

CS 6360.002 Assignment-5
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1. Consider a disk with block size $B=512$ bytes. A block pointer is $P=6$ bytes long, and a record pointer is $P_R=7$ bytes long. A file has $r=3000$ EMPLOYEE records of fixed-length. Each record has the following fields: NAME (30 bytes), SSN (10 bytes), DEPARTMENTCODE (10 bytes), ADDRESS (30 bytes), PHONE (10 bytes), BIRTHDATE (10 bytes), GENDER (1 byte), JOBCODE (4 bytes), SALARY (4 bytes, real number). An additional byte is used as a deletion marker.

(70 points)

(a) Calculate the record size R in bytes:

A) Record Size = $30+10+10+30+10+10+1+4+4+1=110$

(b) Calculate the blocking factor bfr and the number of file blocks b assuming an unspanned organization:

A) Blocking factor $bfr = \text{floor}(B/R) = \text{floor}(512/110) = 4$ records per block
Number of blocks needed for file = $\text{ceiling}(r/bfr) = \text{ceiling}(3000/4) = 750$

(c) Suppose the file is ordered by the key field SSN and we want to construct a primary index on SSN. Calculate

(i) the index blocking factor bfr_i:

A) Index record size $R_i = (V_{SSN} + P) = (10 + 6) = 16$ bytes
Index blocking factor $bfr_i = \text{floor}(B/R_i) = \text{floor}(512/16) = 32$

(ii) the number of first-level index entries and the number of first-level index blocks;

A) Number of first-level index entries $r_1 = \text{number of file blocks } b = 750$ entries
Number of first-level index blocks $b_1 = \text{ceiling}(r_1 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(750/32) = 24$ blocks

(iii) the number of levels needed if we make it into a multi-level index;

Number of second-level index entries $r_2 = \text{number of first-level blocks } b_1 = 24$ entries
Number of second-level index blocks $b_2 = \text{ceiling}(r_2 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(24/32) = 1$ blocks
Since the second level has only one block, it is the top index level.
Hence, the index has $x = 2$ levels

(iv) the total number of blocks required by the multi-level index; and

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a) Total number of blocks for the index $b_i = b_1 + b_2 = 24 + 1$
= 25 blocks

(v) the number of block accesses needed to search for and retrieve a record from the file--given its SSN value--using the primary index.

A) Number of block accesses to search for a record = $x + 1 = 2 + 1 = 3$

(d) Suppose the file is not ordered by the key field SSN and we want to construct a secondary index on SSN. Repeat the previous exercise (part c) for the secondary index and compare with the primary index.

a)

i. Index record size $R_i = (V \text{ SSN} + P) = (10 + 6) = 16$ bytes

Index blocking factor $bfr_i = (\text{fan-out}) \text{ fo} = \text{floor}(B/R_i) = \text{floor}(512/16) = 32$ index records per block (This has not changed from part (c) above)

ii. Number of first-level index entries $r_1 = \text{number of file records } r = 30000$

Number of first-level index blocks $b_1 = \text{ceiling}(r_1/bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(30000/32)$
= 94 blocks

iii. We can calculate the number of levels as follows:

Number of second-level index entries $r_2 = \text{number of first-level index blocks } b_1 = 94$ entries

Number of second-level index blocks $b_2 = \text{ceiling}(r_2/bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(94/32) = 3$ blocks

Number of third-level index entries $r_3 = \text{number of second-level index blocks } b_2 = 3$ entries

Number of third-level index blocks $b_3 = \text{ceiling}(r_3/bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(3/32) = 1$

Since the third level has only one block, it is the top index level. Hence, the index has $x = 3$ levels

iv. Total number of blocks for the index $b_i = b_1 + b_2 + b_3 = 94 + 3 + 1 = 98$

v. Number of block accesses to search for a record = $x + 1 = 3 + 1 = 4$

(e) Suppose the file is not ordered by the non-key field DEPARTMENTCODE and we want to construct a secondary index on DEPARTMENTCODE using Option 3 of Section 18.1.3, with an extra level of indirection that stores record pointers. Assume there are 100 distinct values of DEPARTMENTCODE, and that the EMPLOYEE records are evenly distributed among these values. Calculate

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(i) the index blocking factor bfr_i;

A)

Index record size $R_i = (V \text{ DEPARTMENTCODE} + P) = (10 + 6) = 16$ bytes

Index blocking factor $bfr_i = (\text{fan-out}) fo = \text{floor} (B/R_i) = \text{floor} (512/16) = 32$ index records per block

(ii) the number of blocks needed by the level of indirection that stores record pointers;

A)

*There are 100 distinct values of DEPARTMENTCODE, so the average number of records for each value is $(r/1000) = (3000/100) = 30$

Since a record pointer size PR = 7 bytes, the number of bytes needed at the level of indirection for each value of DEPARTMENTCODE is $7 * 30 = 210$ bytes, which fits in 1 block. Hence, 100 blocks are needed for the level of indirection.

