

MOTIVATION

LOGICAL DATABASE DESIGN AND RELATIONAL MODEL

Module 4

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TODAY'S OBJECTIVES

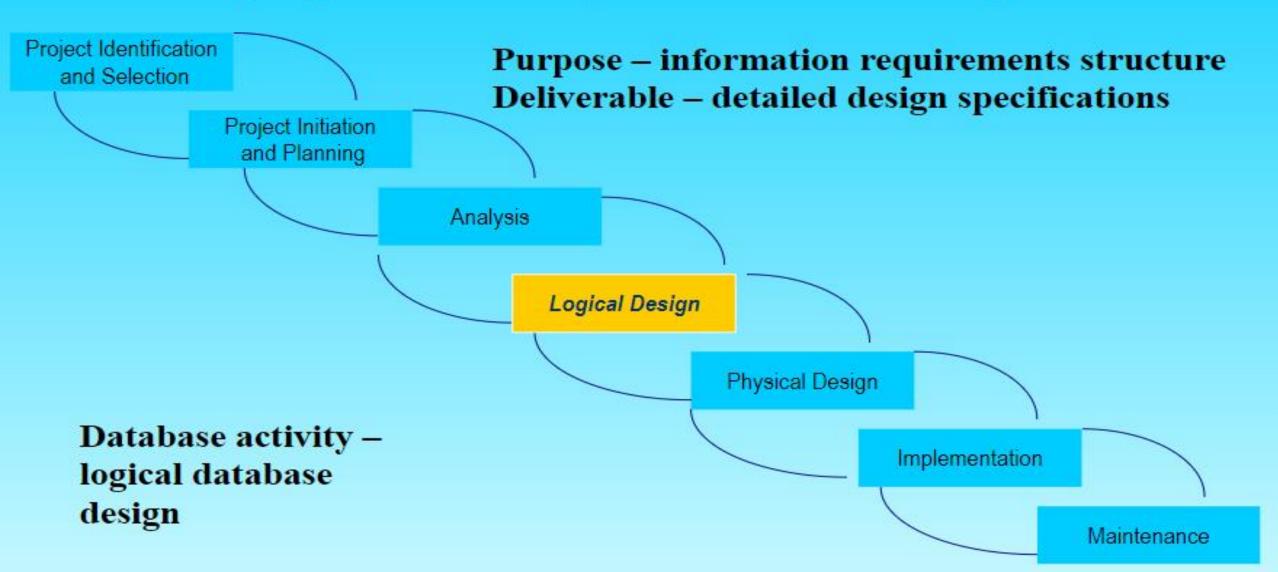
At the end of this lesson, the students must have:

 Analysed and identified entities, properties, keys, relationships, normalization, and cardinalities based on problems

Produced relational schema on a given problem

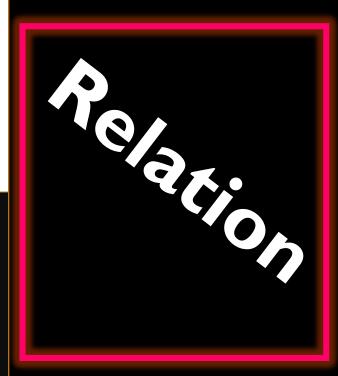
 Mapped ER or EER model to relational schema

The Physical Design Stage of SDLC (Figures 2-4, 2-5 revisited)



- Definition: A <u>relation</u> is a named, two-dimensional table of data
 - Table consists of rows (records), and columns (attribute or field)
 - Requirements for a table to qualify as a relation:
 - It must have a unique name
 - Every attribute value <u>must be atomic</u> (not multivalued, not composite
 - Every row must be unique (can't have two rows with exactly the same values for all their fields
 - Attributes (columns) in tables must have unique names
 - The <u>order of the columns and rows must be</u> <u>irrelevant</u>

NOTE: all *relations* are in **1**st **Normal form**



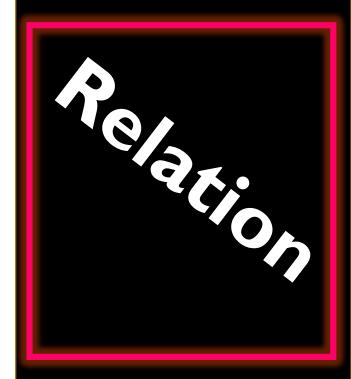


Relational Database Concepts

A <u>relational database</u> is a database whose logical structure is made up of nothing but a collection of relations.

- ✓ is the result of the work of one man—Edgar (E. F.)

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- ✓ In mathematical set theory, a relation is the definition of a table with columns (attributes) and rows (tuples).
- ✓ The word "table" is used synonymously with "relation" in the relational data model. When you include rows of data, you have an instance of a relation.



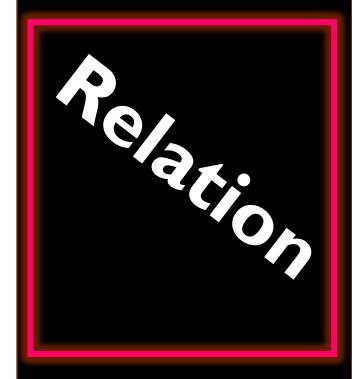
Customer	First Name	Last Name	Phone
Number			
0001	Jane	Doe	(555) 555-1111
0002	John	Doe	(555) 555-2222
0003	Jane	Smith	(555) 555-3333
0004	John	Smith	(555) 555-4444

A simple customer relation

Columns And Column Characteristics

A column in a relation has the following properties:

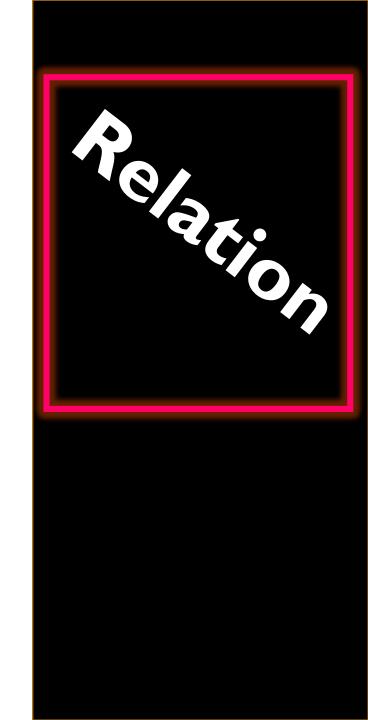
- A <u>name that is unique</u> within the table: Two or more tables within the same relational database schema may have columns with the same names—in fact, as you will see shortly, in some circumstances this is highly desirable—but a single table must have unique column names.
- A <u>domain</u>: The values in a column are drawn from one and only one domain. As a result, relations are said to be column homogeneous.



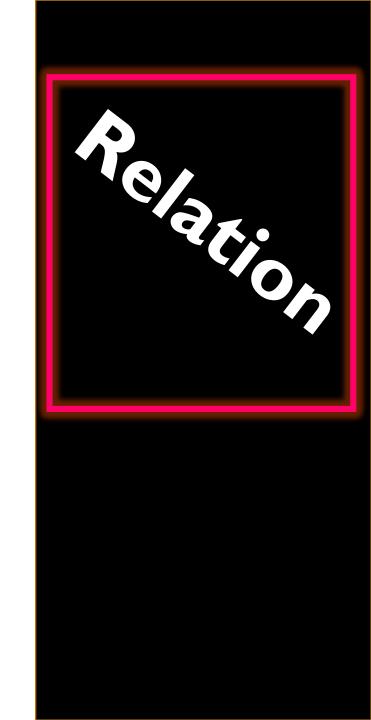
There are **no "positional concepts**." In other words, the columns can be viewed in any order without affecting the meaning of the data.

Rows and Row Characteristics

- In relational design theory, a row in a relation has the following properties:
- Only one value at the intersection of a column and row: A relation does not allow multivalued attributes.



- Uniqueness: There are no duplicate rows in a relation.
- A **primary key**: A primary key is a column or combination of columns with a value that uniquely identifies each row.
- There are **no positional concepts**. The rows can be viewed in any order without affecting the meaning of the data.



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- Relations (tables) correspond with entity types and with many-to-many relationship types
- Rows correspond with entity instances and with many-to-many relationship instances
- Columns correspond with attributes

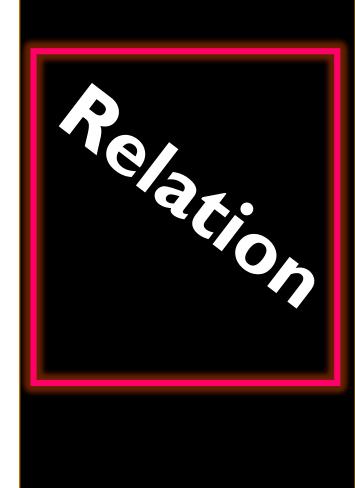
NOTE: The word **relation** (in relational database) is NOT the same as the word **relationship** (in E-R model)



Types of Tables

A relational database works with two types of tables.

- ✓ Base tables are relations that are actually stored in the database. These are the tables that are described by your schema.
- ✓ However, relational operations on tables produce additional tables as their result. Such tables, which exist only in main memory, are known as virtual tables.



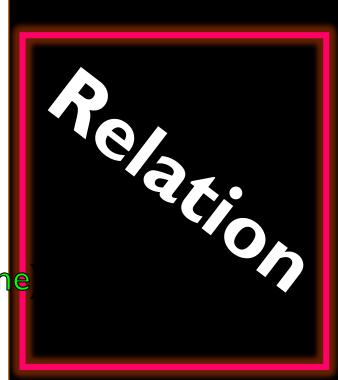
Notation for Relations

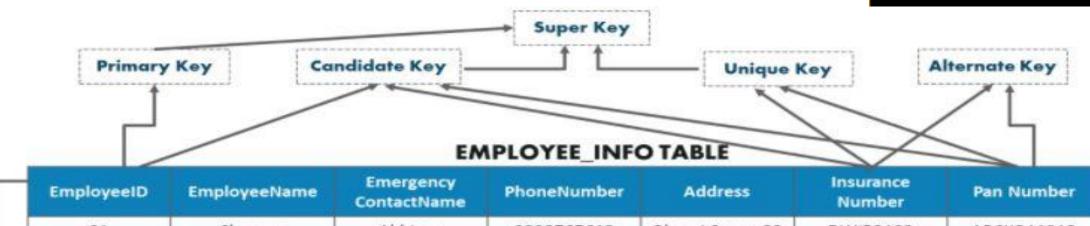
relation_name (primary_key, non_primary_key_column ...)

