

INTRODUCTION

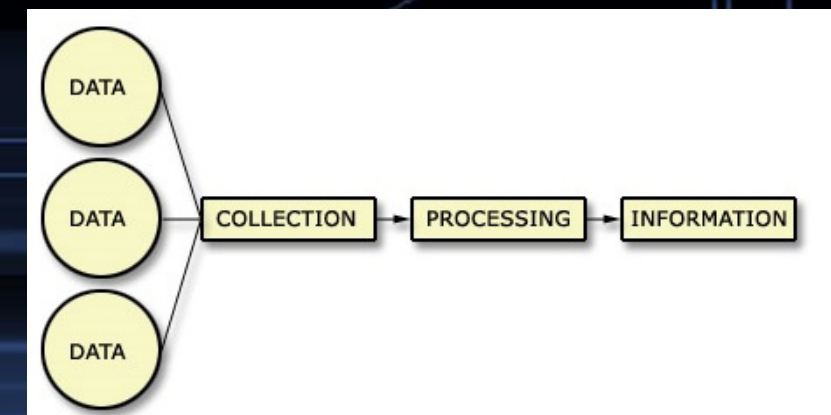
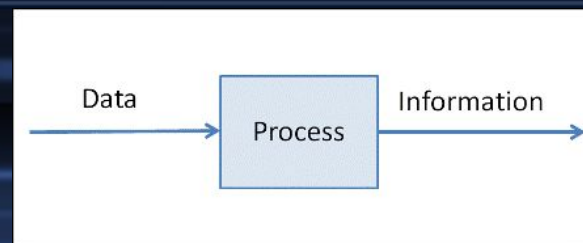
DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Concepts

