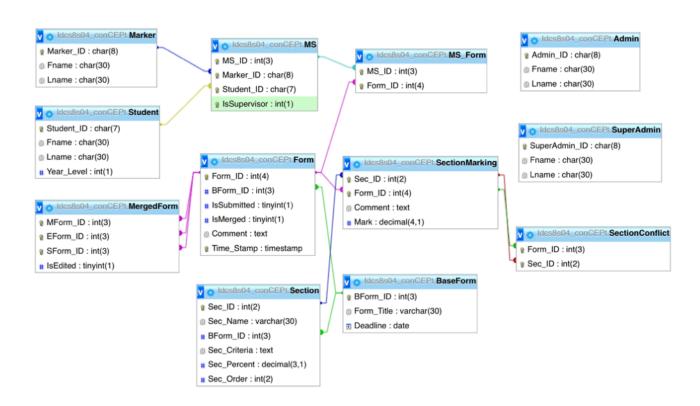
Database Guide

This document will endeavour to explain the purpose of the conCEPt database's many elements and how to query it. ¹

Overall Design



Tables

Marker and Student

Use the markers' and students' ids as primary keys. This will guarantee that each entry is unique and would help with dealing with duplicated names. Also, all the needed information such as name can be retrieved from the university server.

MS

Markers' are linked to the students. An integer flag is set to determine if the marker is a supervisor (1) or an examiner (0).

BaseForm

This table helps in creating a general template for the forms. It contains the title of the main forms, e.g. Design Report, and possibly a deadline that the forms need to be submitted (this field is not implemented in the system but can be added if desired). Only the super admin can edit anything in this table.

Section

This table helps in creating a general template for the sections. It contains all the main information of a section, e.g. criteria, name, and weighting. Each section is linked to a base form.

¹ All foreign keys cascade on delete and update

Form

All the forms created are saved in this table. Each form has a comment and a time stamp associated with it. This is to keep track of previous submission of a form. Also, two integer flags are included to determine if a form has been submitted (1) or not (0) and if a form is a merged form (-1), has been merged or part of a merged form (1), or neither (0). Each form is linked to a base form and by such can be linked to the forms' sections.

MS_Form

Each marker-student pair (MS) are linked to at least 5 forms - the base forms. The marker-student can be linked to one or more form of the same base form (previous submissions of the forms are saved). Merged forms won't be linked to marker-student pair in this table, refer to MergedForm table.

SectionMarking

Sections are linked to a form which shares the same base form. The section and form ids are the primary keys of this table and are also foreign keys. The comments and marks of a student are stored in this table.

MergedForm (special case)

The supervisor and examiner forms are linked to the merged form. The ids of each form is stored in the table along with an integer flag to indicate if a merged form has been edited (1) or not (0).

SectionConflict

When the supervisor and examiner forms are merged, the marks for each section are compared. If the difference between the mark of a section is more than 10%, then that section and the related merged form are stored in this table.

Admin

A table to keep track of the staff that can add and link students to markers as the admins of the system. Also, they can save the completed marked forms as pdfs. Similarly to the marker's table, the user id and name of a staff are stored.

SuperAdmin

Just like admin this table keeps track of the staff that have total control over the system e.g. editing or deleting a base form.

Interacting with the system Queries to get information from the database²

(1) To get base form title, id and deadline

SELECT * FROM BaseForm WHERE 1

(2) To get general form details for blank form - based on base form id

```
SELECT Sec_Name , Sec_Criteria , Sec_Percent , Sec_Order FROM Section 
WHERE Section.BForm_ID = 1
```

(3) To get a specific form information - based on form ID

SELECT Section.Sec_Order , Section.Sec_Name , Section.Sec_Percent , Section.Sec_Criteria , SectionMarking.Comment , SectionMarking.Mark

² Most queries depend heavily on the form id

```
FROM SectionMarking
      JOIN Section ON Section.Sec ID = SectionMarking.Sec ID
      WHERE SectionMarking.Form ID = 1
(4) To get section weighting and mark of a form - based on form ID
      SELECT Section.Sec_Percent , SectionMarking.Mark
      FROM SectionMarking
      JOIN Section ON Section.Sec ID = SectionMarking.Sec ID
      WHERE SectionMarking.Form ID = 1
(5) To get total mark of a form - based on form ID
      SELECT SUM(Section.Sec Percent*SectionMarking.Mark / 100) AS Total
      FROM SectionMarking
      JOIN Section ON Section.Sec ID = SectionMarking.Sec ID
      WHERE SectionMarking.Form ID = 1
(6) To get student name and year for a specific form - based on form ID
      SELECT Student.Fname, Student.Lname, Student.Year_Level
      FROM MS Form
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS_ID = MS_Form.MS_ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID
      WHERE MS_Form.Form_ID = 1
      SELECT Marker.Fname, Marker.Lname, MS.IsSupervisor
```

