

# Data Science Methods for Clean Energy Research (DSMCER)

## Database Management Systems: Relational Databases & SQL



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# Announcements



- Student stand-ups are this afternoon!

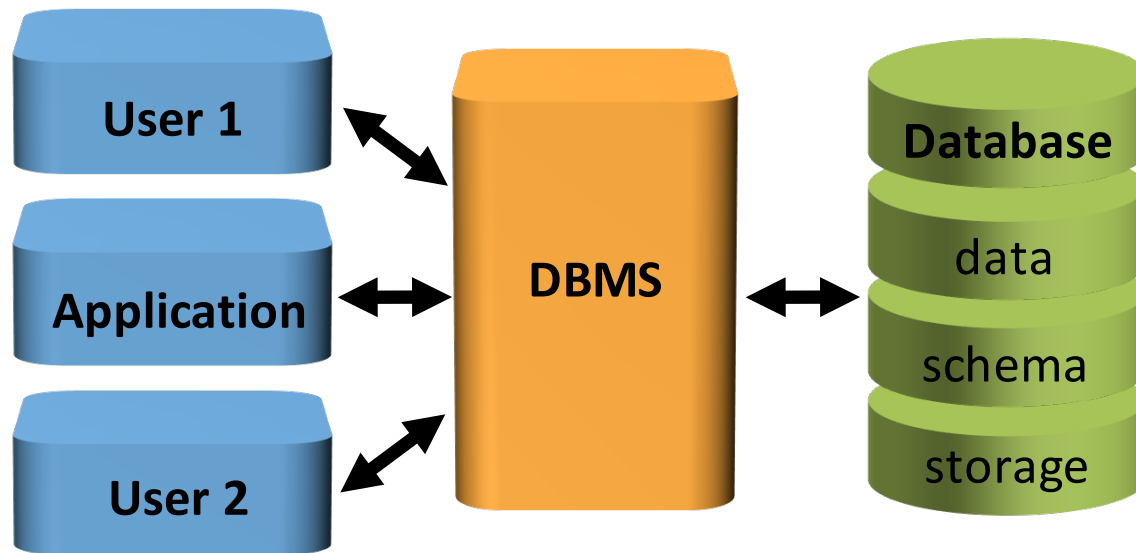
# Outline



- Introduction to database management systems (DBMS's)
  - What are they and why should I care?
- Data models
  - Hierarchical, Network, **Relational**, Entity-Relationship
- Database keys
- Database normalization
- SQL

# What is a database management system or DBMS?

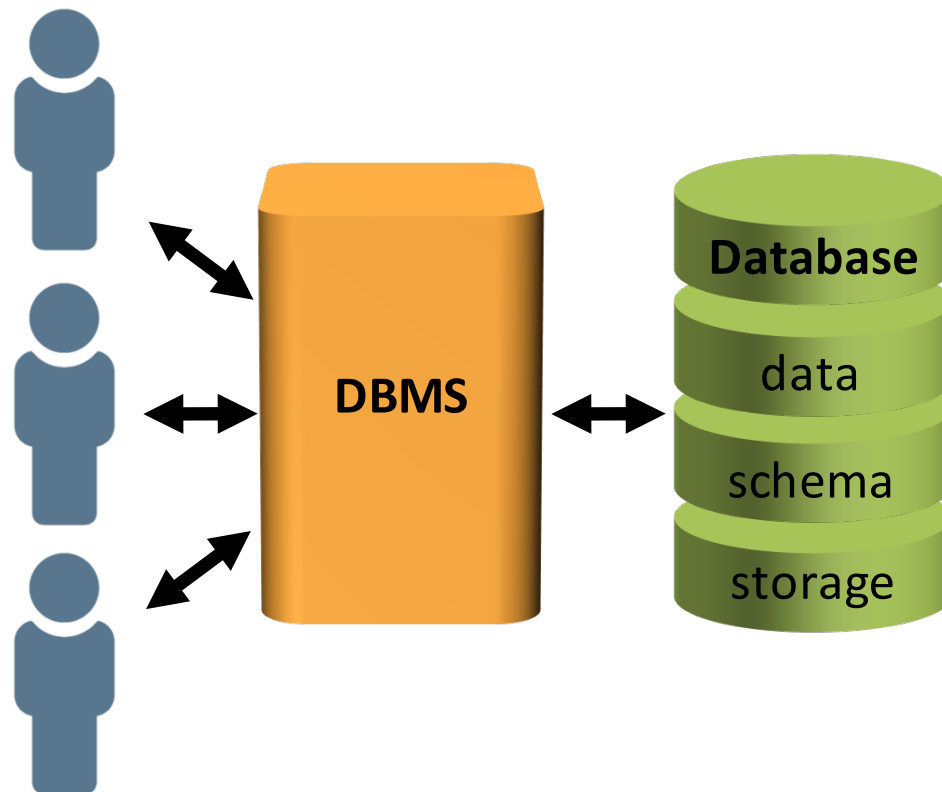
A **database management system or DBMS** allows a user to efficiently build, access, modify and update a database of information.