Example:

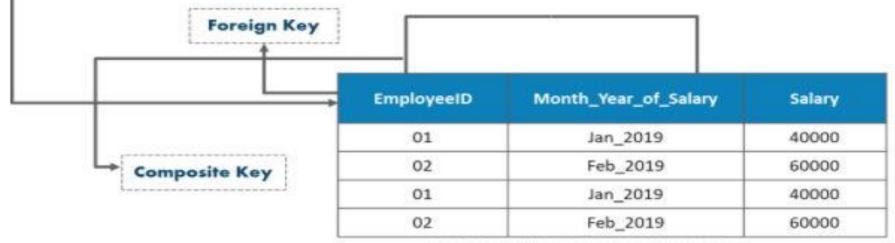
Customer (customer_number, first_name, last_name, phone Products (product_id, product_name, price)

Books (Book id, Title, Description, Num copies)





E	mployeeID	EmployeeName	ContactName	PhoneNumber	Address	Number	Pan Number
	01	Shanaya	Abhinay	9898765612	Oberoi Street 23	DWJB3182	ABCKQ11213
	02	Anay	Soumya	9432156783	Marathalli House No 23	WJBD8271	FEWEF34531
	03	Preeti	Rohan	9764234519	Queens Road 45	SJDN8219	HWKLF21211
	04	Vihaan	Akriti	9966442211	Brigade Road Block 4	XCWK9128	JAEWA92167
	05	Manasa	Shourya	9543176246	Mayo Road 23	NKAS9829	WEBKQ73992



EMPLOYEE_SALARY TABLE

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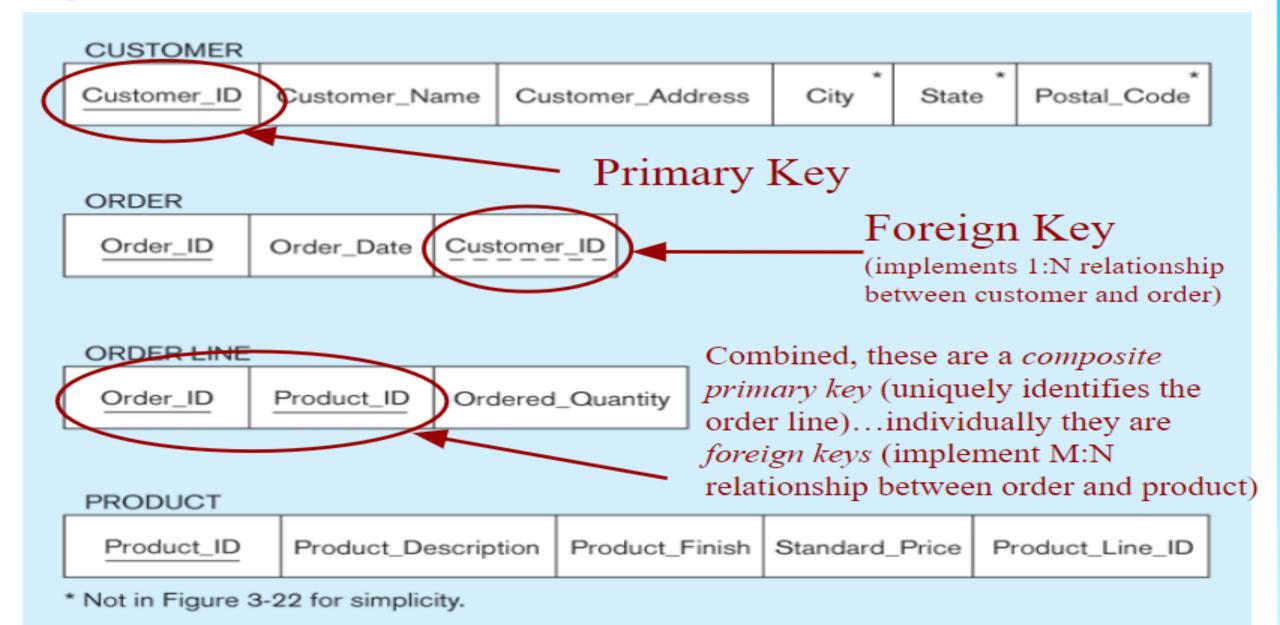
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- Keys are special fields that serve two main purposes:
 - > PRIMARY KEYS are unique identifiers of the relation in question. Examples include employee numbers, social security numbers, etc. This is how we can guarantee that all rows are unique
 - FOREIGN KEYS are identifiers that enable a <u>dependent</u> relation (on the many side of a relationship) to refer to its <u>parent</u> relation (on the one side of the relationship)
- Keys can be **simple** (a single field) or **composite** (more than one field)
- Keys usually are used as indexes to speed up the response to user queries





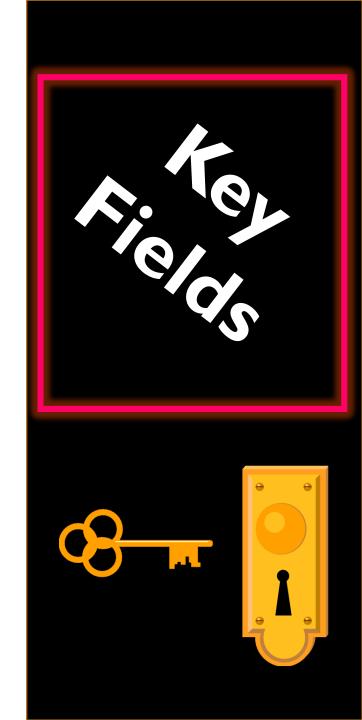
Figure 5-3 Schema for four relations (Pine Valley Furniture Company)



ALTERNATE KEY – Alternate Keys are the candidate keys, which are not chosen as a Primary key. From the above example, the alternate keys are PanNumber and Insurance Number.

UNIQUE KEY – The unique key is similar to the primary key, but allows one NULL value in the column. Here the Insurance Number and the Pan Number can be considered as unique keys.

COMPOSITE KEY – A composite key is a combination of two or more columns that identify each tuple uniquely. Here, the Employee_ID and Month-Year_Of_Salary can be grouped together to uniquely identify every tuple in the table.



- Domain Constraints
 - Allowable values for an attribute.
- Entity Integrity
 - No primary key attribute may be null. All primary key fields MUST have data



ENTITY INTEGRITY

- the mechanism that provides to maintain primary keys.
- it ensures two properties for primary keys:
 - The primary key for a row is unique; it does not match the primary key of any other row in the table.



- The primary key is not null, no component of the primary key may be set to null.
- The uniqueness property ensures that the primary key of each row uniquely identifies it; there are no duplicates. The second property ensures that the primary key has meaning, has a value; no component of the key is missing.
- The system enforces Entity Integrity by not allowing operations (INSERT, UPDATE) to produce an invalid primary key. Any operation that creates a duplicate primary key or one containing nulls is rejected.

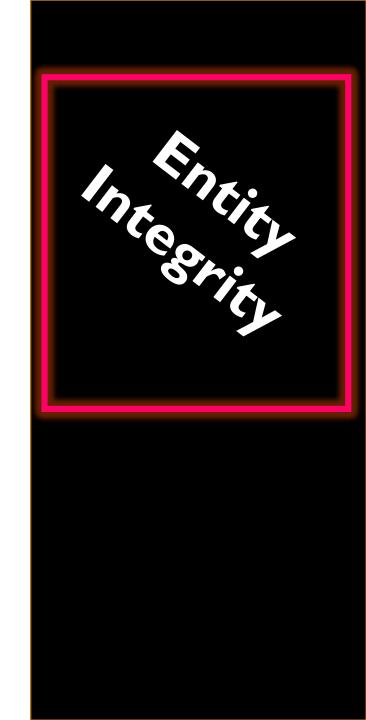


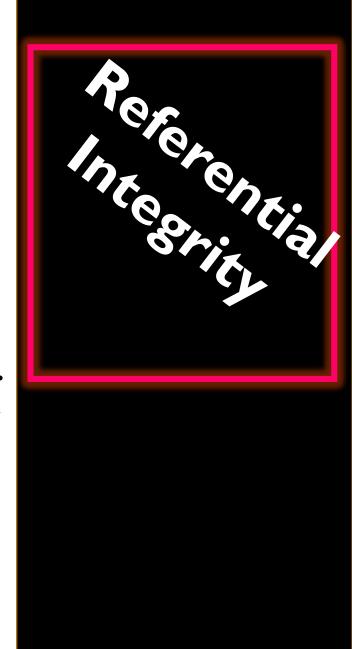
Table 5-1 Domain Definitions for INVOICE Attributes

Attribute	Domain Name	Description	Domain
Customer_ID	Customer_IDs	Set of all possible customer IDs	character: size 5
Customer_Name	Customer_Names	Set of all possible customer names	character: size 25
Customer_Address	Customer_Addresses	Set of all possible customer addresses	character: size 30
City	Cities	Set of all possible cities	character: size 20
State	States	Set of all possible states	character: size 2
Postal_Code	Postal_Codes	Set of all possible postal zip codes	character: size 10
Order_ID	Order_IDs	Set of all possible order IDs	character: size 5
Order_Date	Order_Dates	Set of all possible order dates	date format mm/dd/yy
Product_ID	Product_IDs	Set of all possible product IDs	character: size 5
Product_Description	Product_Descriptions	Set of all possible product descriptions	character size 25
Product_Finish	Product_Finishes	Set of all possible product finishes	character: size 15
Standard_Price	Unit_Prices	Set of all possible unit prices	monetary: 6 digits
Product_Line_ID	Product_Line_IDs	Set of all possible product line IDs	integer: 3 digits
Ordered_Quantity	Quantities	Set of all possible ordered quantities	integer: 3 digits

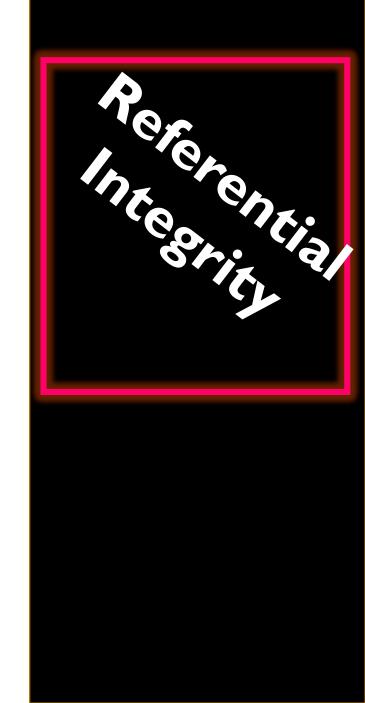
Domain definitions enforce domain integrity constraints

REFERENTIAL INTEGRITY

- Referential Integrity is the mechanism the system provides to maintain foreign keys.
- The definition of a foreign key must specify the table whose primary key is being referenced. Referential Integrity ensures only one property for foreign keys:



- While the Referential Integrity property looks simpler than those for Entity Integrity, the consequences are more complex since both primary and foreign keys are involved. The rule for foreign keys is:
 - No operation (INSERT, UPDATE) can create a non-null foreign key unless a corresponding primary key exists.
 - Any operation that produces a non-null foreign key value without a matching primary key value is rejected. Primary keys are also constrained by Referential Integrity:
 - No operation (UPDATE, DELETE) can remove or change a primary key while a referencing foreign keys exist.



