Final Project: Design a Complete Database

Objective

Each student (or team) must design a complete relational database system from scratch, covering all the major steps in the database development process.

Project Description

You are free to choose any real-world or fictional topic for your database. The goal is to create a well-structured relational database that models a complete system. You should ensure that your design solves a realistic problem or supports a useful process within your chosen domain.

Project Requirements

1. Requirement Analysis

Clearly describe the purpose of your system and identify the types of users and operations the database will support.

2. Entity-Relationship (ER) Diagram

Create a diagram showing entities, their attributes, and relationships, including cardinality. Use any professional drawing tool (dbdiagram.io, Lucidchart, or Draw.io).

3. Relational Schema

Translate the ER diagram into a set of relational tables. Include all necessary keys and constraints.

4. SQL Implementation

Write SQL statements to create all the tables in your schema. You must also include sample data using INSERT INTO statements.

5. Optional Advanced Features

If applicable, demonstrate the use of views, stored procedures, functions, or triggers to improve your design and normalize your design to at least third normal form (extra credit will be given).

6. Report

Compose a concise report that summarizes your database design. Clearly state any assumptions, and justify key design decisions.

Deliverables

All deliverable files must be submitted together in a single <code>.zip</code> file. The file name should include the student number(s) and full name(s), for example: 401234567_ElaheSabze.zip. The file should include the following:

- A SQL file containing all CREATE TABLE and INSERT INTO statements
- A 1–2 page report in PDF format
- An ER diagram image or PDF