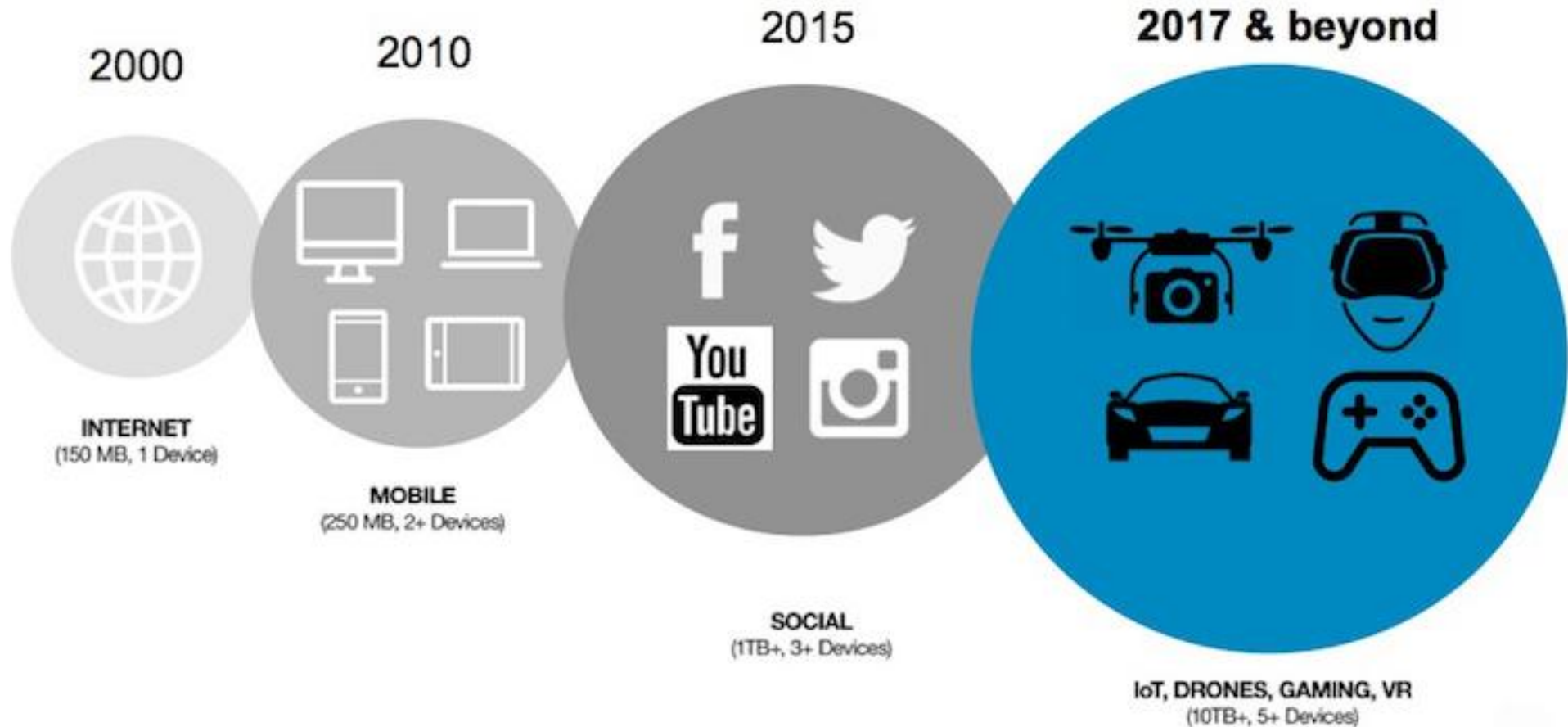
■ Data

- Collection of facts & figures on any topic
- May or may not give meaning
- When processed gives information
- Stored for future reference
- Examples:
 - Text: numbers, scripts, any textual contents, etc.
 - Image: photographs, medical/ satellite charts, etc.
 - Audio: songs & music, speech, conversation, etc.
 - Video: documentary, live telecast, movies, etc.



Concepts

THE NATURE OF DATA IS SHIFTING



Concepts

- **Database**

- Collection of related data on a specific kind
- Collection of coherent data with inherent meaning
- Data are collected and integrated
- Can be accessed by many users concurrently but security should be maintained
- Used in: banks, universities, hospitals, research centres, industries, telecommunications, sales, human resources, etc.

United / logical

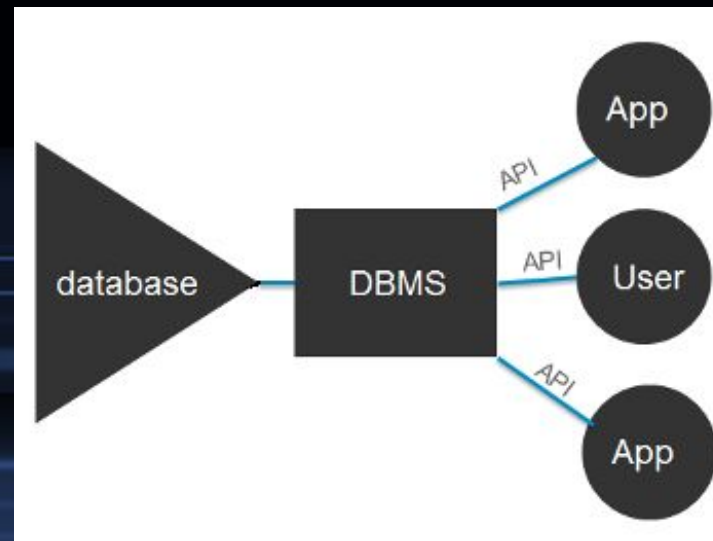
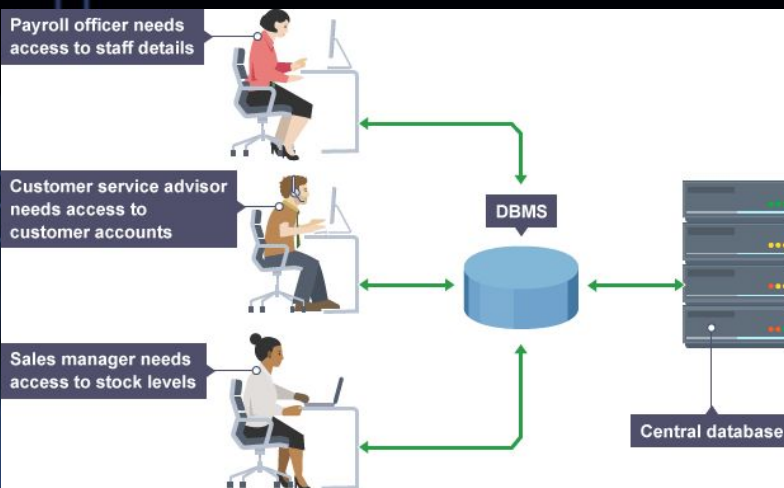
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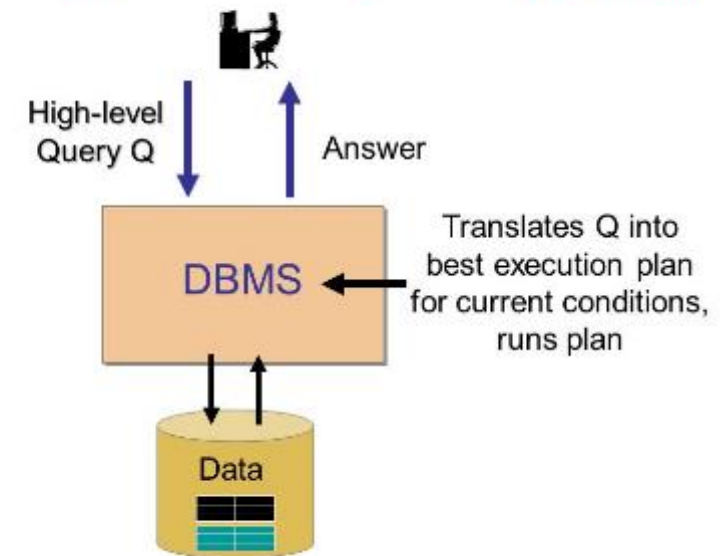
Concepts