Primary Table

Companyld	CompanyName	
1	Apple	
2	Samsung	



Companyld	ProductId	ProductName	
1	1	iPhone	
15	2	Mustang	

Associated Record 🚽



Orphaned Record X



Here, the related table contains a foreign key value that doesn't exist in the primary key field of the primary table (i.e. the "Companyld" field). This has resulted in an "orphaned record".

Referential Integrity has a rule that states that any foreign key value (on the relation of the many side) MUST match a primary key value in the relation of the one side. (Or the foreign key can be null)

For example: Delete Rules

- Restrict don't allow delete of "parent" side if related rows exist in "dependent" side
- Cascade automatically delete "dependent" side rows that correspond with the "parent" side row to be deleted
- Set-to-Null set the foreign key in the dependent side to null if deleting from the parent side are not allowed for weak entities



Figure 5-5:
Referential integrity constraints (Pine Valley Furniture)

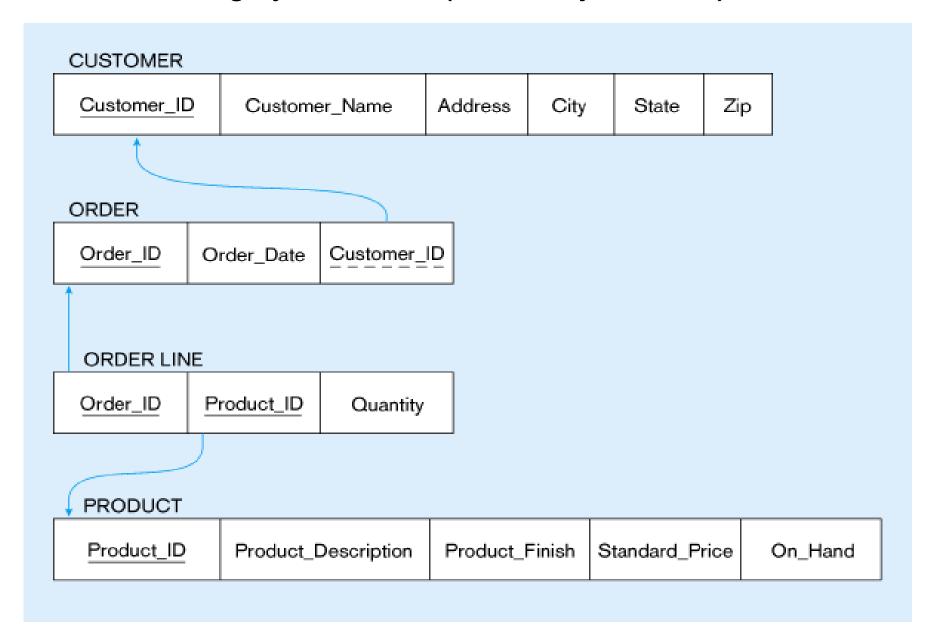




Figure 5-6 SQL table definitions

CREATE TABLE CUSTOMER (CUSTOMER_ID CUSTOMER_NAME CUSTOMER ADDRESS CITY STATE POSTAL_CODE PRIMARY KEY (CUSTOMER_ID);	VARCHAR(5) VARCHAR(25) VARCHAR(30) VARCHAR(20) CHAR(2) CHAR(10)	NOT NULL, NOT NULL,			
CREATE TABLE ORDER (ORDER_ID ORDER DATE CUSTOMER_ID PRIMARY KEY (ORDER_ID), FOREIGN KEY (CUSTOMER_ID) REFEREN	CHAR(5) DATE VARCHAR(5) ICES CUSTOMER (CUS	NOT NULL,			
CREATE TABLE ORDER_LINE (ORDER_ID CHAR(5) NOT NULL, PRODUCT_ID CHAR(5) NOT NULL, ORDERED_QUANTITY INT NOT NULL, PRIMARY KEY (ORDER_ID, PRODUCT_ID), FOREIGN KEY (ORDER_ID) REFERENCES ORDER (ORDER_ID), FOREIGN KEY (PRODUCT_ID) REFERENCES PRODUCT (PRODUCT_ID);					
CREATE TABLE PRODUCT (PRODUCT_ID PRODUCT_DESCRIPTION PRODUCT_FINISH STANDARD_PRICE PRODUCT_LINE_ID PRIMARY KEY (PRODUCT_ID);	CHAR(5) VARCHAR(25), VARCHAR(12), DECIMAL(8,2) INT	NOT NULL, NOT NULL, NOT NULL,			

Referential
integrity
constraints are
implemented
with foreign key
to primary key
references



Mapping Regular Entities to Relations

- **1. Simple attributes**: E-R attributes map directly onto the relation
- **2. Composite attributes**: Use only their simple, component attributes
- **3. Multivalued Attribute** Becomes a separate relation with a foreign key taken from the superior entity

Figure 5-8: Mapping a regular entity

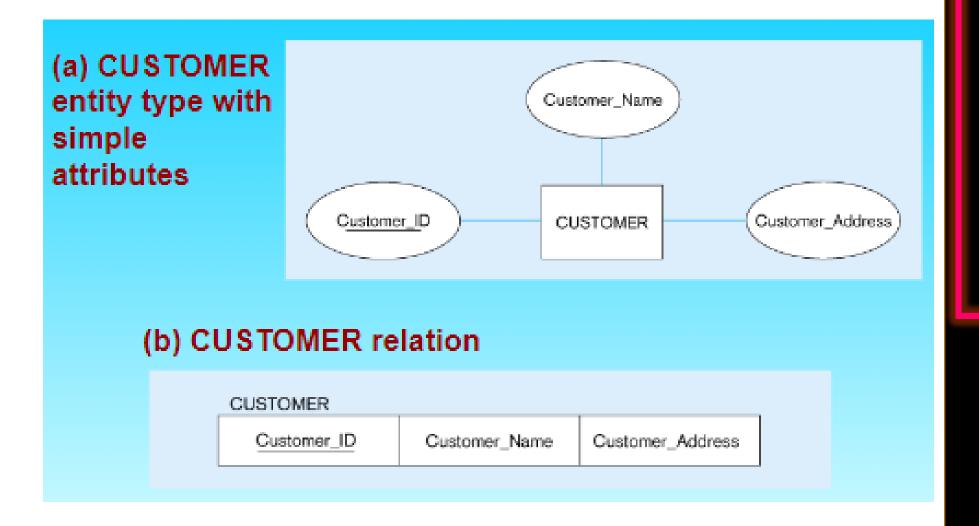


Figure 5-9: Mapping a composite attribute

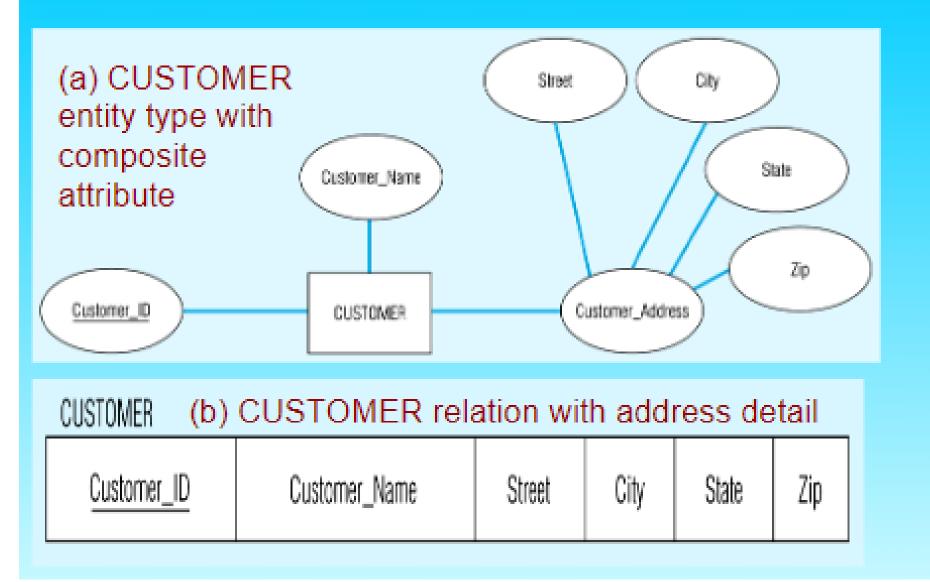
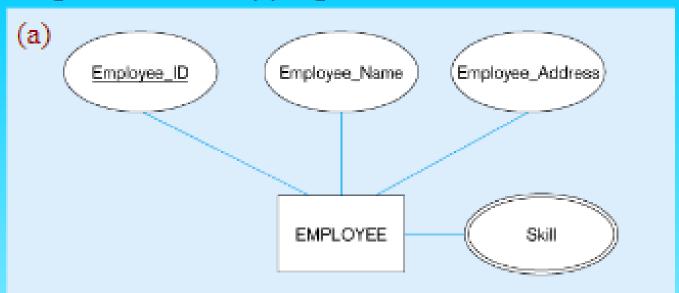
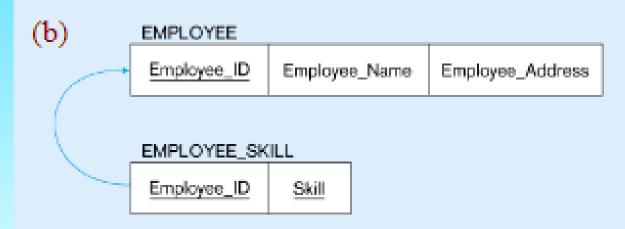