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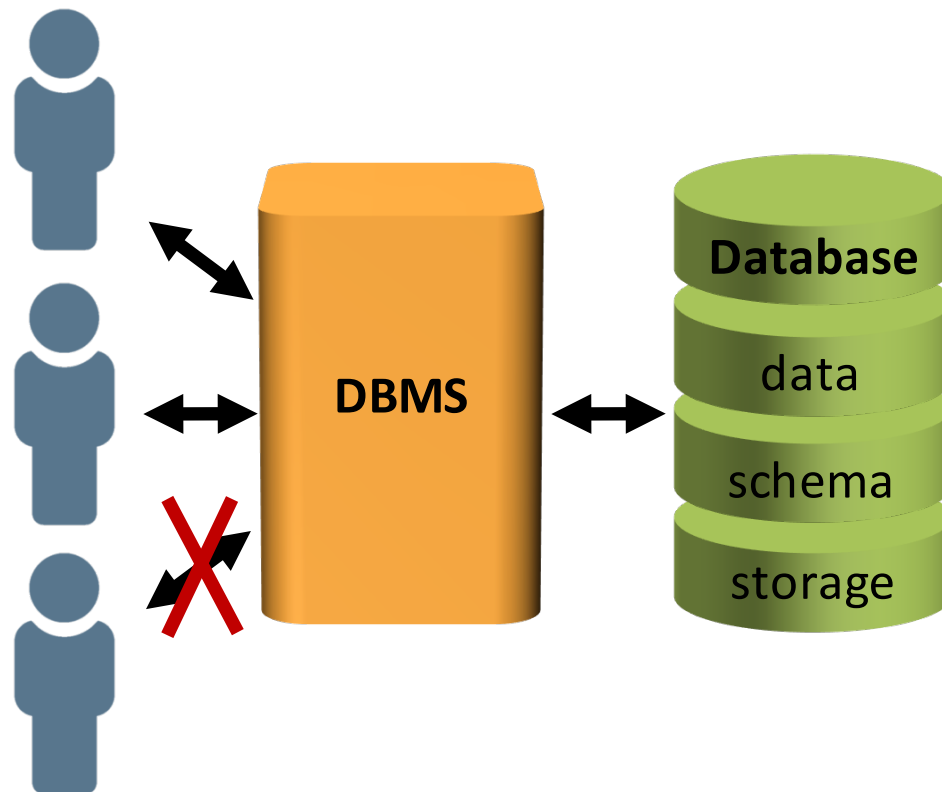
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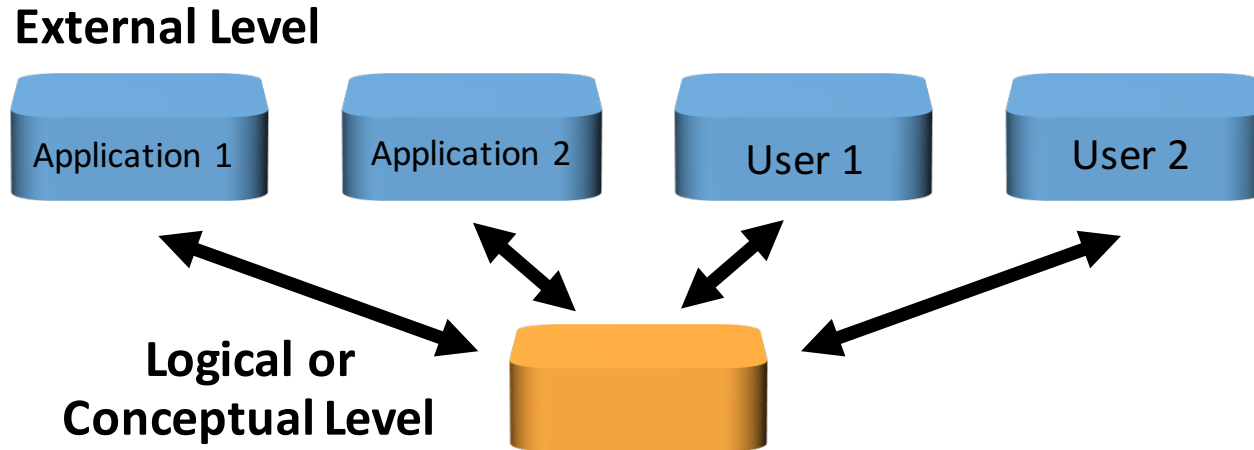