(iii) the number of first-level index entries and the number of first-level index blocks;

A)

Number of first-level index entries $r_1 = \text{number of distinct values of DEPARTMENTCODE} = 100$ entries

Number of first-level index blocks $b_1 = \text{ceiling} (r_1 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling} (100/32) = 4$ blocks

(iv) the number of levels needed if we make it a multi-level index;

A)

We can calculate the number of levels as follows:

Number of second-level index entries $r_2 = \text{number of first-level index blocks } b_1 = 4$ entries

Number of second-level index blocks $b_2 = \text{ceiling} (r_2 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling} (4/32) = 1$

Hence, the index has $x = 2$ levels

(v) the total number of blocks required by the multi-level index and the blocks used in the extra level of indirection;

A)

Total number of blocks for the index $b_i = b_1 + b_2 = 4 + 1 = 5$ blocks

(vi) the approximate number of block accesses needed to search for and retrieve all records in the file having a specific DEPARTMENTCODE value using the index.

A)

Number of block accesses to search for a record $= x + 1 = 2 + 1 = 3$

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(f) Suppose the file is ordered by the non-key field DEPARTMENTCODE and we want to construct a clustering index on DEPARTMENTCODE that uses block anchors (every new value of DEPARTMENTCODE starts at the beginning of a new block). Assume there are 100 distinct values of DEPARTMENTCODE, and that the EMPLOYEE records are evenly distributed among these values. Calculate

(i) the index blocking factor bfr i;

A)

Index record size $R_i = (V \text{ DEPARTMENTCODE} + P) = (10 + 6) = 16$ bytes

Index blocking factor $bfr_i = (\text{fan-out})_{fo} = \text{floor}(B/R_i) = \text{floor}(512/16) = 32$ index records per block

(ii) the number of first-level index entries and the number of first-level index blocks;

A)

Number of first-level index entries $r_1 = \text{number of distinct DEPARTMENTCODE values} = 100$ entries

Number of first-level index blocks $b_1 = \text{ceiling}(r_1 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(100/32) = 4$ blocks

(iii) the number of levels needed if we make it a multi-level index;

a)

We can calculate the number of levels as follows:

Number of second-level index entries $r_2 = \text{number of first-level index blocks } b_1 = 4$ entries

Number of second-level index blocks $b_2 = \text{ceiling}(r_2 / bfr_i) = \text{ceiling}(4/32) = 1$

Since the second level has one block, it is the top index level.

Hence, the index has $x = 2$ levels

(iv) the total number of blocks required by the multi-level index; and

a)

Total number of blocks for the index $b_i = b_1 + b_2 = 4 + 1 = 5$ blocks

(v) the number of block accesses needed to search for and retrieve all records in the file having a specific DEPARTMENTCODE value using the clustering index (assume that multiple blocks in a cluster are either contiguous or linked by pointers).

a)

Number of block accesses to search for the first block in the cluster of blocks $= x + 1 = 2 + 1 = 3$

The 32 records are clustered in $\text{ceiling}(30/bfr) = \text{ceiling}(30/4) = 8$ blocks.

Hence, total block accesses needed on average to retrieve all the records with a given DEPARTMENTCODE $= x + 8 = 2 + 8 = 10$ block accesses

(g) Suppose the file is not ordered by the key field Ssn and we want to construct a B+ tree access structure (index) on SSN. Calculate

(i) the orders p and p leaf of the B+ tree;

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A) For a B+ -tree of order p, the following inequality must be satisfied for each internal tree node: $(p * P) + ((p - 1) * V SSN) < B$, or

$(p * 7) + ((p - 1) * 10) < 512$, which gives $17p < 522$, so $p=31$

For leaf nodes, if record pointers are included in the leaf nodes, the following inequality must be satisfied: $(p \text{ leaf} * (V SSN + P R)) + P < B$, or

$(p \text{ leaf} * (10+7)) + 7 < 512$, which gives $17p \text{ leaf} < 505$, so $p \text{ leaf} = 30$