- **Database Management System**

- Collection of programs that allows users to manipulate data in db
- Responsible for defining, constructing, manipulating & sharing db
- Takes request from users via application interface
- Processes and returns results to user
- DB + Software = DBMS



DataBase Management System (DBMS)



Pros | Need | Necessity | Objective

- ❑ Speed
- ❑ Compactness
- ❑ Less drudgery (mechanical work)
- ❑ Accuracy & up to date info
- ❑ Security
- ❑ Share ability
- ❑ Redundancy check
- ❑ Inconsistency check
- ❑ Backup and Recovery
- ❑ Persistence storage
- ❑ Multi user-interface



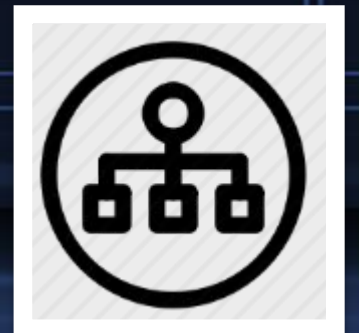
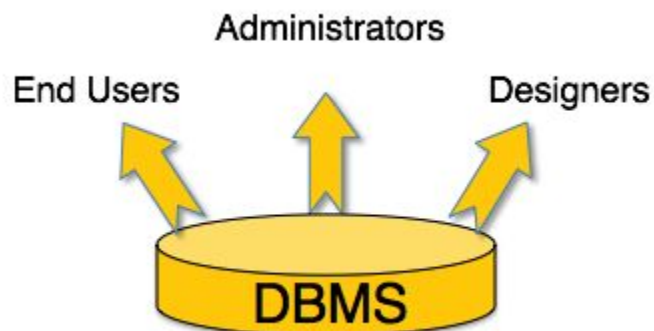
- **Database Users**

- Application Programmer

- Writes db application in various languages

- Database Administrator

- Administers db, dbms and related software, authorizes users to access db



■ Database Users (cont...)