Figure 5-10: Mapping a multivalued attribute



Multivalued attribute becomes a separate relation with foreign key



1-to-many relationship between original entity and new relation

Mapping Weak Entities

- •Becomes a separate relation with a foreign key taken from the superior entity
- Primary key composed of:
 - Partial identifier of weak entity
 - Primary key of identifying relation (strong entity)

Figure 5-11a Example of mapping a weak entity - Weak entity DEPENDENT

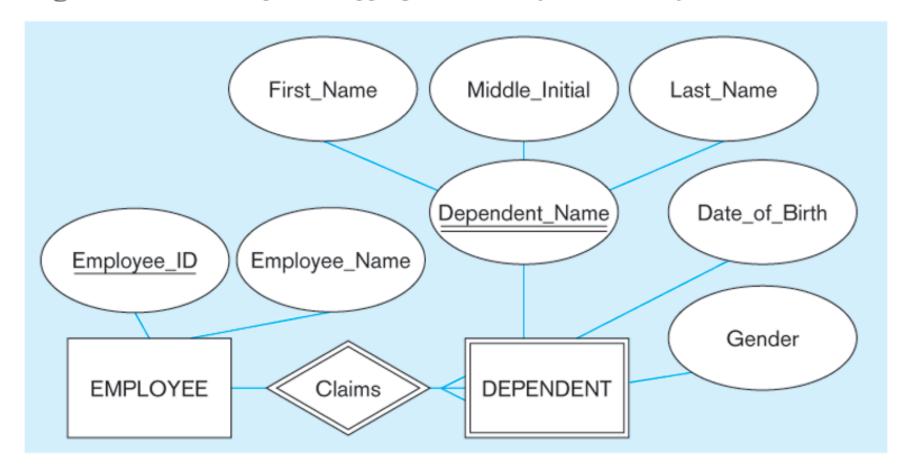
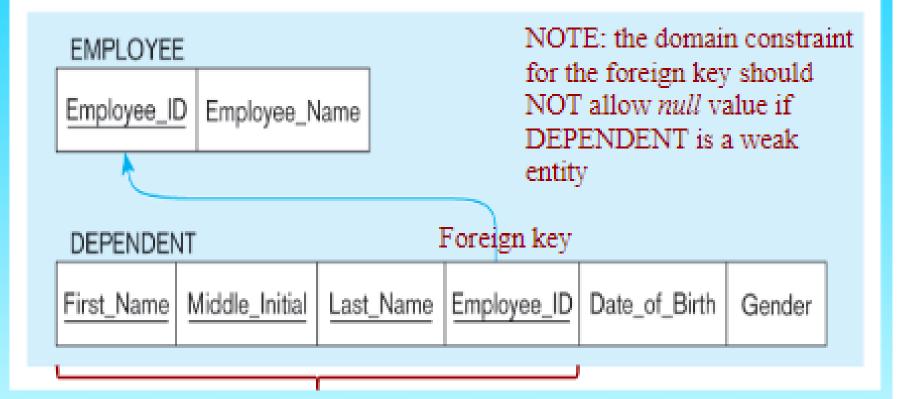


Figure 5-11b Example of mapping a weak entity - Relations resulting from weak entity



Composite primary key

Mapping Binary Relationships

- •One-to-Many Primary key on the one side becomes a foreign key on the many side
- •Many-to-Many Create a *new* relation with the primary keys of the two entities as its primary key
- •One-to-One Primary key on the mandatory side becomes a foreign key on the optional side

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Figure 5-12a: Example of mapping a 1:M relationship Relationship between customers and orders

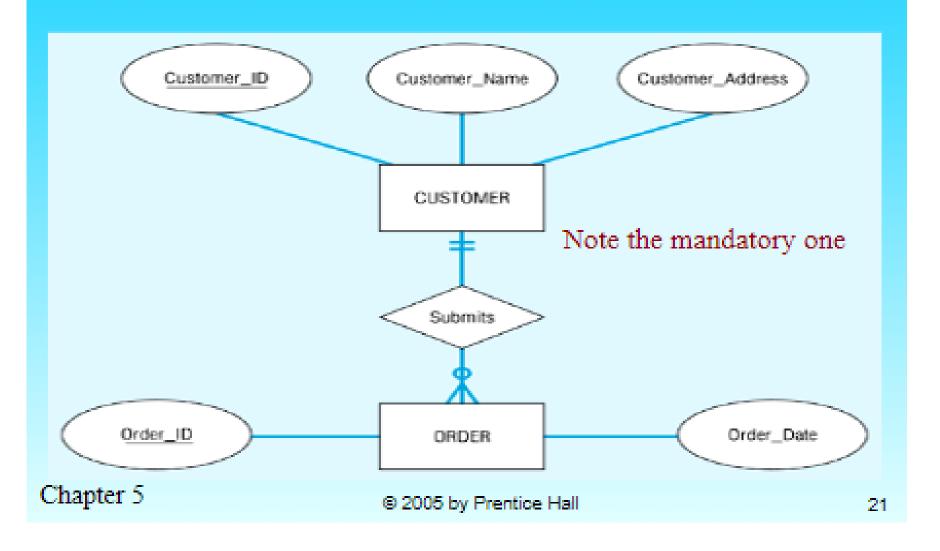
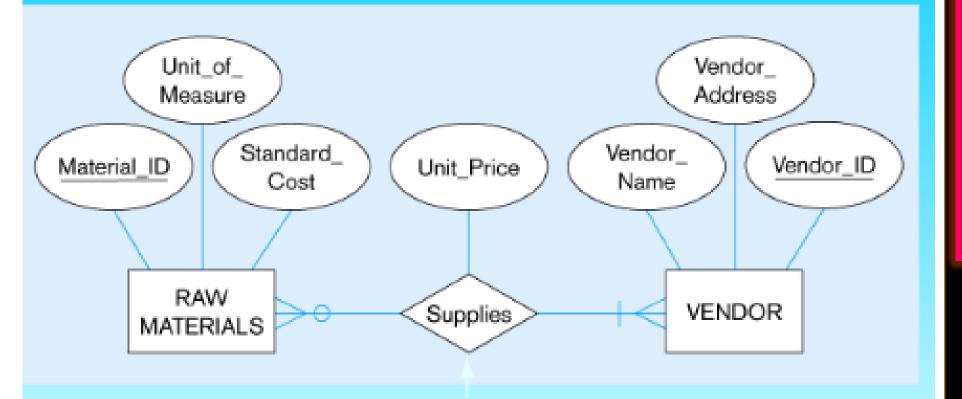


Figure 5-12b Mapping the relationship CUSTOMER Customer_ID Customer_Name Customer_Address Again, no null value in the foreign key...this is because of the mandatory minimum cardinality ORDER Order_ID Order_Date Customer_ID Foreign key

Figure 5-13a: Example of mapping an M:N relationship E-R diagram (M:N)



The Supplies relationship will need to become a separate relation

Figure 5-13b Three resulting relations

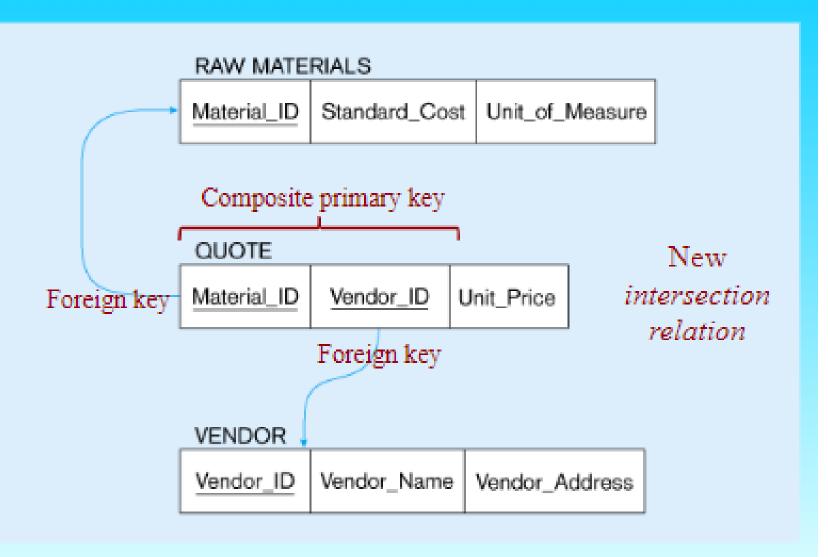


Figure 5-14a: Mapping a binary 1:1 relationship In_charge relationship

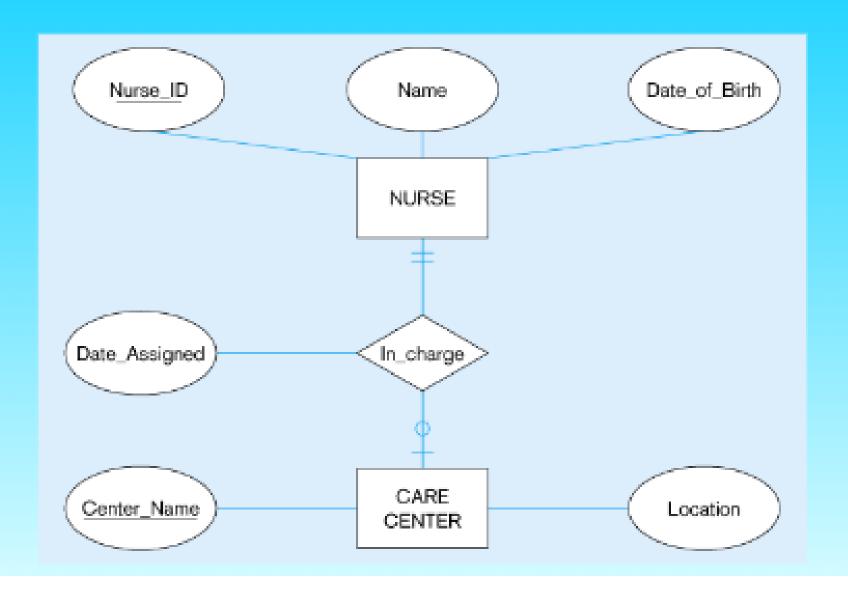
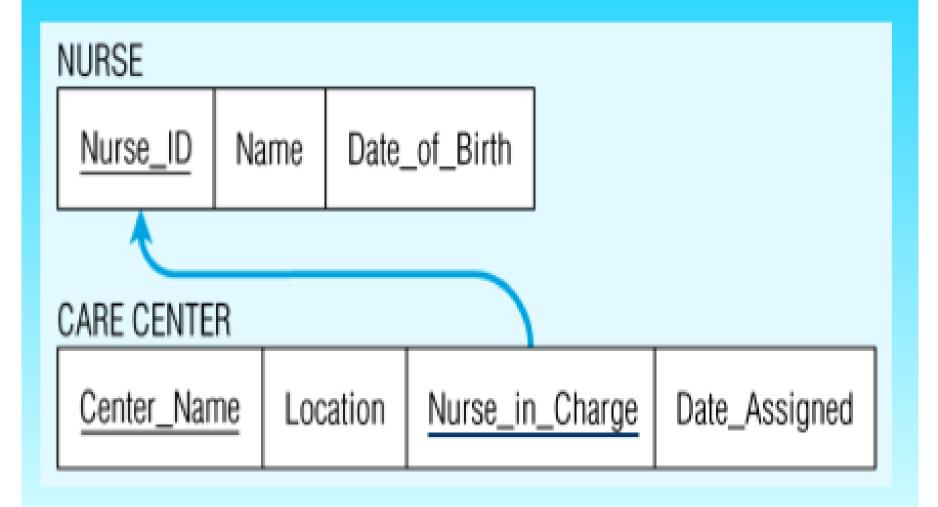