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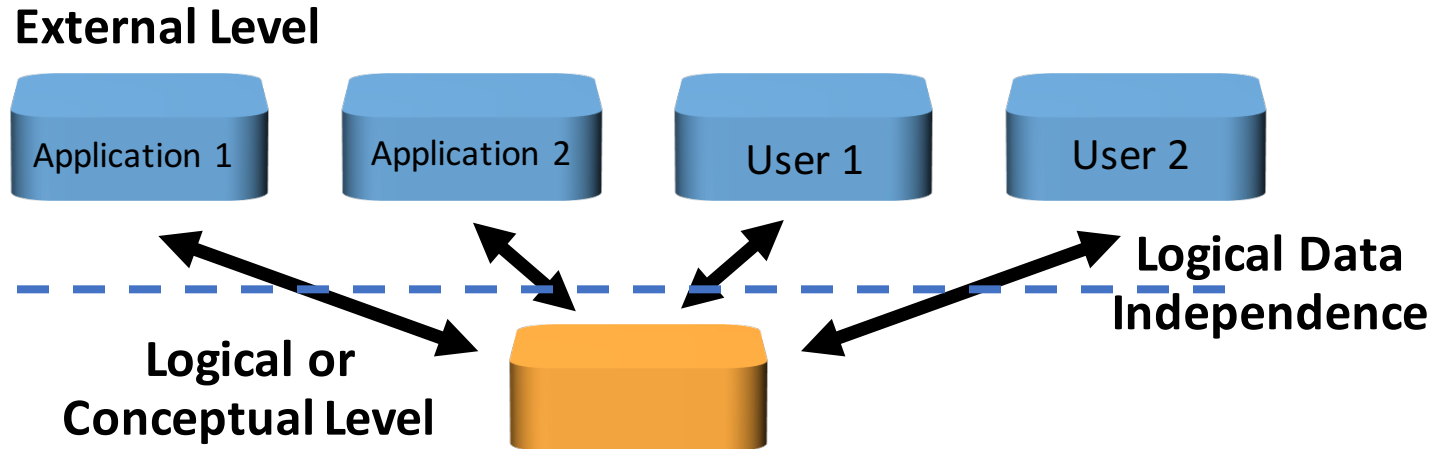
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