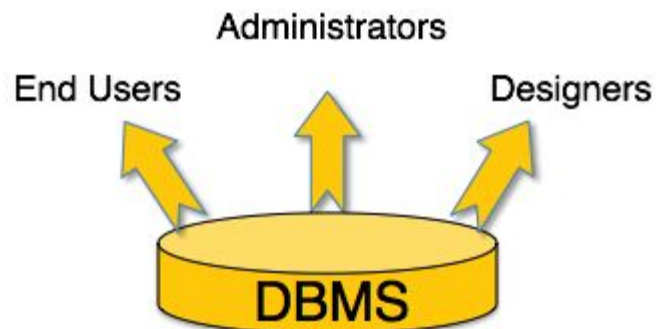
□ End User

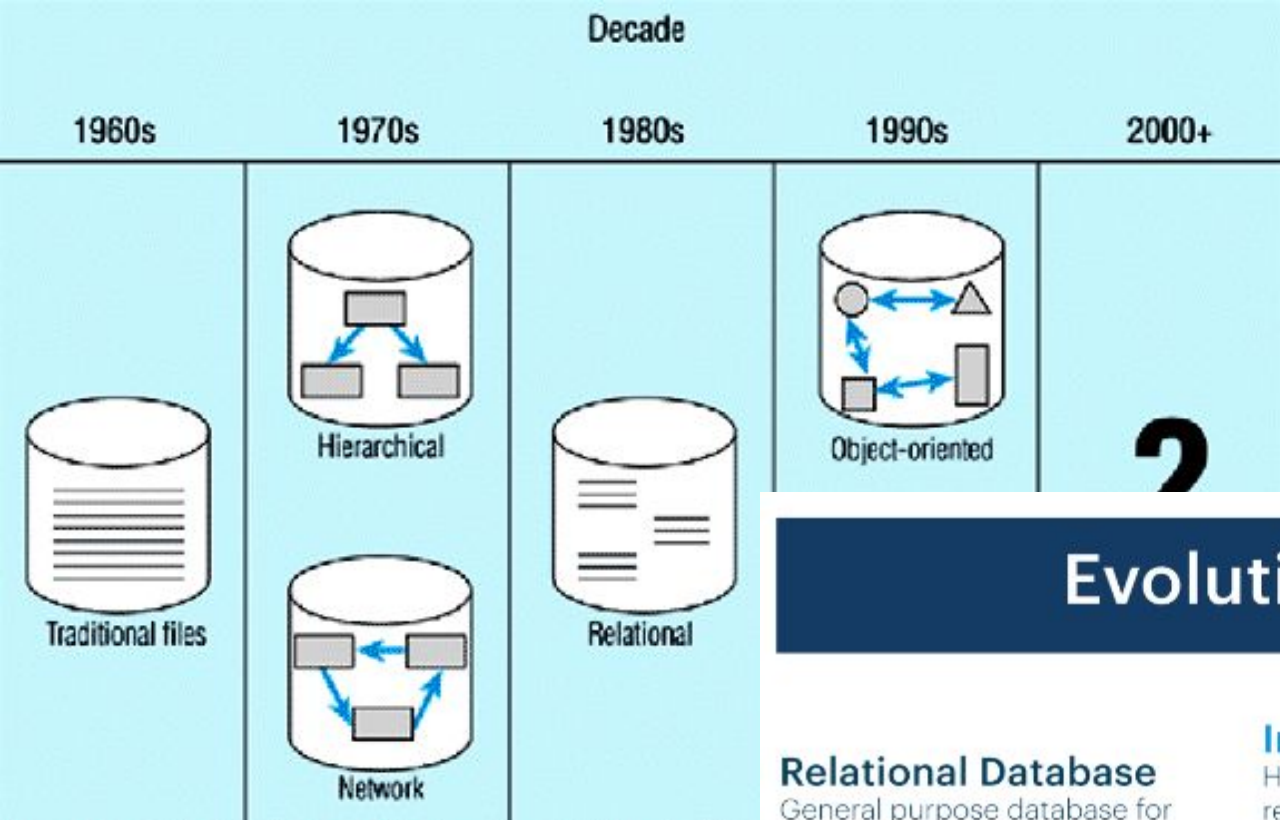
■ Access the db by various queries, Uses to fulfil his goal

■ Types:

- Casual end user: occasionally uses db (middle/high level manager)
- Naïve end user: frequently uses db (bank tellers/reservation counters)
- Sophisticated end user: uses for complex requirement (scientists, analysts)
- Standalone end user: uses personal db for simpler frequent tasks (normal layman)

Lack of experience





Evolution

Evolution of Database Technology

Relational Database

General purpose database for all enterprise applications

In-Memory Database

High volume applications required a new level of database performance

Webscale (noSQL)

Internet services with billions of users created the first use case for vertical database technology

1970's

1996

2008

2010



Vertical Databases

On-demand applications across multiple industries with specialized requirements (performance, scale and consistency)

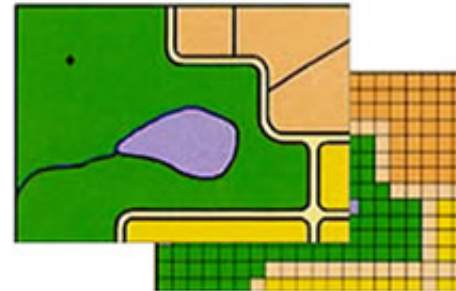
Data Abstraction

- Db's records are needed to be retrieved efficiently
- Designers have used complex data structure to represent & operate on data
- All db users aren't trained & lack knowledge
- To simplify user interaction, complexity are hidden through several levels of abstraction.