Figure 5-14b Resulting relations



Mapping Associative Entities

Identifier Not Assigned

 Default primary key for the association relation is composed of the primary keys of the two entities (as in M:N relationship)

Identifier Assigned

- It is natural and familiar to end-users
- Default identifier may not be unique

Figure 5-15a Mapping an associative entity - An associative entity

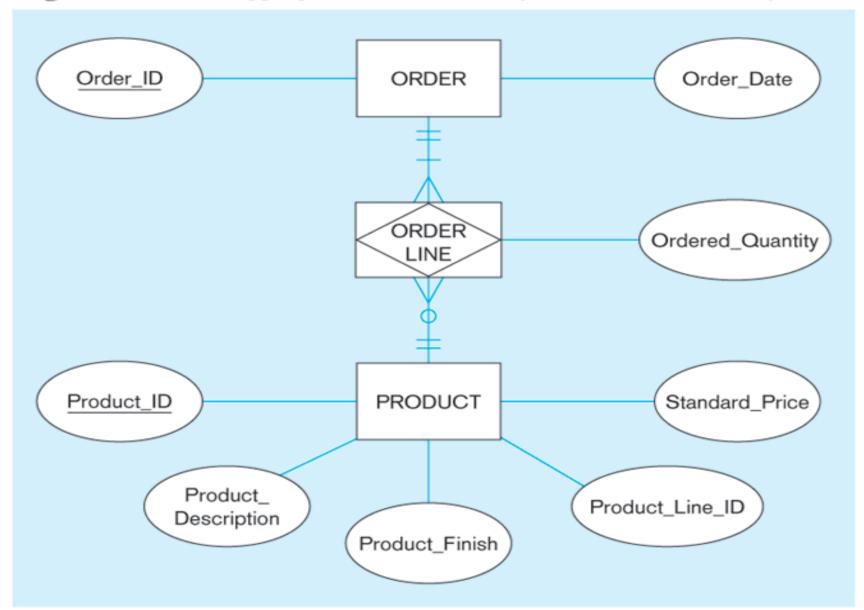


Figure 5-15b Mapping an associative entity - Three resulting relations

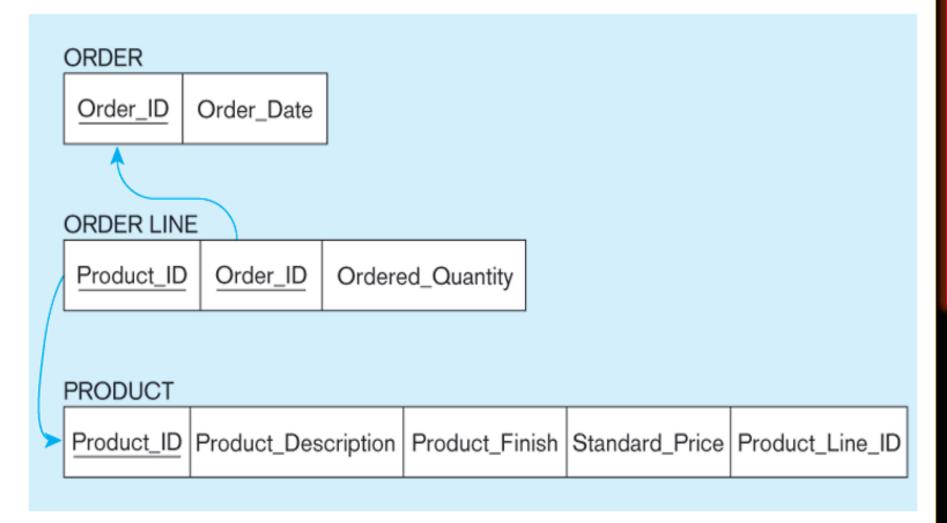


Figure 5-16a: Mapping an associative entity with an identifier Associative entity

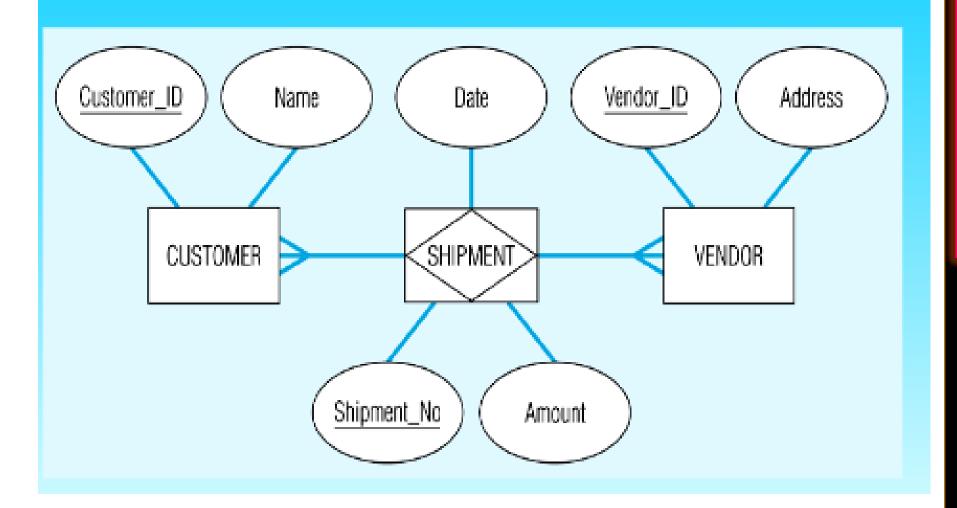
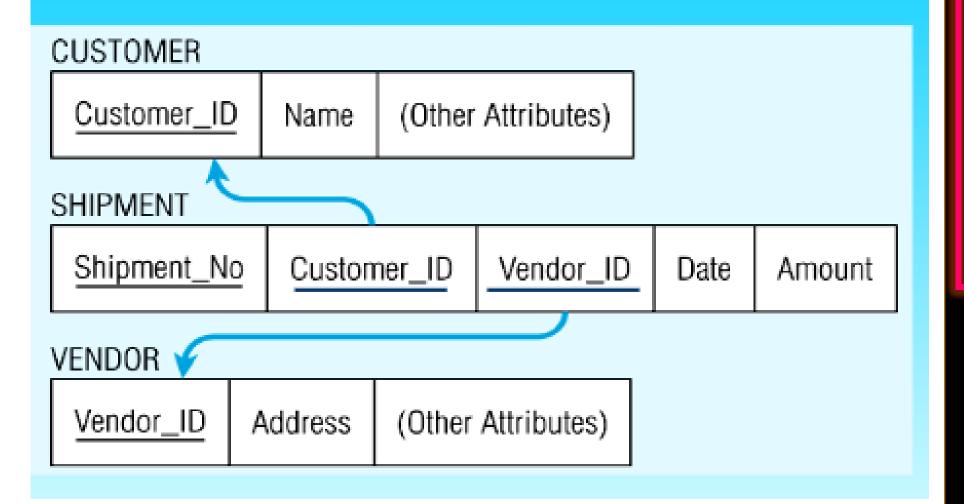


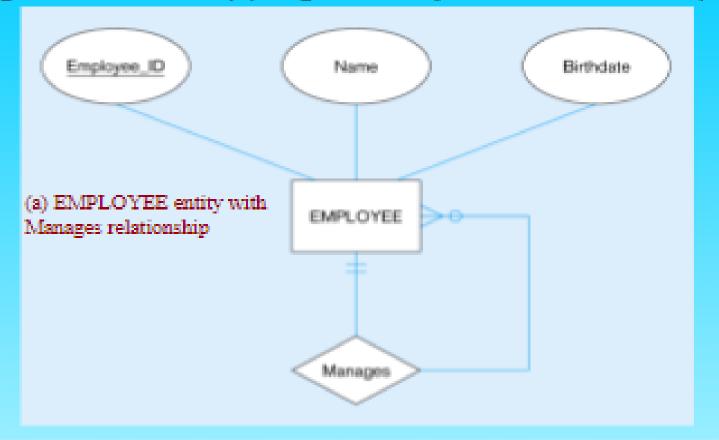
Figure 5-16b Three resulting relations



Mapping Unary Relationships

- One-to-Many Recursive foreign key in the same relation
- •Many-to-Many Two relations:
- One for the entity type
- One for an associative relation in which the primary key has two attributes, both taken from the primary key of the entity

Figure 5-17: Mapping a unary 1:N relationship



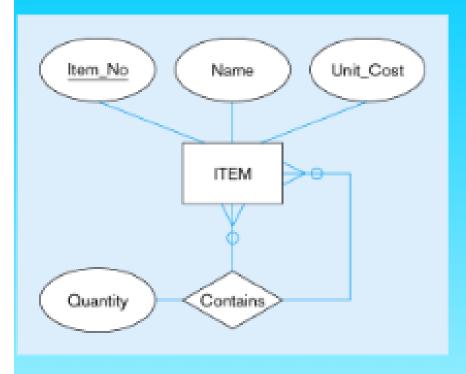
(b) EMPLOYEE relation with recursive foreign key

EMPLOYEE

Employee_ID	Name	Birthdate	Manager_ID
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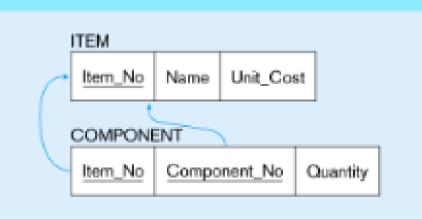
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Figure 5-18: Mapping a unary M:N relationship