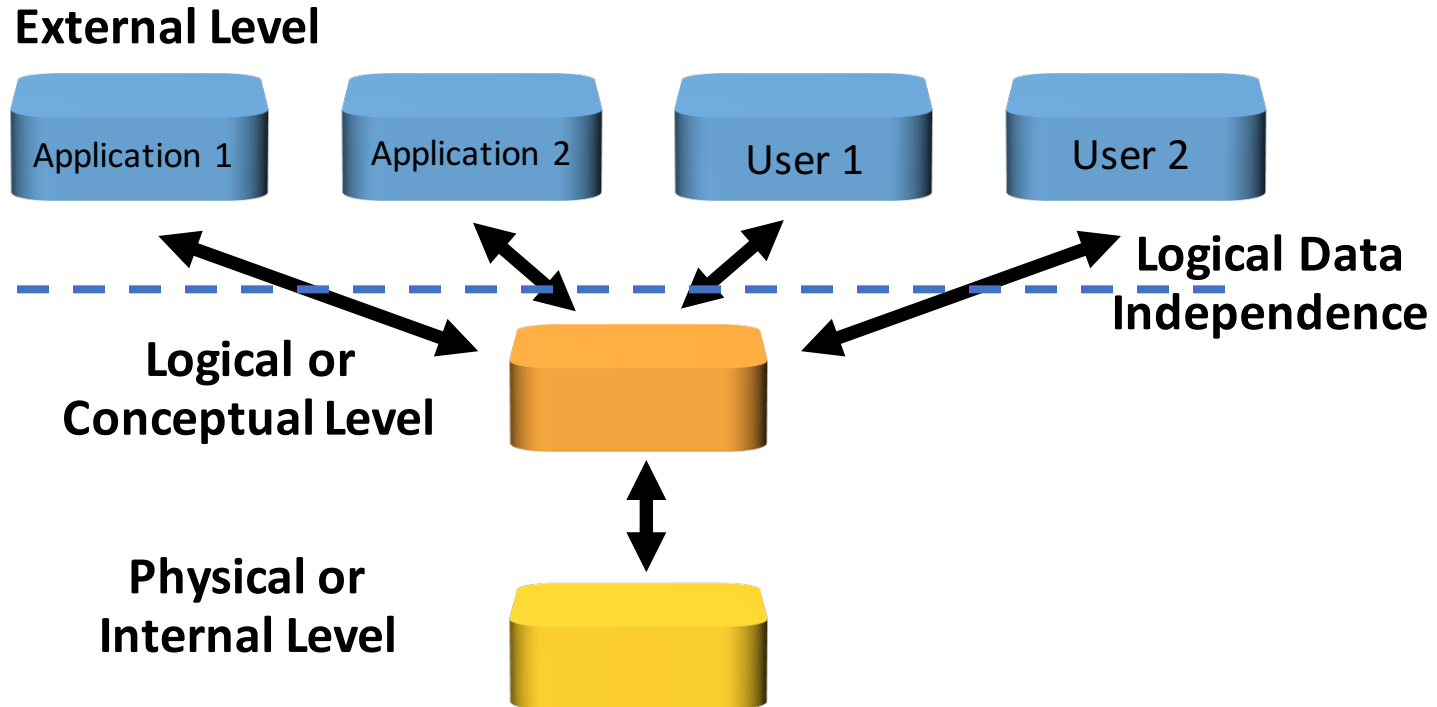
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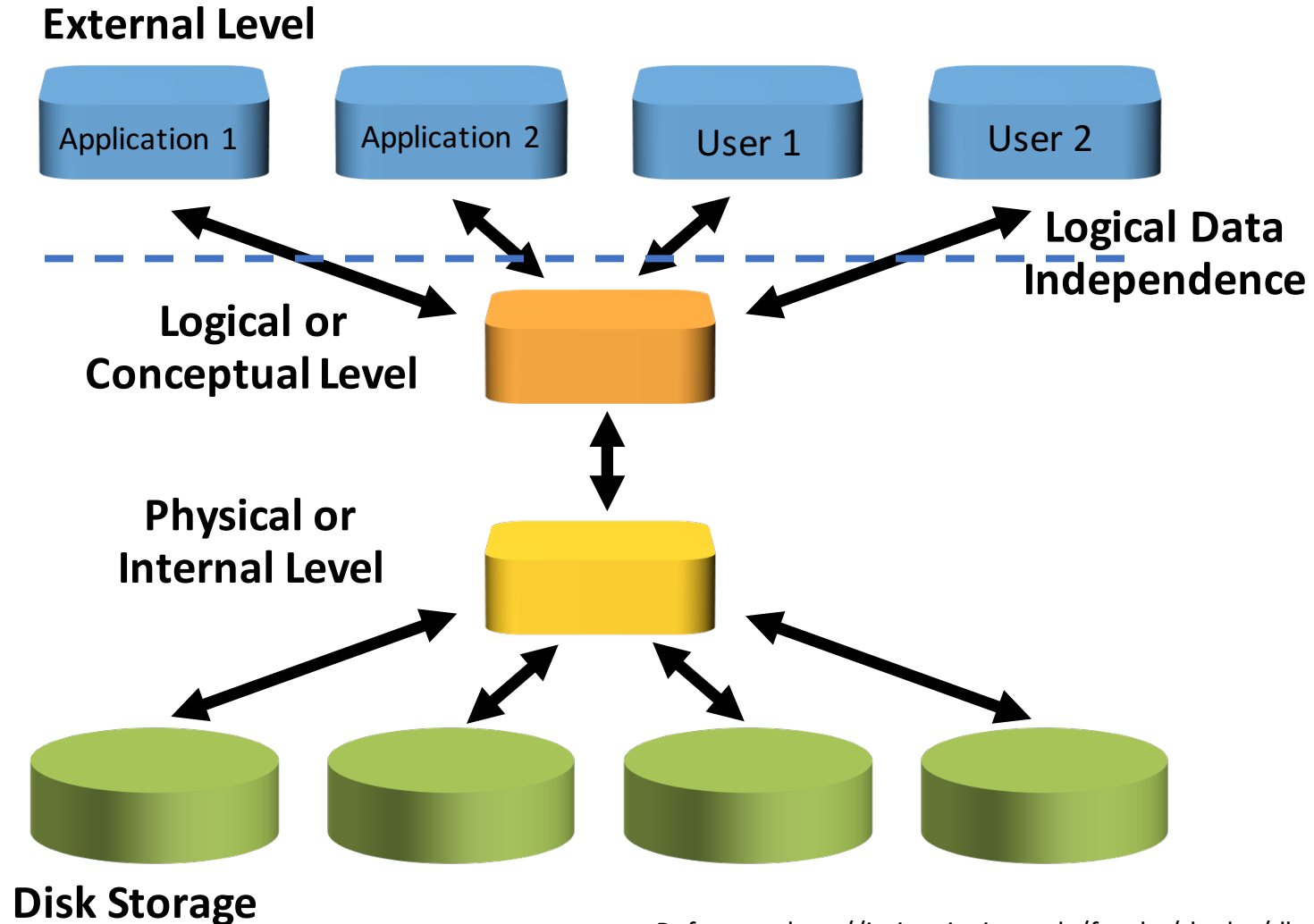
