

# CS 1555/2055: Database Management Systems (Fall 2018)

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## Midterm Review

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We will use the following relational model:

- **Employee** (SSN, fname, lname, DOB, address)  
PK(SSN)
- **Project** (PNumber, Location)  
PK(PNumber)
- **Assignment** (SSN, PNumber)  
PK(SSN, PNumber)  
FK(SSN)  $\rightarrow$  Employee(SSN)  
FK(PNumber)  $\rightarrow$  Project(PNumber)

1. Assuming that the relations **Employee**, **Project** and **Assignment** have 50, 5 and 100 tuples, respectively, find the arity and cardinality of the following relations (For those whose accurate values can not be determined, give the min and max values). Recall that  $\bowtie$  is the left outer natural join operator and  $\bowtie$  is the right outer natural join operator.

a)  $Employee \bowtie Assignment$

Arity: 6

Cardinality: 100

b)  $Employee \bowtie Assignment$

Arity: 6

Cardinality: Min = 100; Max = 149

2. Consider the database schema mentioned in the description, write the **relational algebra** expression(s) in **SEQUENCE notation** for each of the following queries.

- a) List the first and last names of all the employees who have been assigned to the same projects as Mike Smith.

$$Mike\_SSN(SSN) \leftarrow \Pi_{SSN}(\sigma_{fname='Mike' \wedge lname='Smith'}(Employee))$$
$$Mike\_Proj(PNumber) \leftarrow \Pi_{PNumber}(Mike\_SSN * Assignment)$$
$$Coworker\_SSN(SSN) \leftarrow Assignment \div Mike\_Proj$$
$$RESULT \leftarrow \Pi_{fname, lname}(Coworker\_SSN * Employee)$$

- b) List the first and last names of the employees who have been assigned the max number of projects.

$$Proj\_Count(SSN, PCount) \leftarrow \langle SSN \rangle \mathcal{F}_{\langle COUNT \ PNumber \rangle} Assignment$$

$$Highest\_Count(MaxCount) \leftarrow \mathcal{F}_{\langle MAX \ PCount \rangle} Proj\_Count$$

$$Highest\_Proj\_Count(SSN, PCount) \leftarrow Proj\_Count \bowtie_{PCount=MaxCount} Highest\_Count$$

$$RESULT \leftarrow \Pi_{fname, lname}(Highest\_Proj\_Count * Employee)$$

3. Express in SQL each of the following queries. For the time, use the standard format 'YYYY-MM-DD HH:mm:ss'.

- a) List the SSN, first name, last name and project count of employees who were born later than Year 1990 and have been assigned to more than 2 projects. List the result in descending order of project count.

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SELECT E.SSN, E.FNAME, E.LNAME, COUNT(A.PNUMBER)
FROM EMPLOYEE E JOIN ASSIGNMENT A ON E.SSN=A.SSN
      JOIN PROJECT P ON A.PNUMBER=P.PNUMBER
WHERE E.DOB>='1991-01-01 00:00:00'
GROUP BY E.SSN
HAVING COUNT(A.PNUMBER) > 2
ORDER BY COUNT(A.PNUMBER);
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- b) List the SSN of employees who work in a City whose name's the third letter is P and contains at least two P's.

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SELECT SSN
FROM (EMPLOYEE E NATURAL JOIN ASSIGNMENT) NATURAL JOIN PROJECT
WHERE LOCATION LIKE '___P%P%';
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