(a) Bill-of-materials relationships (M:N)

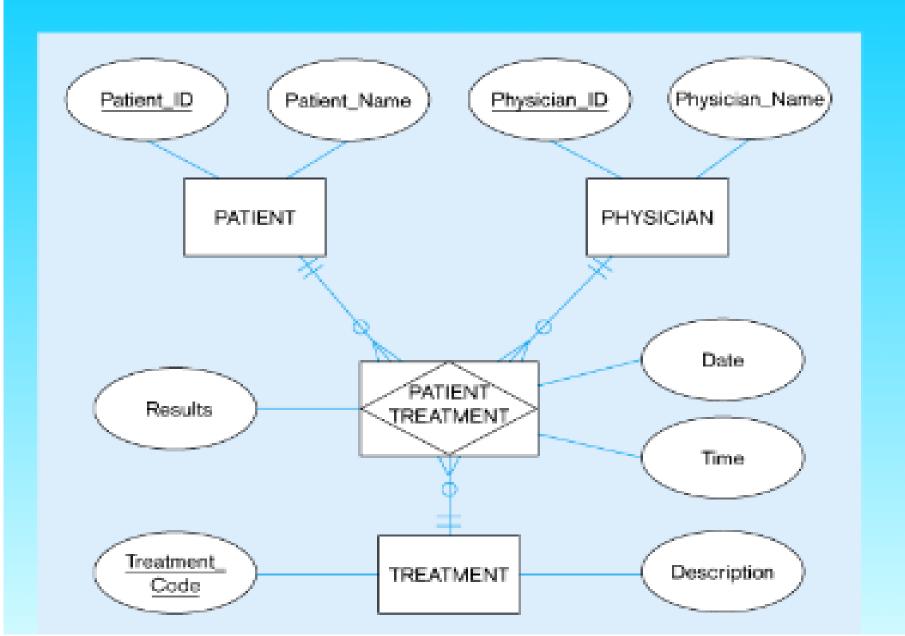
(b) ITEM and COMPONENT relations



Mapping Ternary (and n-ary) Relationships

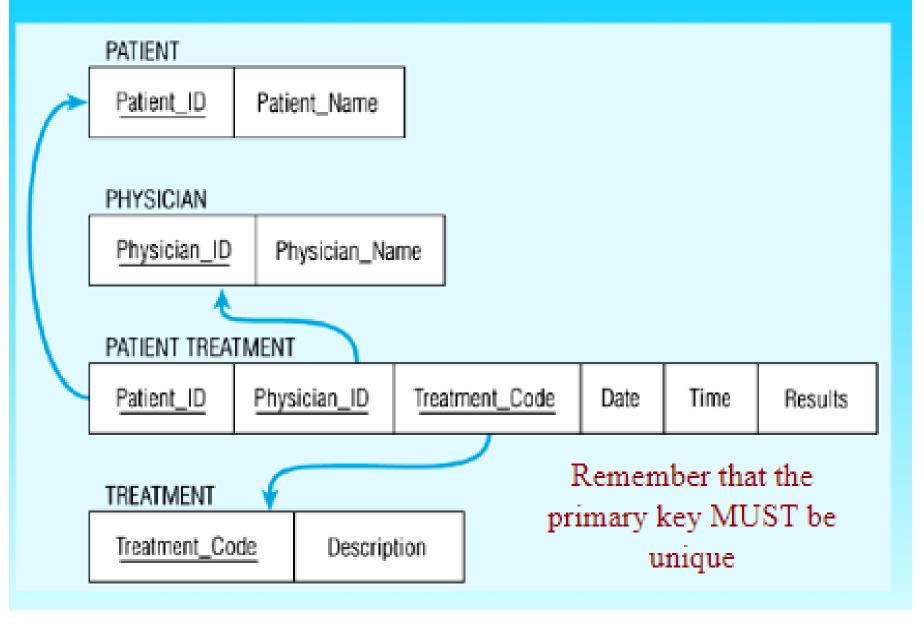
- One relation for each entity and one for the associative entity
- Associative entity has foreign keys to each entity in the relationship

Figure 5-19a: Mapping a ternary relationship Ternary relationship with associative entity



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Figure 5-19b Mapping the ternary relationship



Mapping Supertype/Subtype Relationships

- One relation for supertype and for each subtype
- Supertype attributes (including identifier and subtype discriminator) go into supertype relation
- Subtype attributes go into each subtype; primary key of supertype relation also becomes primary key of subtype relation
- 1:1 relationship established between supertype and each subtype, with supertype as primary table

Figure 5-20: Supertype/subtype relationships

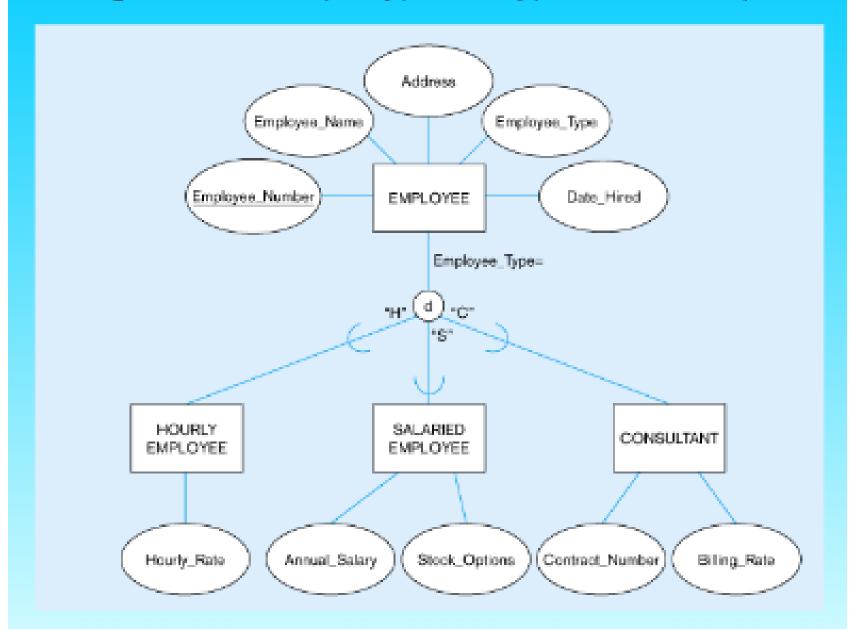
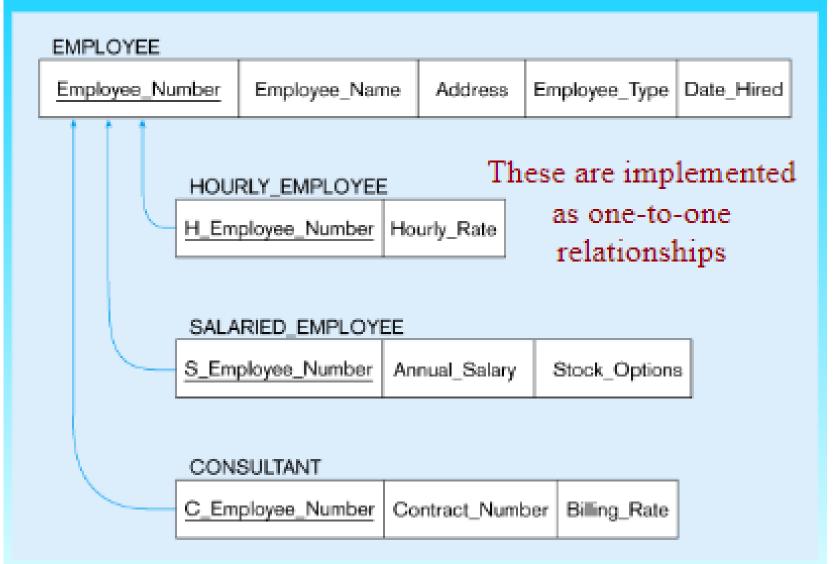


Figure 5-21: Mapping Supertype/subtype relationships to relations



CONVERTING ERM TO RELATIONAL MODEL

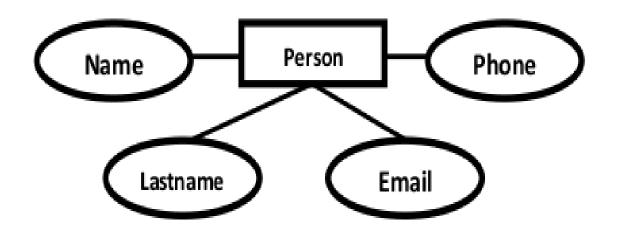
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ER Model, when conceptualized into diagrams, gives a good overview of entity-relationship, which is easier to understand. ER diagrams can be mapped to relational schema, that is, it is possible to create relational schema using ER diagram.

We cannot import all the ER constraints into relational model, but an approximate schema can be generated.

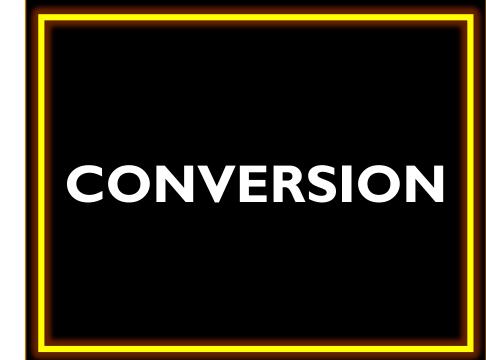
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Mapping #1: Entities and Simple Attributes

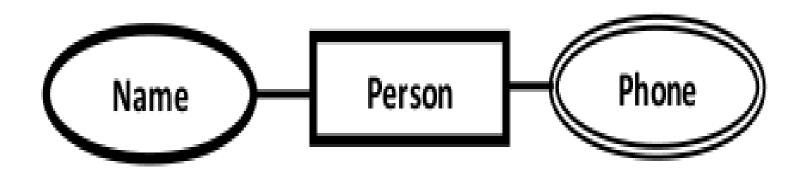


Relational Schema:

Person (*personid*, name, lastname, email, phone)



Mapping #2: Multi-Valued Attributes



Relational Schema:

Person (personid, name)

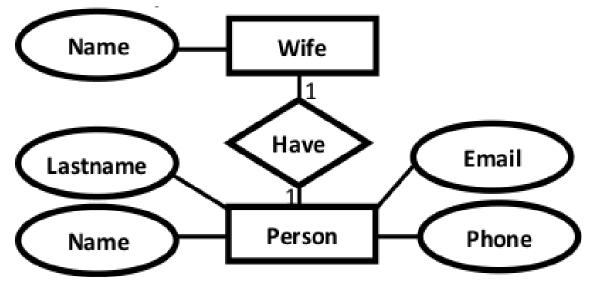
Phone (**phoneid**, personid, phone)



you have a multi-valued attribute, take the attribute and turn it into a new entity or table of its own. Then make a 1:N relationship between the new entity and the existing one. In simple words. 1. Create a table for the attribute. 2. Add the primary (id) column of the parent entity as a foreign key within the new table as shown below:

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Mapping #3: 1:1 Relationship



Relational Schema:

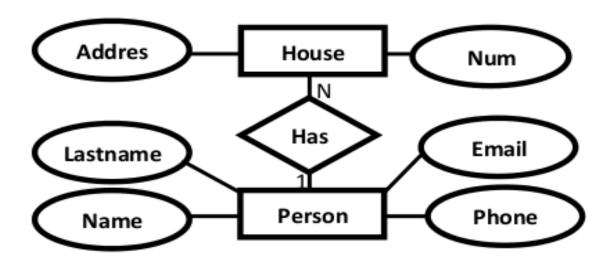
Persons (<u>personid</u> , name, lastname, email, phone, *wifeid*) Wife (<u>wifeid</u> , name)

Or

Persons (<u>personid</u> , name, lastname, email, phone) Wife (<u>wifeid</u> , name, *personid*)

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Mapping #4: 1:N Relationship



Relational Schema:

Person (**personid**, name, lastname, email, phone) House (**house id**, num, address, personid)

Note: Many side contains the foreign key.