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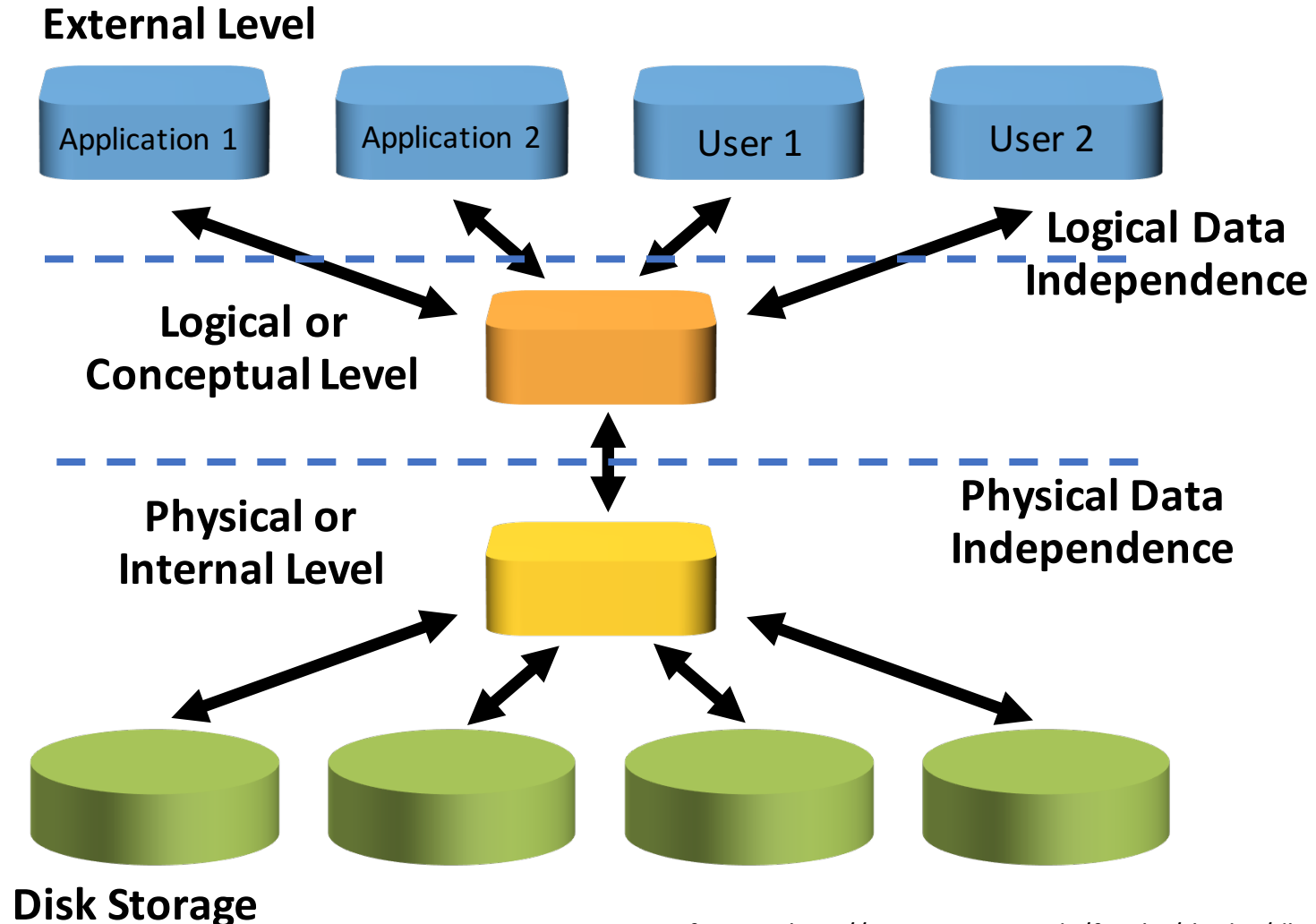
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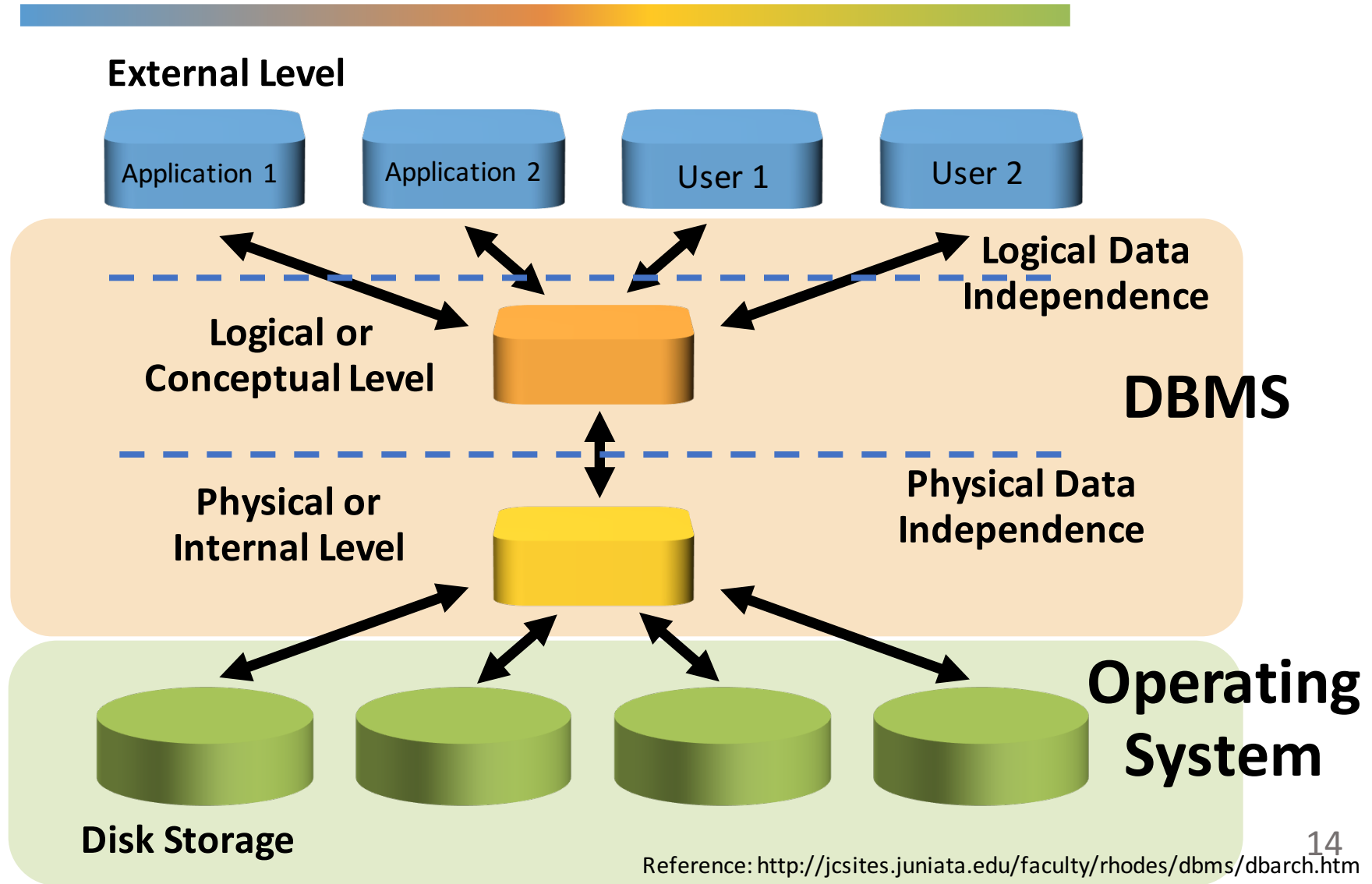