(ii) the number of leaf-level blocks needed if blocks are approximately 69% full (rounded up for convenience);

A) Assuming that nodes are 69% full on the average, the average number of key-values in a leaf node is $0.69 * p \text{ leaf} = 0.69 * 30 = 20.7$. If we round this up for convenience, we get 21 key values (and 21 record pointers) per leaf node. Since the file has 3000 records and hence 3000 values of SSN, the number of leaf-level nodes (blocks) needed is $b_1 = \text{ceiling}(3000/21) = 143$ blocks

(iii) the number of levels needed if internal nodes are also 69% full (rounded up for convenience);

A)

We can calculate the number of levels as follows:

The average fan-out for the internal nodes (rounded up for convenience) is

$fo = \text{ceiling}(0.69 * p) = \text{ceiling}(0.69 * 31) = \text{ceiling}(21.39) = 22$

number of second-level tree blocks $b_2 = \text{ceiling}(b_1 / fo) = \text{ceiling}(143/22) = 7$ blocks

number of third-level tree blocks $b_3 = \text{ceiling}(b_2 / fo) = \text{ceiling}(7/22) = 1$

Since the third level has only one block, the tree has $x = 3$ levels (counting the leaf level). Note: We could use the formula:

$x = \text{ceiling}(\log_{fo}(b_1)) + 1 = \text{ceiling}(\log_{22} 143) + 1 = 2 + 1 = 3$ levels

(iv) the total number of blocks required by the B+ tree; and

A)

total number of blocks for the tree $b_i = b_1 + b_2 + b_3 = 143 + 7 + 1 = 151$ blocks

(v) the number of block accesses needed to search for and retrieve a record from the file --given its SSN value-- using the B+ tree.

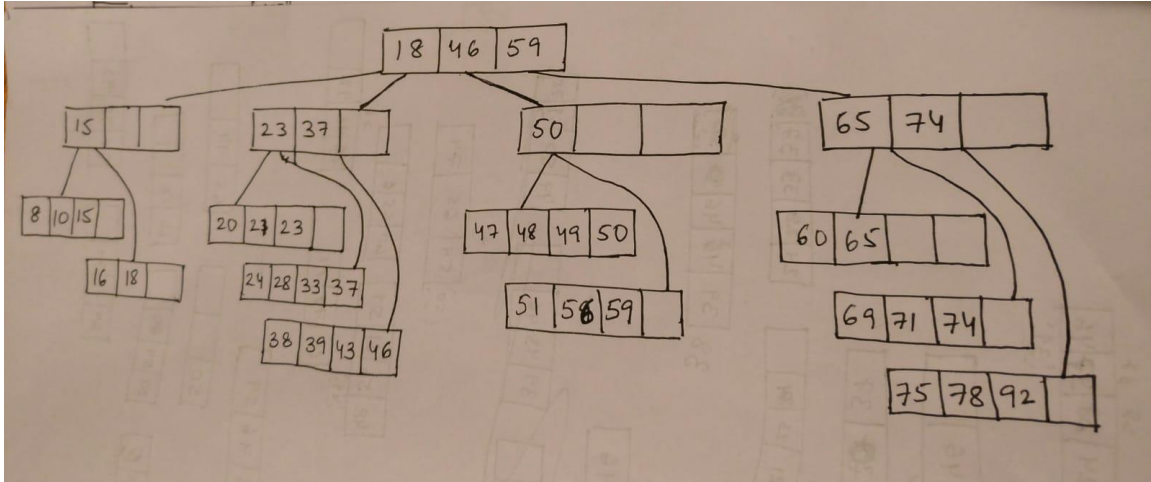
A)

number of block accesses to search for a record $= x + 1 = 3 + 1 = 4$

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2. A PARTS file with Part# as key field includes records with the following Part# values: 23, 65, 37, 60, 46, 92, 48, 71, 56, 59, 18, 21, 10, 74, 78, 15, 16, 20, 24, 28, 39, 43, 47, 50, 69, 75, 8, 49, 33, 38. Suppose the search field values are inserted in the given order in a B+ tree of order $p=4$ and $p\text{-leaf}=4$; show how the final tree looks like. **(20 points)**

a)



3. Optimize the following SQL query on the Company Database to find names of employees earning over \$80,000 per year, names of projects in which they work more than 30 hours, where the project is in Chicago and the manager of the project's controlling department started after January 1, 2009.