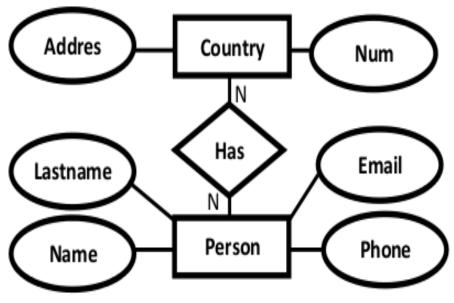
Mapping #5: N:N Relationship

We normally use tables to express such type of relationship. This is the same for N-ary relationship of ER diagrams. For instance, The Person can live or work in many countries. Also, a country can have many people. To express this relationship within a relational schema we use a separate table as shown below:

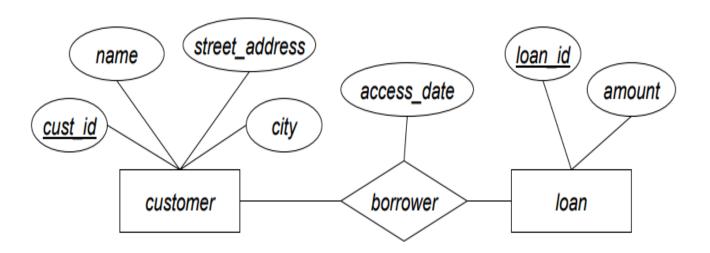
Relational Schema:

Person (<u>personid</u>, name, lastname, email, phone) Country (<u>country id</u>, address, num) HasRela (<u>rela_id</u>, personid, country_id)





Mapping #5: N:N Relationship



Relational Schema:

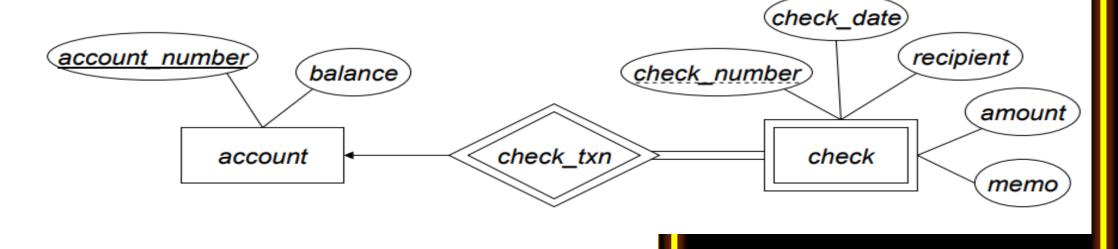
Customer (cust_id, name, street_address, city)

Loan (loan_id, amount)

Borrower (cust_id, loan_id, access_date)



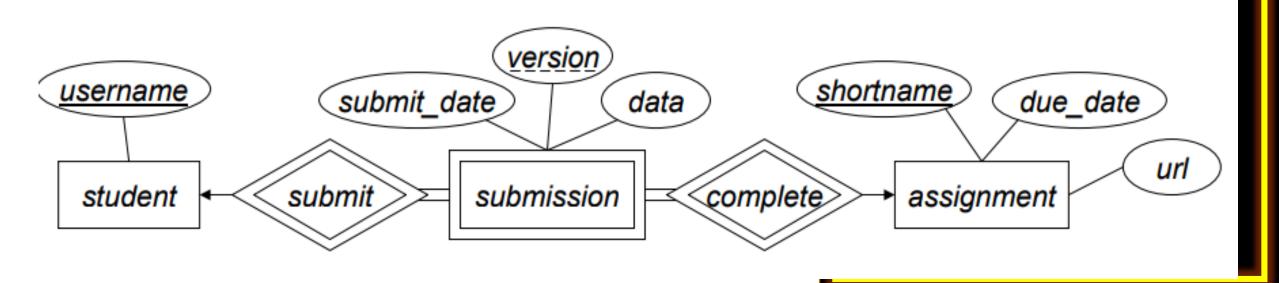
Mapping #6: Relationship including weak entity



Relational Schema:

Account <u>(account number</u>, balance)
Check (<u>account number</u>, check <u>number</u>, check <u>date</u>, receipient, amount, memo)

Mapping #6: Relationship including weak entity



Relational Schema:

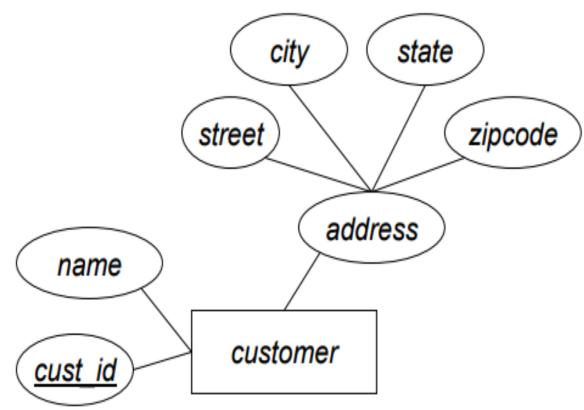
Student (<u>username</u>)

Assignment (shortname, due_date, url)

Submission (<u>username</u>, <u>shortname</u>, <u>version</u>, submit_date,

date)

Mapping #7: Composite Attributes



Relational Schema:

Customer (<u>cust id</u>, name, street, city, state, zipcode)

Data Normalization

- Primarily a tool to validate and improve a logical design so that it satisfies certain constraints that avoid unnecessary duplication of data
- •The process of decomposing relations with anomalies to produce smaller, well-structured relations

DATA Normalization

Well-Structured Relations

A relation that contains minimal data redundancy and allows users to insert, delete, and update rows without causing data inconsistencies

Goal is to avoid anomalies

Insertion Anomaly – adding new rows forces user to create duplicate data

Deletion Anomaly – deleting rows may cause a loss of data that would be needed for other future rows

Modification Anomaly – changing data in a row forces changes to other rows because of duplication

General rule of thumb: a table should not pertain to more than one entity type

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Example – Figure 5.2b

EMPLOYEE2

Emp_ID	Name	Dept_Name	Salary	Course_Title	Date_Completed
100	Margaret Simpson	Marketing	48,000	SPSS	6/19/200X
100	Margaret Simpson	Marketing	48,000	Surveys	10/7/200X
140	Alan Beeton	Accounting	52,000	Tax Acc	12/8/200X
110	Chris Lucero	Info Systems	43,000	SPSS	1/12/200X
110	Chris Lucero	Info Systems	43,000	C++	4/22/200X
190	Lorenzo Davis	Finance	55,000		
150	Susan Martin	Marketing	42,000	SPSS	6/19/200X
150	Susan Martin	Marketing	42,000	Java	8/12/200X

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Is this a relation?

Answer:YES, unique rows and no multivalued attributes

What's the primary key?

Answer: Composite: Emp_ID, Course_Title

Anomalies in this table

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- •Insertion can't enter a new employee without having the employee take a class
- •**Deletion** if we remove employee 140, we lose information about the existence of a Tax Acc class
- •Modification giving a salary increase to employee 100 forces us to update multiple records

Anomalies in this table

EMPLOYEE2 Course Title Date Completed Emp_ID Dept Name Salary Name: 100 Margaret Simpson SPSS 6/19/200X Marketing 48,000 Marketing 100 Margaret Simpson 48,000 Surveys 10/7/200X 140 Alan Beeton Accounting 52,000 Tax Acc 12/8/200X 110 Chris Lucero Info Systems 43.000 SPSS 1/12/200X C++4/22/200X 110 Chris Lucero Info Systems 43.000 Finance: 190 Lorenzo Davis 55,000 Susan Martin SPSS 150 Marketing 42,000 6/19/200X Susan Martin Marketing. 8/12/200X 150 42.000 Java.