(7) To get markers for a specific form - based on form ID

FROM MS Form JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID JOIN Marker ON Marker.Marker ID = MS.Marker ID WHERE MS Form.Form ID = 1

(8) To get form title and is submitted or is merged - based on form ID

SELECT BaseForm.Form title, Form.IsSubmitted, Form.IsMerged FROM Form JOIN BaseForm ON BaseForm.BForm ID = Form.BForm ID WHERE Form.Form ID = 1

(9) To get students and their forms for a specific marker - based on marker ID

SELECT Form.Form ID, BaseForm.Form title, Student.Fname, Student.Lname, Student.Year_Level FROM MS Form

JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID

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JOIN Marker ON Marker.Marker ID = MS.Marker ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID
      JOIN Form ON Form.Form ID = MS Form.Form ID
      JOIN BaseForm ON BaseForm.BForm_ID = Form.BForm_ID
      WHERE Marker.Marker_ID = 'hkd4hdk'
(10)To get students and their forms for a specific marker where the marker is a supervisor
   or not - based on marker ID and isSupervisor flag (optional)
      SELECT Form.Form ID, BaseForm.Form title, Student.Fname, Student.Lname,
      Student.Year Level
      FROM MS_Form
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS_ID = MS_Form.MS_ID
      JOIN Marker ON Marker.Marker ID = MS.Marker ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID
      JOIN Form ON Form.Form ID = MS Form.Form ID
      JOIN BaseForm ON BaseForm.BForm ID = Form.BForm ID
      WHERE Marker.Marker ID = 'hkd4hdk' AND MS.IsSupervisor = 1
(11)To get students for a specific base form - based on marker id and base form id
      SELECT Form.Form ID, Student.Fname, Student.Lname, Student.Year Level
      FROM MS Form
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      JOIN Marker ON Marker.Marker ID = MS.Marker ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student_ID = MS.Student_ID
      JOIN Form ON Form.Form_ID = MS_Form.Form_ID
      JOIN BaseForm ON BaseForm.BForm ID = Form.BForm ID
      WHERE Marker_ID = 'hkd4hdk' AND BaseForm.BForm_ID = 1
(12)To get markers for a merged form - based on merged from id
      SELECT Marker.Fname, Marker.Lname
      FROM MergedForm
      JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.Form ID = MergedForm.EForm ID OR MS Form.Form ID
      = MergedForm.SForm ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      JOIN Marker ON Marker.Marker ID = MS.Marker ID
      WHERE MergedForm.MForm ID = 8
(13)To get student for a merged form - based on merged from id
      SELECT Student.Fname, Student.Lname, Student.Year Level
      FROM MergedForm
```

```
JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.Form ID = MergedForm.EForm ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID
      WHERE MergedForm.MForm_ID = 9
(14)To get base form id, student id and if a marker is supervisor - based on form id
      SELECT Form.BForm_ID, Student.Student_ID, MS.IsSupervisor
      FROM Form
      JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.Form ID = Form.Form ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID
      WHERE Form.Form ID = 1
(15)To get the form ID of the other marker if he has submitted his form - based on student
   id, base form id, form id, and isSupervisor
      SELECT Form.Form ID
      FROM Form
      JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.Form ID = Form.Form ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      JOIN Student ON Student.Student_ID = MS.Student_ID
      WHERE Student.Student_ID = 'cnng04' AND Form.BForm_ID = 1
      AND Form.Form ID != 1 AND Form.IsSubmitted = 1 AND MS.IsSupervisor != 1
      ORDER BY Form. Time Stamp DESC
(16)To get the merged form id - based on a form id that is part of the merged form
      SELECT MForm ID
      FROM MergedForm
      WHERE EForm ID = 1 OR SForm ID = 1
(17)To get the sections causing conflict in a merged form - based on section form ID
      SELECT Sec ID
      FROM SectionConflict
      WHERE Form ID = 8
(18)Returns 1 if the current marker is the supervisor for this merged form, 0 if examiner -
   based on merged form id and marker id
      SELECT MS.IsSupervisor
      FROM MergedForm
      JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.Form ID = MergedForm.EForm ID OR MS Form.Form ID
      = MergedForm.SForm ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS_ID = MS_Form.MS_ID
```

