

## Recommended page for Entity Dictionary and Relationship Dictionary

### ENTITY DICTIONARY

Entity: Airplane  
Description: An aeroplane  
Attribute: Flight Number, INT  
Attribute: Type VARCHAR(120)  
Primary Key: Flight Number

Entity: Business Class  
Description: The middle range of seating on the flight  
Attribute: Credit Card Offer, VARCHAR(120)  
Primary Key: Passport, subclass of Traveller

Entity: Economy Class  
Description: The low range of seating on the flight  
Attribute: Pretzels, Boolean  
Primary Key: Passport, subclass of Traveller

Entity: First Class  
Description: The high range of seating on the flight  
Attribute: Beverage, Boolean  
Primary Key: Passport, from superclass Traveller

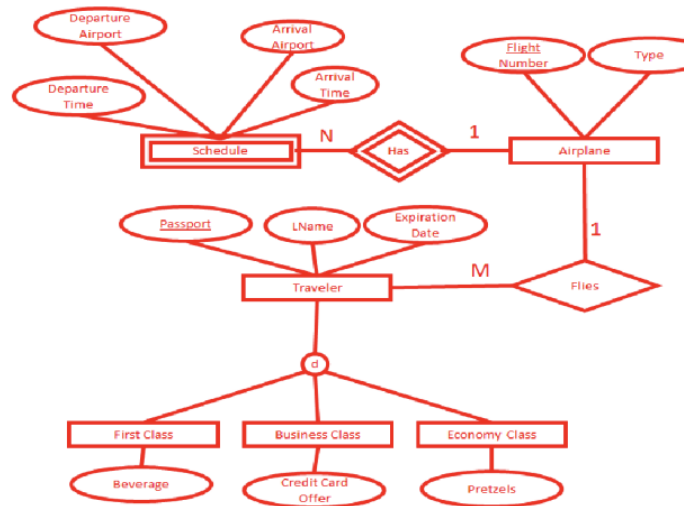
Entity: Schedule  
Description: A record of the time and place of the flight  
Attribute: Arrival Airport, VARCHAR(3)  
Attribute: Arrival Time, TIME  
Attribute: Departure Airport, VARCHAR(3)  
Attribute: Departure Time, TIME  
Primary Key: Weak entity of Flight, 1-to-N cardinality, uses Airplane Flight Number. (Migh

### RELATIONSHIP DICTIONARY

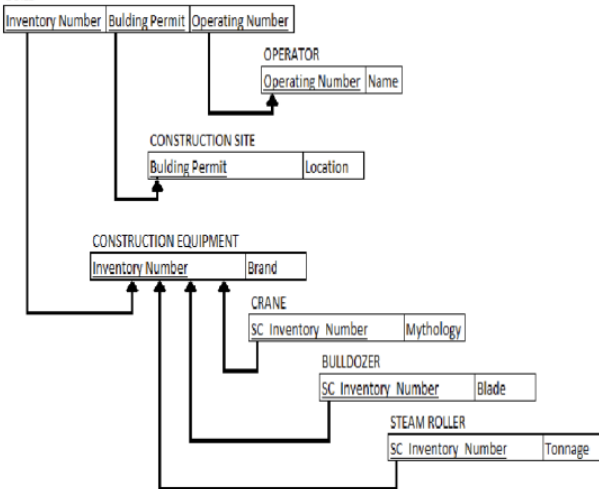
Relationship: Flies  
Description: A traveller flies on an airplane  
Entities: Airplane, Traveller  
Participation: Airplane, Partial to Traveller, Partial (Planes can fly without travellers, trav  
Cardinality: Airplane, 1 to Traveller, Many

Relationship: Has  
Description: An airplane has a schedule for multiple flights  
Entities: Airplane, Schedule  
Participation: Airplane, partial to Schedule, Total  
Cardinality: Airplane, 1 to Schedule, Many