Data Abstraction



Reality

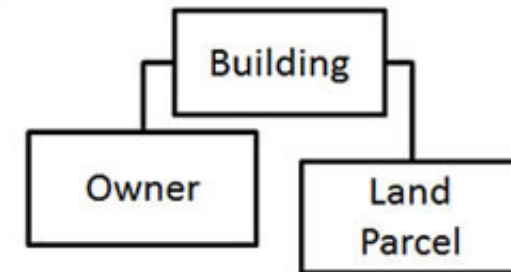


Conceptual Model

- Discrete Objects
- Continuous Fields

Logical Model

- Object
- Attribute
- Class



Physical Model

- Row
- Column
- Table

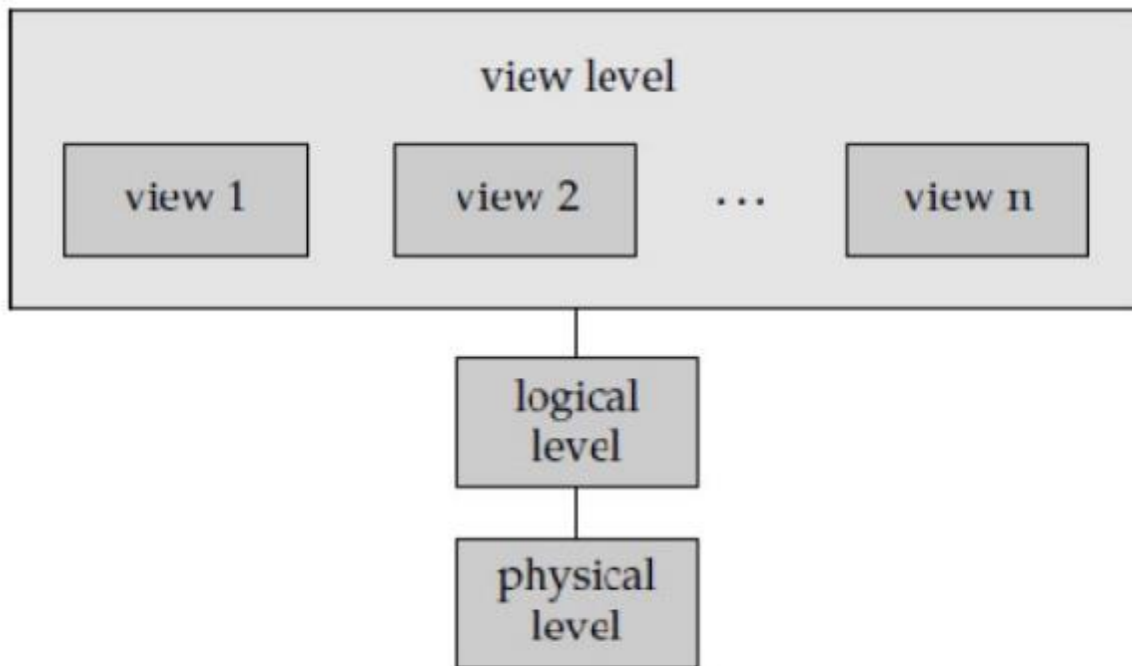
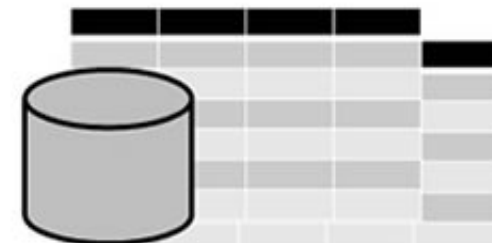


Figure 3 : Three Levels of Data Abstractions

Data Abstraction (cont...)

□ Physical Level

- Lowest level of abstraction
- Describes **HOW** data are actually stored
- Describes complex low level data structure in detail

□ Logical Level

- Next higher level of abstraction
- Describes **WHAT** data are stored in db & **WHAT** relationship exist among those data
- Describes entire db in simpler structure (but complex in physical level)
- Used by DBA (as he decides WHAT info to keep)

Data Abstraction (cont...)

□ View Level

- Highest level of abstraction
- Provides interface to various users
- Simplifies user interaction with the system
- System may provide many views for same db (based on roles and access policy)

Data Abstraction (cont...)