```
WHERE MergedForm.MForm ID = 8 AND MS.Marker ID = 'hkd4hdk'
```

(19)To check if a form is edited - based on merged form id

SELECT IsEdited

FROM MergedForm

WHERE MForm_ID = 8

(20)To find un-used merged form id - based on base form id³

SELECT Form ID

FROM Form

LEFT JOIN MergedForm ON MergedForm.MForm ID = Form.Form ID

WHERE IsMerged = -1 AND MergedForm.MForm_ID IS NULL AND BForm_ID = 1

ORDER BY Form_ID ASC

LIMIT 1

(21)To get all completed forms sorted by studentID

SELECT Student.Student_ID, Student.Fname, Student.Lname, Form.Form_ID, BaseForm.Form Title

FROM Form

JOIN BaseForm ON BaseForm.BForm_ID = Form.BForm_ID

JOIN MergedForm ON MergedForm.MForm_ID = Form.Form_ID

JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = MergedForm.EForm_ID

JOIN MS ON MS.MS_ID = MS_Form.MS_ID

JOIN Student ON Student.Student ID = MS.Student ID

WHERE Form.IsSubmitted = 1 AND Form.IsMerged = -1

ORDER BY Student.Student_ID ASC

Queries for adding data to the database

(1) To insert a comment and mark of a specific section - based on its order and the form ID

INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark)

SELECT Section.Sec ID, 1, 'bad', 50.0

FROM Section

JOIN Form ON Form.BForm ID = Section.BForm ID

WHERE Form.Form_ID = 1 AND Section.Sec_Order = 1

--> for inserting multiple values at once

INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec ID, Form ID, Comment, Mark)

SELECT Section.Sec ID, 2, 'bad', 50.0

³ This query is used to find the new merged form that has been inserted to the form table

```
FROM Section
      JOIN Form ON Form.BForm ID = Section.BForm ID
      WHERE Form.Form ID = 2 AND Section.Sec Order = 1
      UNION ALL
      SELECT Section.Sec_ID, 2, 'GOOD', 60.0
      FROM Section
      JOIN Form ON Form.BForm ID = Section.BForm ID
      WHERE Form.Form ID = 2 AND Section.Sec Order = 2
(2) To update a section - based on the section order and form ID
      UPDATE SectionMarking
      JOIN Section ON Section.Sec ID = SectionMarking.Sec ID
      SET SectionMarking.Comment = 'Good job!', SectionMarking.Mark= 80
      WHERE SectionMarking.Form ID = 1 AND Section.Sec Order = 1
(3) To update submit form flag - based on form id
      UPDATE Form
      SET IsSubmitted= 1, Time Stamp = NOW()
      WHERE Form ID = 1
(4) To insert a new merged form - based on examiner form id and supervisor form id
      INSERT INTO Form(BForm ID, IsMerged)
      SELECT Form.BForm ID, -1
      FROM Form
      WHERE Form.Form ID = 3;
      INSERT INTO MergedForm(MForm ID,EForm ID,SForm ID)
      SELECT LAST INSERT ID(), 3, 1;
      SET group concat max len = 65535;
      INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec ID, Form ID, Comment, Mark)
      SELECT Sec_ID, LAST_INSERT_ID(), GROUP_CONCAT(Comment SEPARATOR ''),
      AVG(Mark)
      FROM (
      SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID = 3
        UNION ALL
        SELECT Sec ID, Form ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form ID =
      1
```

```
) AS B
GROUP BY Sec ID
```

(5) To insert conflicted section into the sectionConflict table - based on merged form id and an examiner or supervisor form id

```
INSERT INTO SectionConflict(Form_ID,Sec_ID)

SELECT s1.Form_ID,s1.Sec_ID

FROM (SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID = 39) s1

INNER JOIN (SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID = 1) s2 ON s2.Sec_ID = s1.Sec_ID

WHERE s1.Form_ID = 39 AND s2.Form_ID= 3 AND s1.Mark - s2.Mark > 5 OR s2.Mark - s1.Mark > 5
```

(6) To duplicate a form - based on form id

```
INSERT INTO Form(BForm_ID, IsSubmitted, IsMerged, Comment, Time_Stamp)

SELECT BForm_ID, IsSubmitted, IsMerged, Comment, Time_Stamp

FROM Form

WHERE Form_ID = 3;

INSERT INTO MS_Form(MS_ID, Form_ID)

SELECT MS_ID, LAST_INSERT_ID()

FROM MS_Form

WHERE Form_ID = 3;

INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark)

SELECT Sec_ID, LAST_INSERT_ID(), Comment, Mark

FROM (

SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID = 3
) AS B

GROUP BY Sec_ID
```

(7) To update/add a merged form information in sectionMarking table - based on merged form id

```
INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark)

SELECT Sec_ID, 39 , GROUP_CONCAT(Comment SEPARATOR ' '), AVG(Mark)