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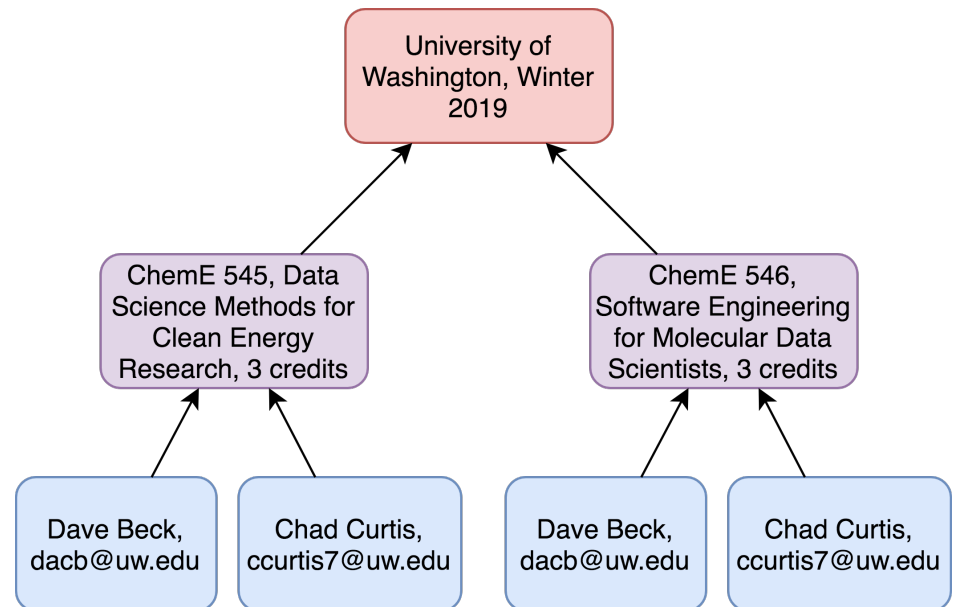
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# Data Models



