

Question 1:

i: Composite attributes can be subdivided into smaller parts while simple attributes themselves are already minimal attributes; Composite attributes search and store data efficiently.

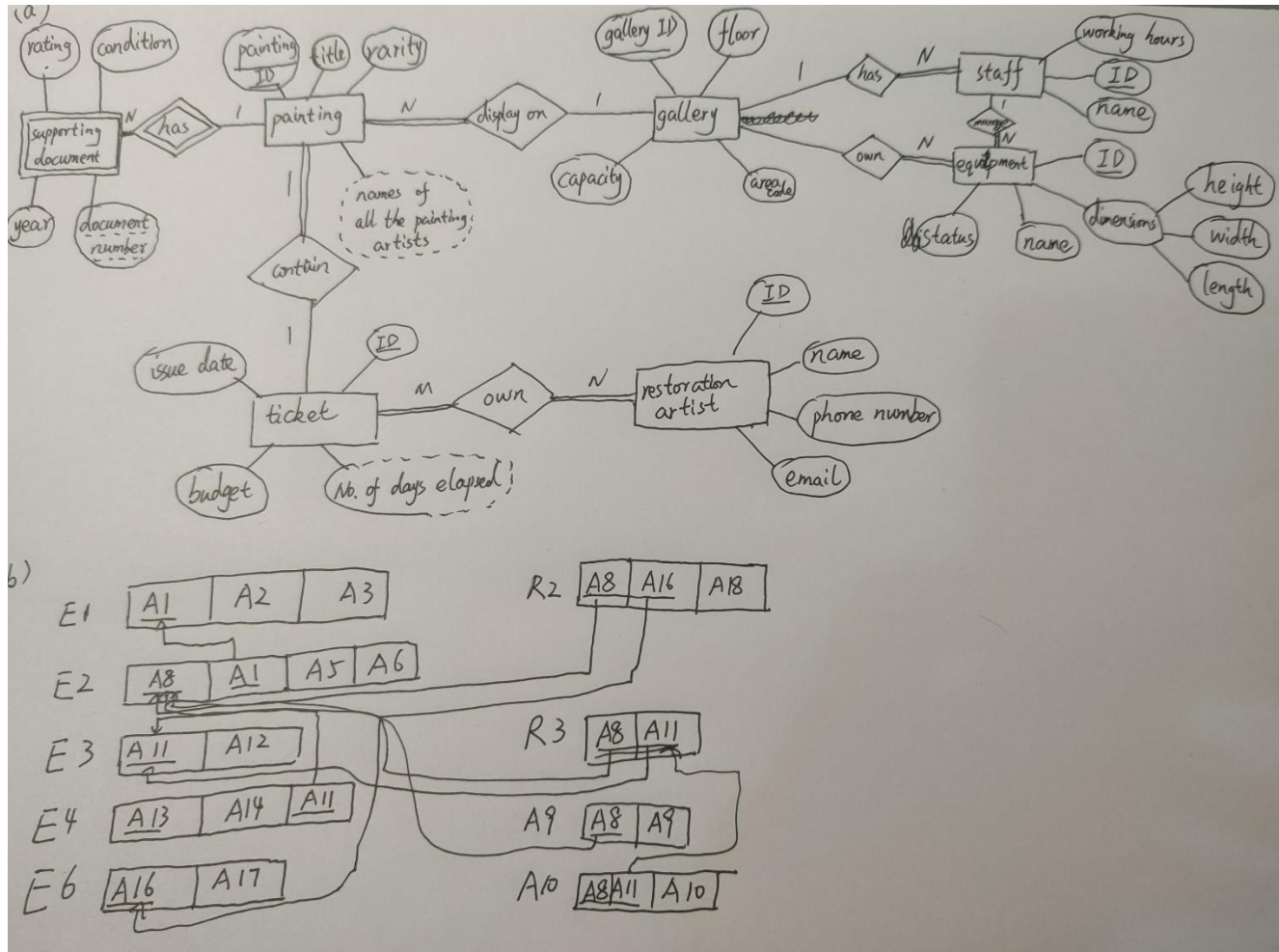
ii: If attributes in $R_1(R_2)$ contain or intersect on that in another relation, the result will be different; if attributes in $R_1(R_2)$ disjoint to that in another relation, the result will be the same.

iii: example: A transferred 50 Australian dollars to B, first A's account -50 then B's account +50, but the second step error, so the system will rollback(A's account +50 to the initial state)
counterexample : A transferred 50 Australian dollars to B, first A's account -50 then B's account +50, but the second step error, so the system will stop which make 50 Australian dollars missed.

iv: 3NF has no transfer function dependencies. There are no properties in the relationship that depend on non-primary keys. This means that all non-key attributes are completely function dependent on the key which satisfied with 2NF.

v: (b)the latter. Because the former will get not only the maximum value of A but also other values of A, only the first row of the result is needed.

Question2:



Question3:

(a)

True example:

R:	A	B
	1	2
	2	3

$$\sigma_{(B=2)}(\pi_{\{B\}}(R)) = 2 = \pi_{\{B\}}(\sigma_{(B=2)}(R))$$

False example:

R:	A	B
	1	2
	2	3

$$\pi_{\{B\}}(\sigma_{(A=1)}(R)) = 2$$

$$\sigma_{(A=1)}(\pi_{\{B\}}(R)) = \text{error}$$

(b)

(i) $\pi_{\{\text{customer.name}\}}(\sigma_{(\text{movie.name}='Lorem Ipsum')}(customer \bowtie movie \bowtie watched))$

select ^{distinct} customer.name
 from (customer inner join ~~movie~~ watched on customer.cid == watched.cid)
 inner join movie on movie.mid == watched.mid
 where movie.name == 'Lorem Ipsum'.