FROM (

SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID = 3

UNION ALL
```

```
SELECT Sec_ID, Form_ID, Comment, Mark FROM SectionMarking WHERE Form_ID =
      1
      ) AS B
      GROUP BY Sec ID
      ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
       Sec_ID = VALUES(Sec_ID), Comment = VALUES(Comment), Mark= VALUES(Comment)
(8) To add/update a student
      INSERT INTO Student(Student ID, Fname, Lname, Year Level)
      VALUES ('knlb5j','Luke','McBeth',3)
      ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
       Fname = VALUES(Fname), Lname = VALUES(Lname), Year_Level= VALUES(Year_Level)
(9) To add/update marker
      INSERT INTO Marker (Marker ID, Fname, Lname)
      VALUES ('Imlhi6','Mark','Million')
      ON DUPLICATE KEY UPDATE
       Fname = VALUES(Fname), Lname = VALUES(Lname)
(10)To connect marker and student - based on marker and student id
      INSERT INTO MS(Marker_ID, Student_ID, IsSupervisor)
      VALUES ('lmlhi6', 'knlb5j', 1)
(11)To create a new form for each base (without linking the sections)<sup>4</sup>
      INSERT INTO Form(BForm_ID)
      SELECT BForm_ID
      FROM BaseForm
(12)To connect the marker-student pair to the 5 form types (forms previously created but
   not used) - based on student and marker id
      INSERT INTO MS_Form(MS_ID, Form ID)
      SELECT
        SELECT MS.MS_ID
        FROM MS
        LEFT JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.MS ID = MS.MS ID
        WHERE MS Form.MS ID IS NULL AND MS.Marker ID = 'Imlhi6' AND MS.Student ID =
      'knlb5j'
      ) M, Form ID
      FROM
```

⁴ Auto-increment skips values when it runs this query.

```
(
        SELECT Form.Form ID, Form.BForm ID
      FROM Form
      LEFT JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = Form.Form_ID
      WHERE MS_Form.Form_ID IS NULL AND IsMerged = 0
        GROUP BY Form.BForm_ID
      ) B
(13)To add the sections to the forms created for the marker-student pair - base on marker
   and student ids
      INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec_ID, Form_ID)
      SELECT Section.Sec_ID, Form.Form_ID
      FROM Form
      JOIN Section ON Section.BForm_ID = Form.BForm_ID
      JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = Form.Form_ID
      JOIN MS ON MS.MS ID = MS Form.MS ID
      WHERE MS.Marker ID = 'Imlhi6' AND MS.Student ID = 'knlb5j'
(14)To update criteria of a form - based on base form id and section id
      UPDATE 'Section'
      SET `Sec_Name`=[value-2], `Sec_Criteria`=[value-4], `Sec_Percent`=[value-5]
      WHERE 'BForm_ID' = 1 AND 'Sec_Order' = 1
```

Combining the Queries

◆ To generate a new link between a student and a marker, then generate and link all forms to the new pair - need student and marker ids (Queries 10, 11, 12, and 13 from adding section)

```
INSERT INTO MS(Marker_ID, Student_ID, IsSupervisor)
VALUES ('Imlhi6','knlb5j',1);

INSERT INTO Form(BForm_ID)
SELECT BForm_ID
FROM BaseForm;

INSERT INTO MS_Form(MS_ID, Form_ID)
SELECT
(
SELECT MS.MS_ID
```

```
FROM MS
  LEFT JOIN MS Form ON MS Form.MS ID = MS.MS ID
  WHERE MS Form.MS ID IS NULL AND MS.Marker ID = 'Imlhi6' AND MS.Student ID =
'knlb5i'
) M, Form ID
FROM
  SELECT Form.Form ID, Form.BForm ID
FROM Form
LEFT JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = Form.Form_ID
WHERE MS_Form.Form_ID IS NULL AND IsMerged = 0
  GROUP BY Form.BForm ID
) B;
INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec ID, Form ID)
SELECT Section.Sec ID, Form.Form ID
FROM Form
JOIN Section ON Section.BForm_ID = Form.BForm_ID
JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = Form.Form_ID
JOIN MS ON MS.MS_ID = MS_Form.MS_ID
WHERE MS.Marker_ID = 'Imlhi6' AND MS.Student_ID = 'knlb5j';
```

◆ To Link marker-student pair to a new generated base form and to generate all forms and link them to the new base form's sections - need base form id

```
INSERT INTO Form(BForm_ID)

SELECT 6

FROM MS;

SET @row_numberM = 0;

SET @row_numberF = 0;

INSERT MS_Form (MS_ID, Form_ID)

SELECT MS_ID, Form_ID

FROM (SELECT MS_ID, (@row_numberM:=@row_numberM + 1) AS num

FROM MS) m

JOIN (SELECT Form_ID, (@row_numberF:=@row_numberF + 1) AS num
```

FROM Form WHERE BForm_Id = 6) f ON f.num = m.num;

INSERT INTO SectionMarking(Sec_ID, Form_ID)

SELECT Section.Sec_ID, MS_Form.Form_ID

FROM Form

JOIN Section ON Section.BForm_ID = Form.BForm_ID

JOIN MS_Form ON MS_Form.Form_ID = Form.Form_ID

WHERE Form.BForm_ID = 6;