Why do these anomalies exist?
Because there are two themes (entity types) into one relation. This results in duplication, and an unnecessary dependency between the entities

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Functional Dependencies and Keys

- •Functional Dependency: The value of one attribute (the *determinant*) determines the value of another attribute
- •Candidate Key:
 - A unique identifier. One of the candidate keys will become the primary key
 - E.g. perhaps there is both credit card number and SS# in a table...in this case both are candidate keys
 - Each non-key field is functionally dependent on every candidate key

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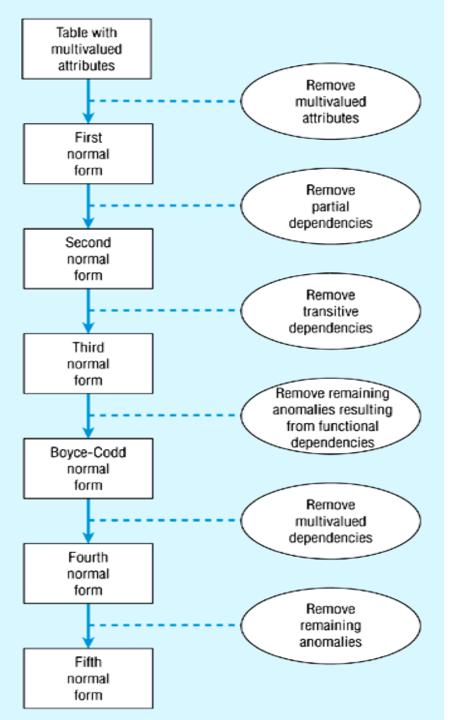


Figure 5.22 -Steps in normalization

- No multivalued attributes
- Every attribute value is atomic
- Fig. 5-25 *is not* in 1st Normal Form (multivalued attributes), it is not a relation
- Fig. 5-26 is in 1st Normal form
- All relations are in 1st Normal Form

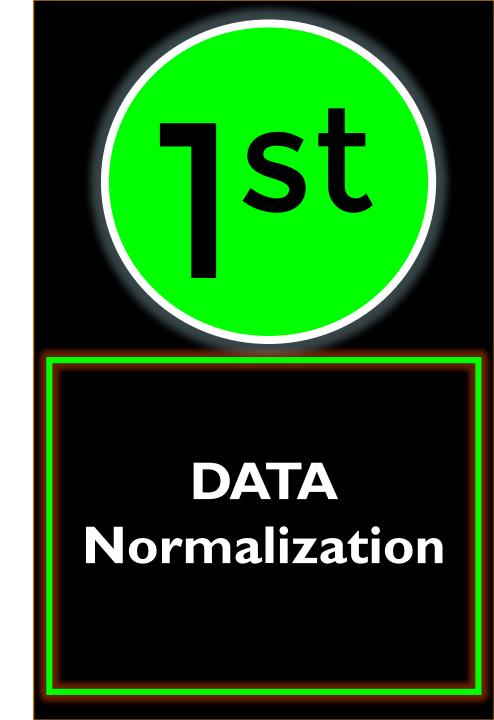


Table with multivalued attributes, not in 1st normal form



Figure 5-25 INVOICE data (Pine Valley Furniture Company)

Order_ID	Order_ Date	Customer_ ID	Customer_ Name	Customer_ Address	Product ID	Product_ Description	Product_ Finish	Unit_ Price	Ordered_ Quantity
1006	10/24/2004	2	Value Furniture	Plano, TX	7	Dining Table	Natural Ash	800.00	2
					5	Writer's Desk	Cherry	325.00	2
					4	Entertainment Center	Natural Maple	650.00	1
1007	10/25/2004	6	Furniture Gallery	Boulder, CO	11	4-Dr Dresser	Oak	500.00	4
					4	Entertainment Center	Natural Maple	650.00	3

Note: this is NOT a relation

Table with no multivalued attributes and unique rows, in 1st normal form



Order_ID	Order_ Date	Customer_ ID	Customer_ Name	Customer_ Address	Product_ID	Product_ Description	Product_ Finish	Unit_ Price	Ordered_ Quantity
1006	10/24/2004	2	Value Furniture	Plano, TX	7	Dining Table	Natural Ash	800.00	2
1006	10/24/2004	2	Value Furniture	Plano, TX	5	Writer's Desk	Cherry	325.00	2
1006	10/24/2004	2	Value Furniture	Plano, TX	4	Entertainment Center	Natural Maple	650.00	1
1007	10/25/2004	6	Furniture Gallery	Boulder, CO	11	4-Dr Dresser	Oak	500.00	4
1007	10/25/2004	6	Furniture Gallery	Boulder, CO	4	Entertainment Center	Natural Maple	650.00	3

Note: this is relation, but not a well-structured one



Anomalies in this table

- **Insertion** if new product is ordered for order 1007 of existing customer, customer data must be reentered, causing duplication
- **Deletion** if we delete the Dining Table from Order 1006, we lose information concerning this item's finish and price
- Update changing the price of product ID 4 requires update in several records

Why do these anomalies exist?

Because there are multiple themes (entity types) into one relation. This results in duplication, and an unnecessary dependency between the entities



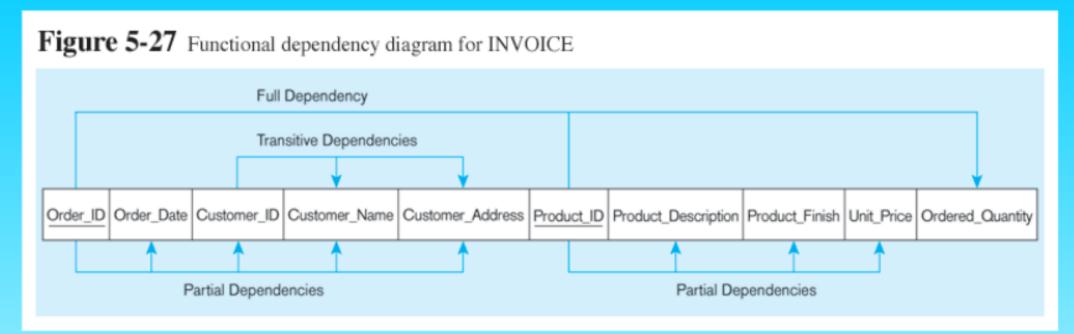
Second Normal Form

1NF + every non-key attribute is fully functionally dependent on the ENTIRE primary key

- Every non-key attribute must be defined by the entire key, not by only part of the key
- No partial functional dependencies



Second Normal Form



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Order_ID → Order_Date, Customer_ID, Customer_Name, Customer_Address

Customer_ID → Customer_Name, Customer_Address

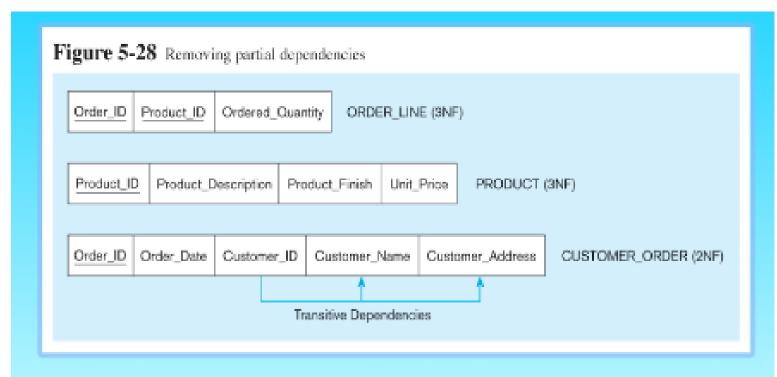
Product_ID → Product_Description, Product_Finish, Unit_Price

Order_ID, Product_ID → Order_Quantity

Therefore, NOT in 2nd Normal Form

Second Normal Form

Getting it into Second Normal Form



Partial Dependencies are removed, but there are still transitive dependencies



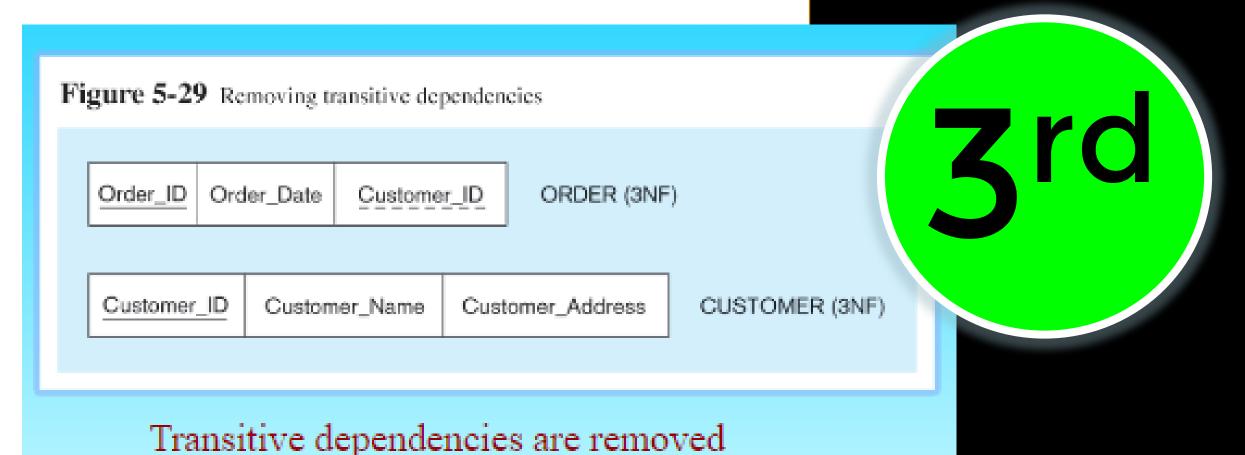
Third Normal Form

- <u>2NF + no transitive dependencies</u> (functional dependencies on nonprimary-key attributes)
- Note: this is called <u>transitive</u>, because the primary key is a determinant for another attribute, which in turn is a determinant for a third
- Solution: non-key determinant with transitive dependencies go into a <u>new</u> <u>table</u>; non-key determinant becomes primary key in the new table and stays as foreign key in the old table



Third Normal Form

Getting it into 3rd Normal Form



Merging Relations

- <u>View Integration</u> Combining entities from multiple ER models into common relations
- Issues to watch out for when merging entities from different ER models:
 - Synonyms two or more attributes with different names but same meaning
 - Homonyms attributes with same name but different meanings
 - Transitive dependencies even if relations are in 3NF prior to merging, they may not be after merging
 - Supertype/subtype relationships may be hidden prior to merging

Enterprise Keys

- Primary keys that are unique in the whole database, not just within a single relation
- Corresponds with the concept of an object ID in object-oriented systems

Figure 5-31b Enterprise key - Sample data with enterprise key

OBJECT

OID	Object_Type		
1	EMPLOYEE		
2	CUSTOMER		
3	CUSTOMER		
4	EMPLOYEE		
5	EMPLOYEE		
6	CUSTOMER		
7	CUSTOMER		

Figure 5-31a Enterprise key - Relations with enterprise key

OBJECT (OID, Object_Type)

EMPLOYEE (OID, Emp_ID, Emp_Name, Dept_Name, Salary)

CUSTOMER (OID, Cust_ID, Cust_Name, Address)

EMPLOYEE

	OID Emp_ID		Emp_Name	Dept_Name	Salary		
ı	1	100	Jennings, Fred	Marketing	50000		
ı	4	101	Hopkins, Dan	Purchasing	45000		
ı	5	102	Huber, Ike	Accounting	45000		
-1							

CUSTOMER

OID	Cust_ID	Cust_Name	Address
2	100	Fred's Warehouse	Greensboro, NC
3	101	Bargain Bonanza	Moscow, ID
6	102	Jasper's	Tallahassee, FL
7	103	Desks 'R Us	Kettering, OH

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