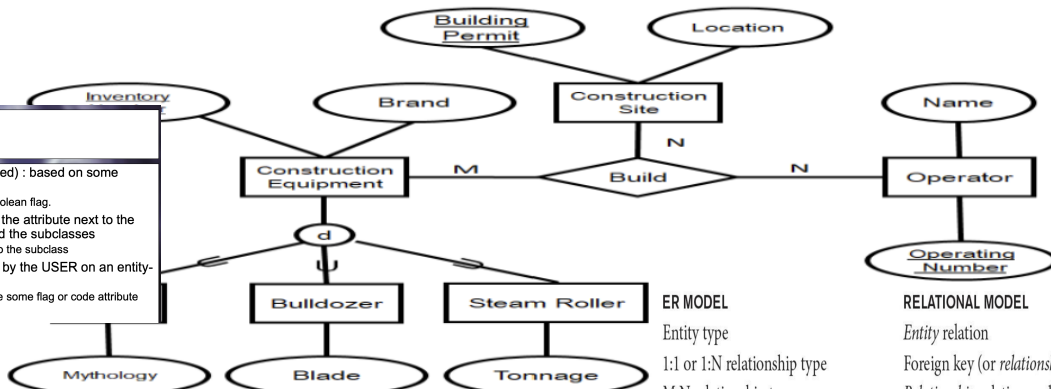
## Recommended page for EER Diagram



## BUILD

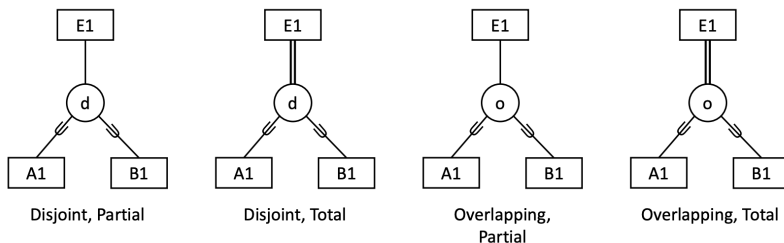


## Enhanced Entity Relationship Diagram



## Specialization: Types

- Predicate-defined (or condition-defined): based on some predicate.
- The value stored is in a range or is a Boolean flag.
- Attribute-defined: shows the name of the attribute next to the line drawn from the superclass toward the subclasses
- The value is an attribute that is unique to the subclass
- User-defined: membership is defined by the USER on an entity-by-entity basis
- Oh, dear. The design will have to include some flag or code attribute the human being's preference.



## Schema Dictionary

**BUILD**  
Primary Key: Inventory\_Number, Building\_Permit, Operating\_Number  
Foreign Key: Inventory\_Number references Construction Equipment.Inventory Number  
Foreign Key: Building\_Permit references Construction Site.Building Permit  
Foreign Key: Operating\_Number references Operator.Operating\_Number

**BULLDOZER**  
Primary Key: SC\_Inventory\_Number  
Foreign Key: SC\_Inventory\_Number references Construction Equipment.Inventory Number

**CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT**  
Primary Key: Inventory\_Number

**CRANE**  
Primary Key: SC\_Inventory\_Number  
Foreign Key: Inventory Number references Construction Equipment.Inventory Number

**OPERATOR**  
Primary Key: Operating\_Number

**STEAM ROLLER**  
Primary Key: SC\_Inventory\_Number  
Foreign Key: Inventory Number references Construction Equipment.Inventory Number

## ER MODEL

Entity type  
1:1 or 1:N relationship type  
M:N relationship type  
n-ary relationship type  
Simple attribute  
Composite attribute  
Multivalued attribute  
Value set  
Key attribute

## RELATIONAL MODEL

Entity relation  
Foreign key (or relationship relation)  
Relationship relation and two foreign keys  
Relationship relation and n foreign keys  
Attribute  
Set of simple component attributes  
Relation and foreign key  
Domain  
Primary (or secondary) key