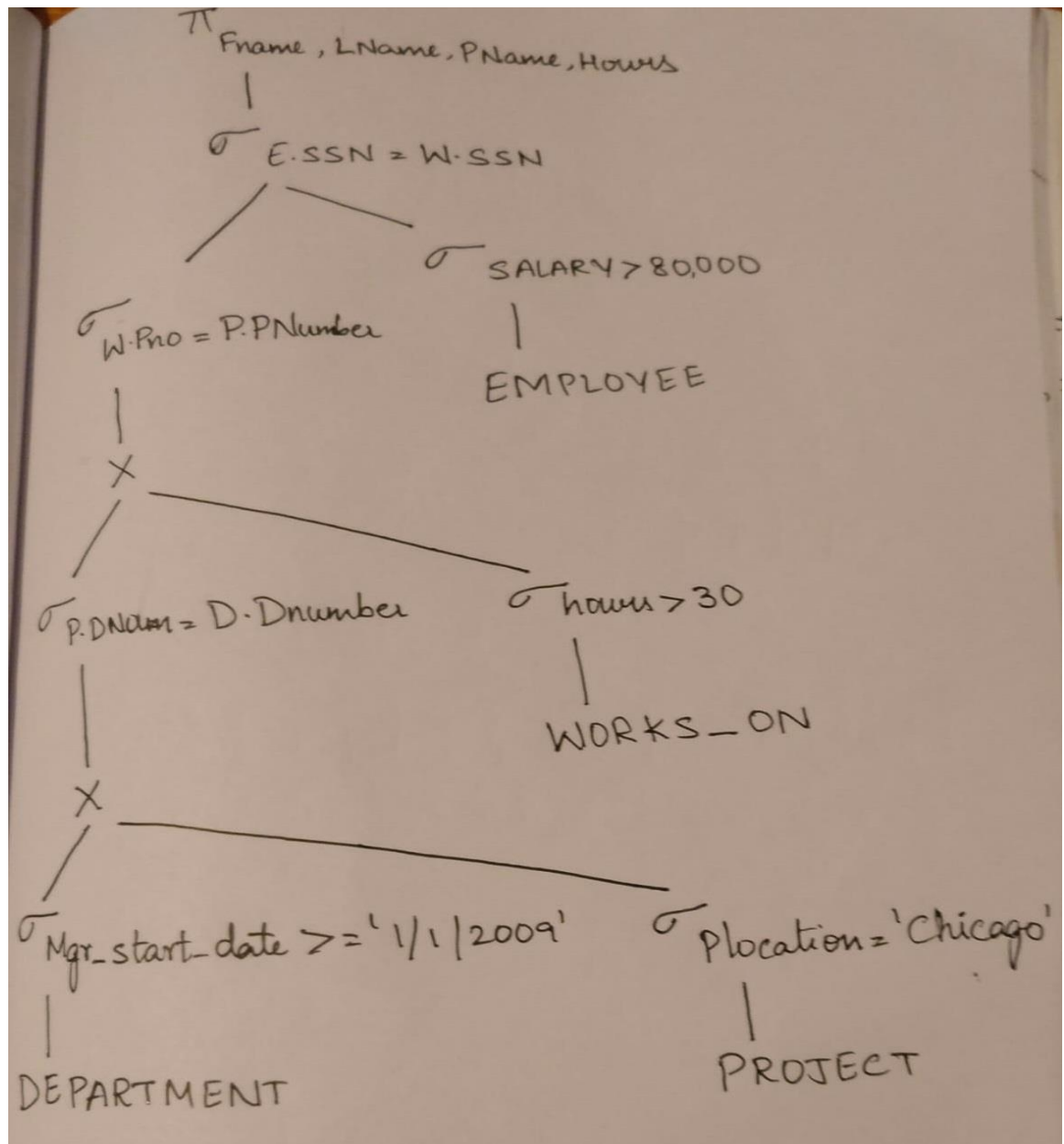
Show the final query tree. **(10 points)**

A) Optimized query:

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Select E.Lname, E.Fname, P.Pname, W.Hours
From   Project P, Employee E, Department D, Works_on W
Where  E.Ssn = W.Essn
       and P.Dnum = D.Dnumber
       and W.Pno = P.Pnumber
       and P.Plocation = 'Chicago'
       and W.Hours > 30
       and E.Salary > 80000
       and D.Mgr_start_date >= '1/1/2009'
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Query Tree:



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