(ii) ~~$\pi_{\{\text{movie.mid}\}}(\sigma_{(\text{sum(cid)} = \max(\text{sum(cid)}))}(\gamma_{(\text{sum(cid)}, \text{mid})}(\sigma_{(\text{age} \geq 30)}(customer \bowtie \text{movie} \bowtie \text{watched}))))$~~

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select a.mid ^{as sum number}
 from (select sum(customer.cid), watched.mid as mid
 from customer inner join watched on customer.cid == watched.cid
 where customer.age >= 30
 group by watched.mid) as a
 where a.number == max(a.number)

ii $\pi_{\{\text{cid}\}}(\sigma_{(\text{sum(cid)}=0 \text{ or } \text{sum(cid)}=\text{count(cid)})}(\gamma_{(\text{sum(cid)}, \text{cid})}(customer \bowtie \text{watched})))$

$\pi_{\{\text{cid}\}}(\sigma_{(\text{count(mid)} \geq 2)}(\gamma_{(\text{count(mid)}, \text{cid})}(customer \bowtie \text{watched})))$

Question 4:

(a) $F = A \rightarrow G, AG \rightarrow DE, E \rightarrow H, \cancel{EC \rightarrow B}, A \rightarrow D$

$A \rightarrow G \} \Rightarrow A \rightarrow DE \therefore A \rightarrow E \} \Rightarrow A \rightarrow H$ so $AC \rightarrow H$
 $AG \rightarrow DE$ $E \rightarrow H$

(b) i.

	A	B	C	D	E	G	H	I
R1	a	a	a	b	b	a	b	b
R2	b	b	b	a	a	a	a	a

only G that $R_1=R_2=a$ and F have no functional dependency like $G \rightarrow \dots$
 so the table will never change and has no row that ~~contains~~ all 'a's
 so it is not lossless join.

ii:

	A	B	C	D	E	G	H	I
R1	a	b	b	a	a	a	b	b
R2	b	a	a	b	a	b	b	b
R3	b	b	b	b	a	b	a	b
R4	a	b	a	b	b	b	b	b

only A, C, and E has formation that $R_{n1}=R_{n2}=a$
 but no $A \rightarrow \dots, C \rightarrow \dots, E \rightarrow \dots$
 so the table won't change it's not lossless join.

(c) $R(A, B, C, D, E, G, H, I)$ $F = AD \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow EGI, ACG \rightarrow H$

i: candidate key: $\{A, D\}$

ii: ① $F = AD \rightarrow B, AD \rightarrow C, CD \rightarrow E, CD \rightarrow G, CD \rightarrow I, ACG \rightarrow H$

② take out $AD \rightarrow B$ $F^+ = \{ACDEGHI\}$ no B so $AD \rightarrow B$ can't be take out

③ take out $AD \rightarrow C$ $F^+ = \{ABCDEGHI\}$ ok.

④ take out $CD \rightarrow E$ $F^+ = \{ABCDGHI\}$ no E, so $CD \rightarrow E$ can't be take out

⑤ take out $CD \rightarrow G$ $F^+ = \{ABCDEGHI\}$ ok.

⑥ take out $CD \rightarrow I$ F^+ no I, so it can't be taken out

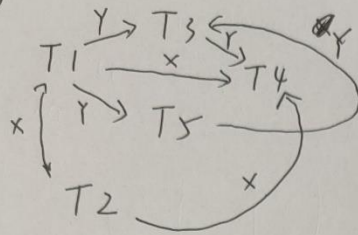
⑦ take out $ACG \rightarrow H$ F^+ no H, so it can't be taken out

$\therefore F_{min} = \{AD \rightarrow B, CD \rightarrow E, CD \rightarrow I, ACG \rightarrow H\}$

iii: $F_c = \{AD \rightarrow B, CD \rightarrow E, CD \rightarrow I, ACG \rightarrow H\}$ Res = $\{\}$
 for $AD \rightarrow B$ Res = $\{ABD\}$; for $CD \rightarrow E$ Res = $\{ABD\} \cup \{CDE\}$ for $CD \rightarrow I$, Res = $\{ABD\} \cup \{CDE\} \cup \{CDI\}$
 for $ACG \rightarrow H$ Res = $\{ABD\} \cup \{CDE\} \cup \{CDI\} \cup \{ACGH\}$ contains $\{A, D\}$
 decompose R into 3NF: $\{ABD\} \cup \{CDE\} \cup \{CDI\} \cup \{ACGH\}$

Question 5:

(a)



no cycle, so it's a conflict serializable graph

(b)

(i) not result-serializable

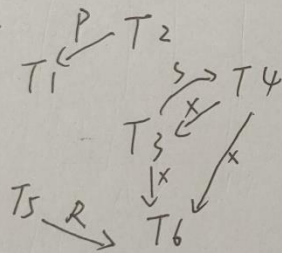
run like this : A: 180 B: 340

execute T_1 and T_2 in turn : A: 120 B: -390

execute T_2 and T_1 in turn : A: 580 B: 6140

(ii) for T_2 , readlock before $R(A)$ unlock after $W(A)$

(c)

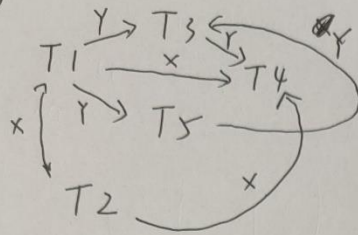


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(d)

Question 6:

(a)



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(b)

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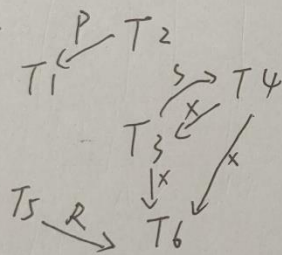
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