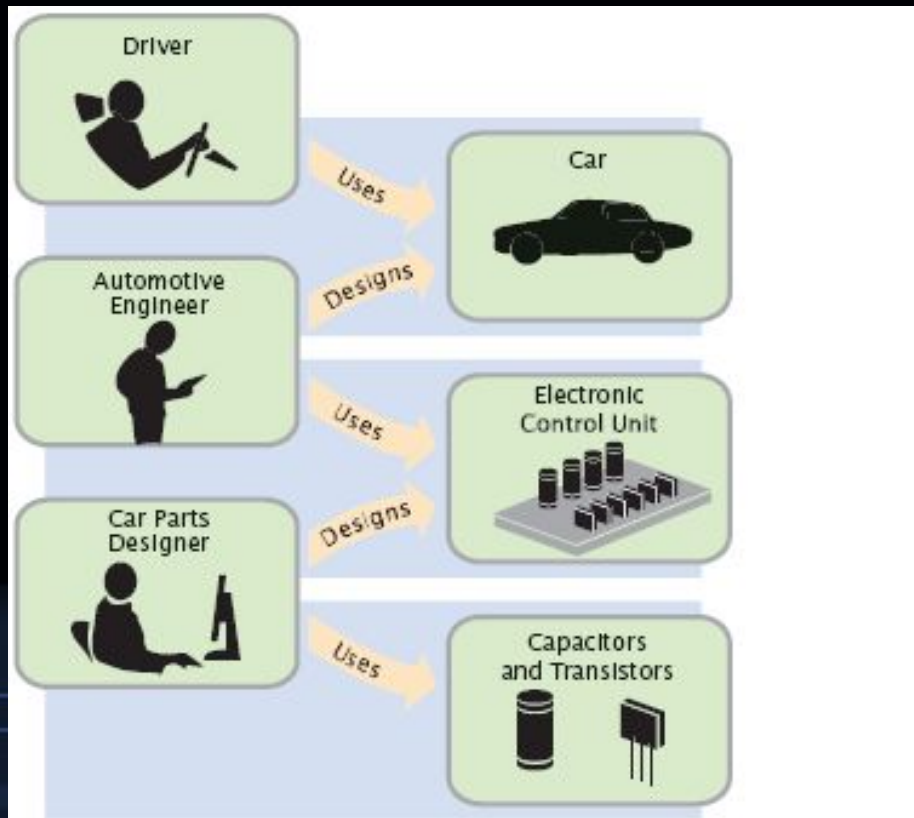


Figure 1

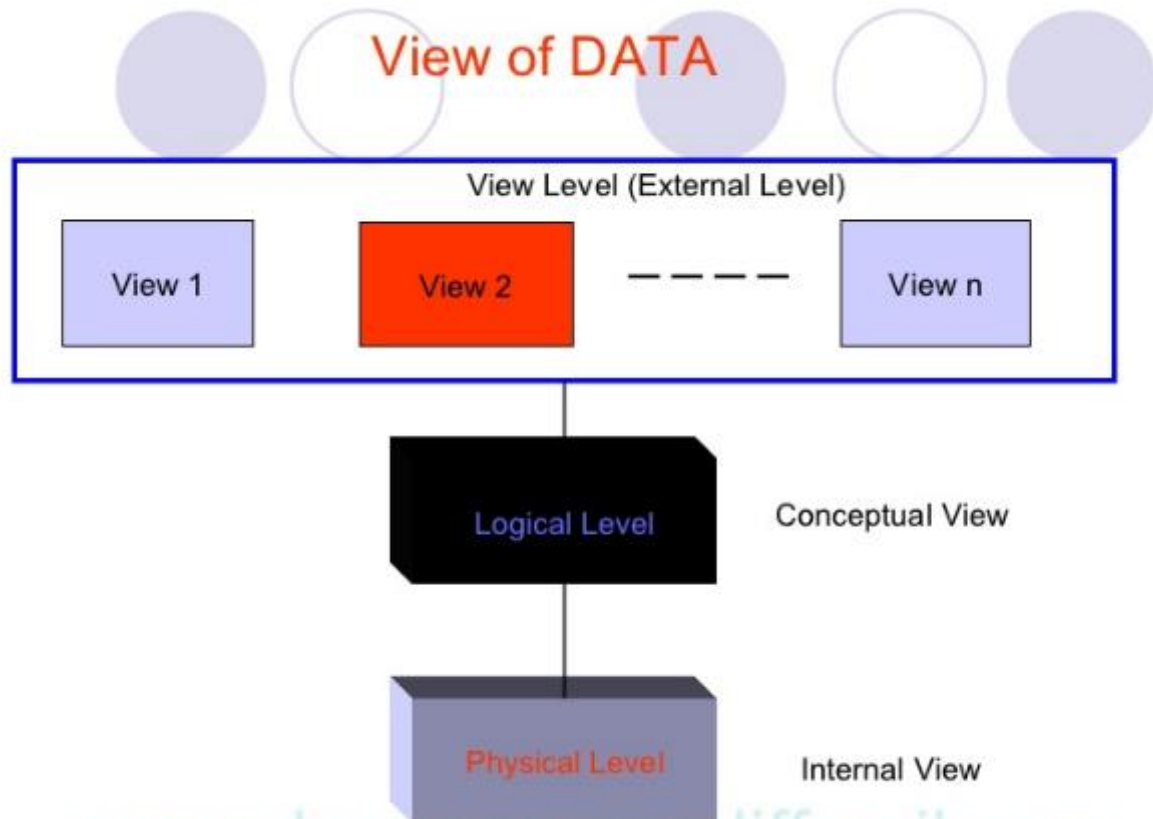
Levels of Abstraction in Automotive Design