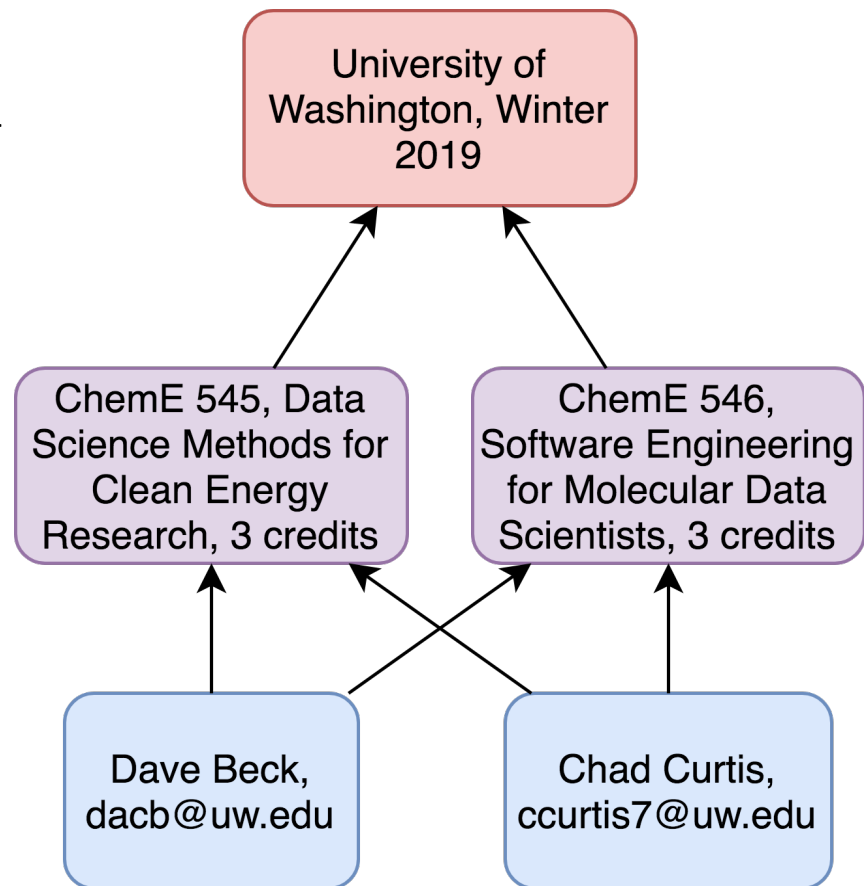
# Data Models: Hierarchical

- Simple language to interact with and retrieve data from the system
- Some logical data independence is allowed
- Each “child” can only have one “parent” but “parents” can have multiple children.
- Leads to redundant data prone to inconsistencies upon updates
- Does not offer flexibility (e.g. instructor cannot exist if they are not teaching a course)
- Lacks physical data independence (i.e. changes in physical storage would break applications)



# Data Models: Network

- More flexible than a hierarchical model
- Limits redundant data by allowing many-many relationships
- Complex to work through and retrieve data from
- No physical data independence
- No logical data independence



# Data Models: Relational

- Offers physical AND logical data independence
- Flexible design
- Simplistic compared to the network model
- Language is difficult to understand (relational algebra & calculus)
- Inefficient data retrieval

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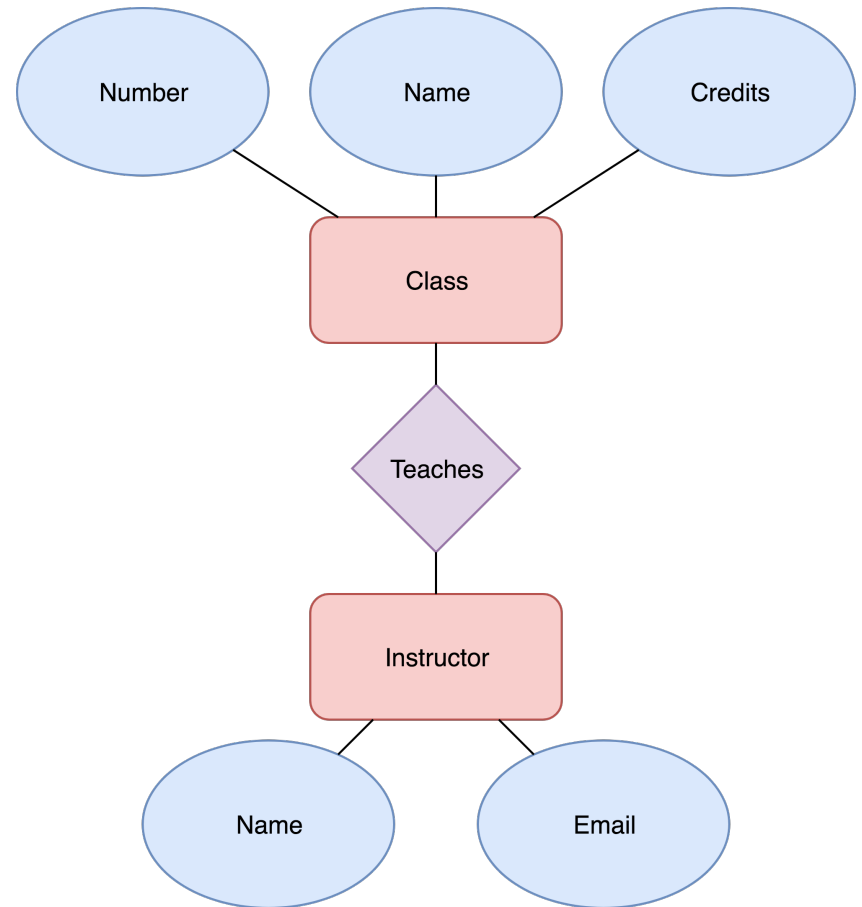
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In the 1980's, IBM had the final say in the debate between relational and network models....relational came out on top (see additional reading).