**Databases are Boring:** **Database:** Standardized structured files for easier data handling. **DBMS:** System with built-in commands to manipulate data. No custom code needed. **NoSQL:** Stands for "Not Only SQL", but relational databases remain foundational. **DBMS Advantages:** Data integrity and security. Data redundancy control. Concurrent access by multiple users. Data recovery and backup. **NoSQL Types:** Document, Key-Value, Columnar, Graph. **Database Architecture:** **Client-Server:** Client = application using data, Server = database storing data. **Data Levels:** (HIGH) **Logical:** User's perspective, ER Model. (MID) **Representational:** Abstract tables, Relational Schema Model. (low) **Physical:** Focus on hardware, storage, cost, and speed. **Three-Schema Architecture:** **Logical Independence:** Conceptual schema can change without affecting apps or hardware. **Physical Independence:** Hardware changes don't impact the logical layer or apps. **Database States:** The database is dynamic and always changing. Operations focus on the current "snapshot" or "frame" aka instance. **Data Independence:** Changes at one level don't necessitate changes at other levels. Provides flexibility and robustness against changes. **Normal Forms:** **Functional Dependency:** Determines which attributes index others; used to identify keys. **1NF:** Single value per cell. **2NF:** All non-key attributes are fully functionally dependent on the primary key. **3NF:** Attributes are functionally dependent on the primary key, not on other attributes. **BCNF:** Every non-trivial functional dependency has a superkey. **4NF:** No multi-valued dependencies on a candidate key. **5NF:** Every join dependency is implied by candidate keys. **Functional Dependencies:** Key in determining organization of data. Important for achieving normalization. **BCNF vs. 3NF:** BCNF is a stronger form of 3NF, where every non-trivial FD has a superkey. **Join Dependency:** How tables can be decomposed and then naturally rejoined without loss. **Relational Algebra:** **Unary Operations:** **SELECT ( $\sigma$ ):** Filters tuples based on a condition. **PROJECT ( $\pi$ ):** Returns specific attributes. **RENAME ( $\rho$ ):** Changes attribute names. **Set Operations:** **UNION ( $\cup$ ):** Combines two sets. **INTERSECTION ( $\cap$ ):** Returns common elements. **DIFFERENCE ( $-$ ):** Removes shared elements. **CARTESIAN PRODUCT ( $\times$ ):** Creates all possible tuples from two sets. **Difference between FK and FD:** FK (Foreign Key) is a reference from one table to another. FD (Functional Dependency) is an internal reference between two attributes of the same table. **Relational Set Theory:** Operations like UNION and INTERSECTION require "type compatibility" between relations.

a relation looks like a table of values

The data elements in each row represent an instance that correspond to an EER Model's entity or relationship

Each column has a column header that identifies the attribute in that column

#### ER TO SCHEMA MAPPING

1: Regular entities first, with their attributes

2: Weak entities, with their primary key being a part of a superkey with the owning strong entity's primary key.

3: 1-to-1: If one side of the relationship is a total participation, the primary key of the partial participation is copied as an attribute in the total participation side. If both sides are total (onto and one-to-one), merge the two entities into one entity

4: 1-to-M The primary key of the relationship on the 1-side relational table becomes a foreign key in the N-side of the Relationship. Additional relationship attributes can also be moved to the NSide of relational table.

5: When having an M-to-N relationship, create an independent table. This relational table will have two foreign keys that are the primary keys of the two entities in the relationship. Each entry of the table should be a unique superkey made up of the foreign keys. Any attributes, domains, or constraints of the relationship would exist in this relational table.

6: Multivariate attributes: • The table has the primary key of the owning entity as a foreign key • The primary key of the relational table is the superkey of the foreign key and the attributes.

7: Reference arrows go FROM foreign key TO Primary Key

8: N-ary relationships: Create a new relational table with a foreign key for each entity n the N-ary relationship. The primary key of the relational table is the superkey of the foreign keys. Any additional attributes of the relationship would also be in this relational table.

9: Specializations: 8a) Create a relation table for the superclass that includes all the components (attributes, domains, constraints). • For each subclass, have another table with the remaining attributes with a matching primary key 8b) Create a different relational table for each subclass. • The participation must be total. • And no case of an independent superclass exists. 8c) • The subclass has only one attribute different than the superclass. • Create a relation table for the superclass that includes all the components (attributes, domains, constraints) of all the subclasses. • The attribute can be checked to find the subclass type. 8d) • Create a relational table for the superclass that includes all the components (attributes, domains, constraints) of all the subclasses. • Include an additional Boolean flag for each kind of subclass in the model. • This flag is set true for the subclass. • Good for Overlapping.

• If a subclass cannot have a shared role with any other subclass, the specialization is called disjoint

• If a subclasses can have shared roles with any other subclass, the specialization is called overlapping,

