

## CMPE 138/180-38 REVIEW

### MIDTERM EXAM

- Database approach
  - characteristics
  - advantages
- Data model
  - why
  - what
- Database design or data model steps
- Data independence
  - logical
  - physical
- ER diagram
  - notations
  - Entity, weak entity
  - Attribute
    - Composite
    - Derived
    - Single-values/Multi-values
  - Key, partial key
  - Relationship, identifying relationship
    - 1:1, 1:N, M:N
    - Recursive relationship
    - binary relationship, ternary relationship, etc.
  - Structural constraints
    - Cardinality ratio
    - (min, max)
    - Participation
  - UML
  - Relationship vs. operation
- Enhanced ER Diagram
  - Inheritance, superclass, subclass
  - Specialization
    - why
    - benefits
    - completeness: total/partial
    - disjointness/overlapping
  - Generalization
  - Specialization lattice
    - Single/multiple inheritance
  - Union or category
    - Vs. shared subclass

- Relational model
  - Domain
  - Attribute
  - Tuple
  - Relation
  - NULL
  - Constraints
    - Domain
    - Key: superkey, key, candidate key, primary key
    - Integrity
      - Entity IC: PK cannot be NULL
      - Referential IC
        - Foreign key
          - ON UPDATE CASCADE...
          - ON UPDATE CASCADE ...
    - Insert/update/delete vs. various constraints
  - OLTP vs OLAP
- SQL queries
  - Schema
  - Catalog
  - DDL: create, alter, drop
  - Table
    - Column
      - Data type
      - Nullability
      - Default
      - Check
    - Primary key
    - Foreign key
      - ON UPDATE CASCADE...
      - ON DELETE CASCADE...
    - Unique
  - SELECT
    - DISTINCT
    - SELECT ... FROM ... WHERE ... GROUP BY ... HAVING ... ORDER BY ...
    - JOIN: inner join, left/right/full outer join
    - UNION, INTERSECT, EXCEPT
    - LIKE, wild card characters \_ and %
    - BETWEEN
    - IN
    - EXISTS
    - =
  - INSERT/UPDATE/DELETE

- NULL
  - IS NULL, IS NOT NULL
  - Three-value logic
- Nested query
  - Correlated nested query
- Aggregation function
  - COUNT, MAX, MIN, SUM, AVG
  - include/exclude NULL
- Trigger
- View
  - vs. base table
- SQL query exercises
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  - 07sql\_exercises

### **FINAL EXAM (also review MIDTERM EXAM section + SQL queries)**

- Relational Algebra
  - Relational algebra vs. relational calculus
  - Relational algebra operators
    - SELECT
    - PROJECT
    - JOIN, NATURE JOIN, EQUIJOIN, OUTER JOIN
    - UNION
    - INTERSECTION
    - DIFFERENCE
    - CARTESIAN PRODUCT
    - DIVISION
    - aggregation function, grouping
  - SQL query <-> Relational algebra
- ER-to-Relational Mapping
  - Regular Entity Types
  - Weak Entity Types
  - Binary 1:1 Relationship Types
  - Binary 1:N Relationship Types
  - Binary M:N Relationship Types
  - Multivalued Attributes
  - N-ary Relationship Types
  - Specialization or Generalization
  - Multilevel Specialization Hierarchy or Lattice
  - Union Types (Categories)
- Functional Dependencies and Normalization

- Informal Design Guidelines
- Functional Dependencies (FD)
- Inference Rules for FD
- Goals of normalization
  - Remove duplication
  - Minimize redundancy
  - Minimize update anomalies
- Decomposition
  - Nonadditive join or lossless join property: must
  - Dependency preservation property: desirable
- Superkey vs key vs candidate key vs primary key
- Normalization test for each normal form
- PK-based normalization
  - 1NF
  - 2NF
  - 3NF
- General definition
  - 2NF
  - 3NF
  - BCNF
- 4NF
- 5NF
- Transaction
  - Why concurrency control
  - Transaction definition
  - Transaction state
  - Transaction log
  - Recovery
  - ACID
  - Schedule
  - Conflict operation
  - Based on recovery
    - Recoverable
    - Cascadeless
    - Strict
  - Serial schedule vs serializable schedule
  - Serializable schedule
    - Conflict equivalent
      - Test: precedence graph
    - View equivalent
  - Transaction isolation level
- Concurrency Control
  - why

- Binary lock
- Read/write lock
- Two-phase lock (2PL)
  - Serializable
- Deadlock
  - Definition
  - Prevention
  - detection
- Starvation
- Timestamp Ordering
- Pros and cons for each mechanism