album
 - Single/Double Participation
 - Every album needs at least one song but not every song needs to be part of an album



Album

- Entity Choice: Weak entity
 - Depends on artist for identification
 - Multiple albums can have same name, but not for the same artist
- Attributes
 - Weak Key: Name
 - Makes up PK with Artist name
 - Year
 - Num_songs
 - Derived (number of connections between specific song and album)