Data Independence

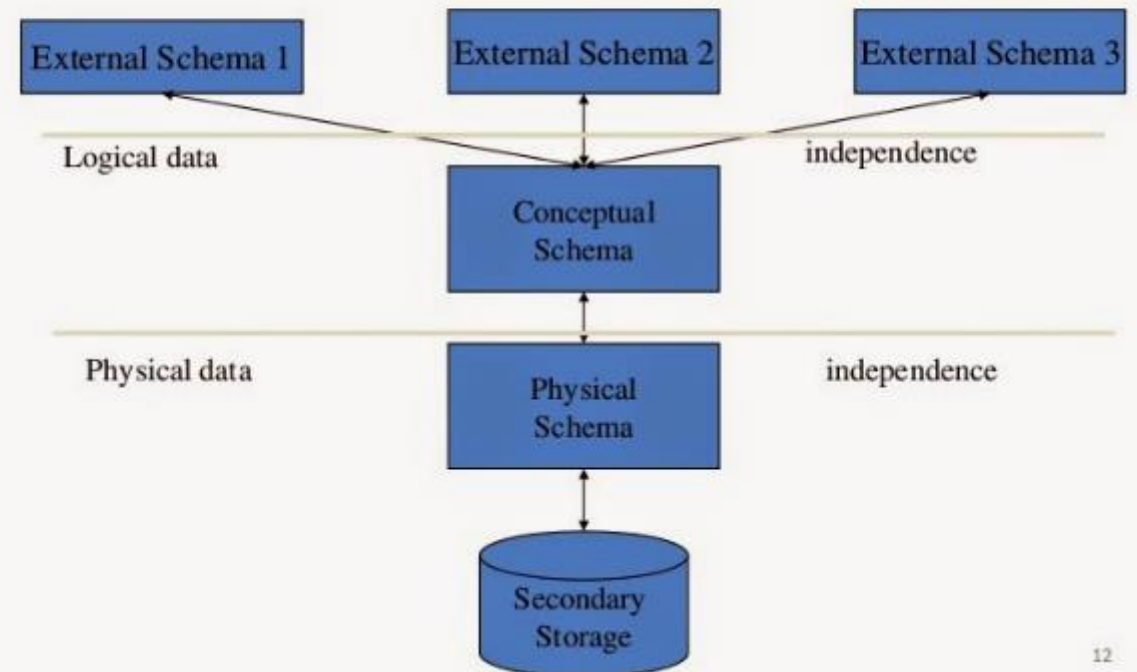
- Immunity of applications to change in one layer without affecting other layers.
- Capacity to change schema at one level of a DBMS without having to change schema at next higher level.
- Why?
 - Portability
 - Changing requirement (changes in any layer)
 - Dynamic nature of app

Data Independence (cont...)



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Data Independence



Data Independence (cont...)

Types:

1. Logical Data Independence

- Capacity to change logical level without having to change external view.
- Occurs very often (for better adaptive product)
- Changes in logical level like db manipulation, constraint changes, database schema changes, etc.

Data Independence (cont...)

Types:

2. Physical Data Independence

- Capacity to change internal schema (physical level) without having to change logical level
- Changes may be needed as some physical files may be reorganized.
- App remains unaware of these details
- Exists in most db as exact location of data on disk, hardware details of storage, compression, etc. are hidden from users.

Thank you !