# Data Models: Entity-Relationship (E/R – Diagrams)

- Missing a language for interactions with the system
- Overshadowed by relational models
- Became successful as a **schema design tool for relational databases**

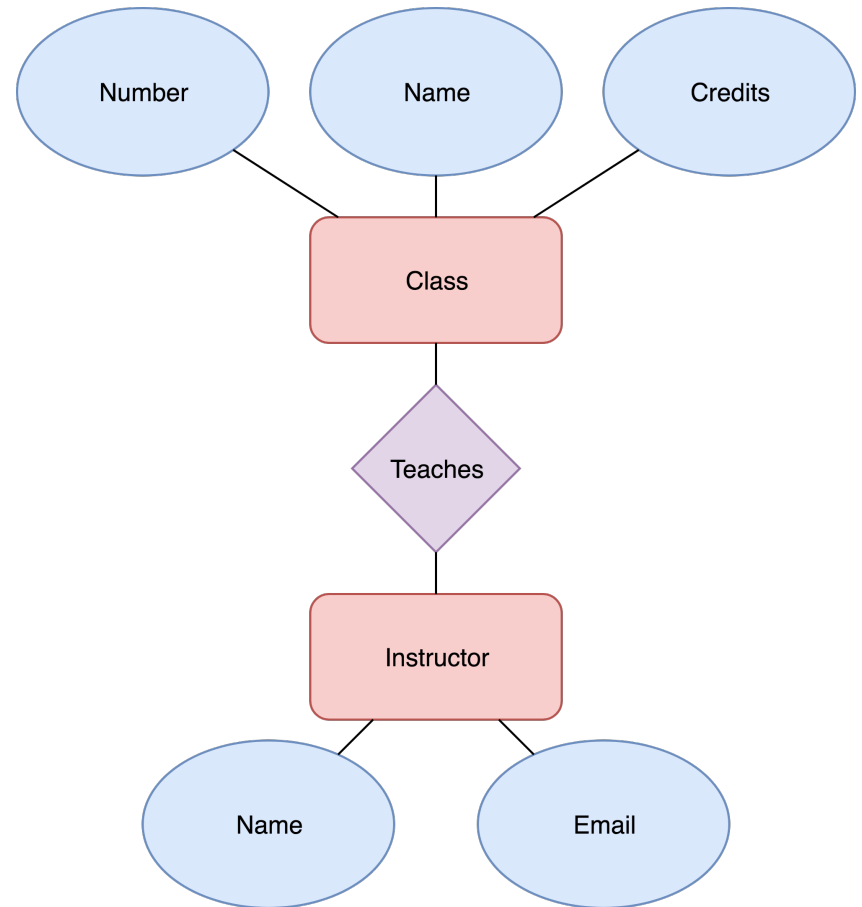


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Schema: roadmap of data organization in the database.



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# Super, Candidate, Primary and Foreign Keys

- A key is used to uniquely identify a row, or tuple, in each table within a database.
- Keys are especially important for defining relationships between data.

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Super keys

**Candidate  
keys**

# Normalization



# Database Normalization



- Normalization helps with schema design by providing a set of rules to limit data redundancy and support data integrity
- Rules get more strict as move forward through:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Normal Form
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Normal Form
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Normal Form
  - Boyce Codd Normal Form (BCNF)
- For more information beyond what we will cover today, check out this reference guide:
  - <https://www.studytonight.com/dbms/database-normalization.php>

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# Where we started



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# Final design in BCNF

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# SQL:

# Structured Query Language



# SQL: Structured Query Language



- SQL can not only allow you to retrieve specific data from a relational database, it enables you to create, delete, and/or update information in the database.
- Today, we will focus on the basic structure for retrieving specific data from a database.
  - These will start with the keyword SELECT
- For more information, and a comprehensive SQL tutorial, check out this reference:
  - [https://www.w3schools.com/sql/sql\\_intro.asp](https://www.w3schools.com/sql/sql_intro.asp)

# SELECT



- You will always start your SQL queries with the following structure:

```
SELECT feature 1, feature 2, feature 3...  
FROM table;
```

# SELECT



## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

SELECT Airline, Flight Number  
FROM Flights;

# SELECT

## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

SELECT Airline, Flight Number  
FROM Flights;

## Results

Airline	Flight Number
Alaska	36
American Airlines	36
Alaska	7
Alaska	3367
American Airlines	3367

# SELECT



## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

```
SELECT *  
FROM Flights;
```

# SELECT

## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

SELECT \*  
FROM Flights;

## Results

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA



# SELECT DISTINCT

## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

SELECT DISTINCT Airline  
FROM Flights;

# SELECT DISTINCT

## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

SELECT DISTINCT Airline  
FROM Flights;

## Results

Airline
Alaska
American Airlines

# WHERE



## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

```
SELECT *  
FROM Flights  
WHERE Airline='Alaska';
```

# WHERE

## Flights

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

```
SELECT *  
FROM Flights  
WHERE Airline='Alaska';
```

## Results

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK

# WHERE



- You can use many different operators with the WHERE keyword to declare a condition:
  - =
  - <> or !=
  - >
  - <
  - >=
  - <=
- You can also string together many conditional statements using AND, OR, NOT

# WHERE

## Flights

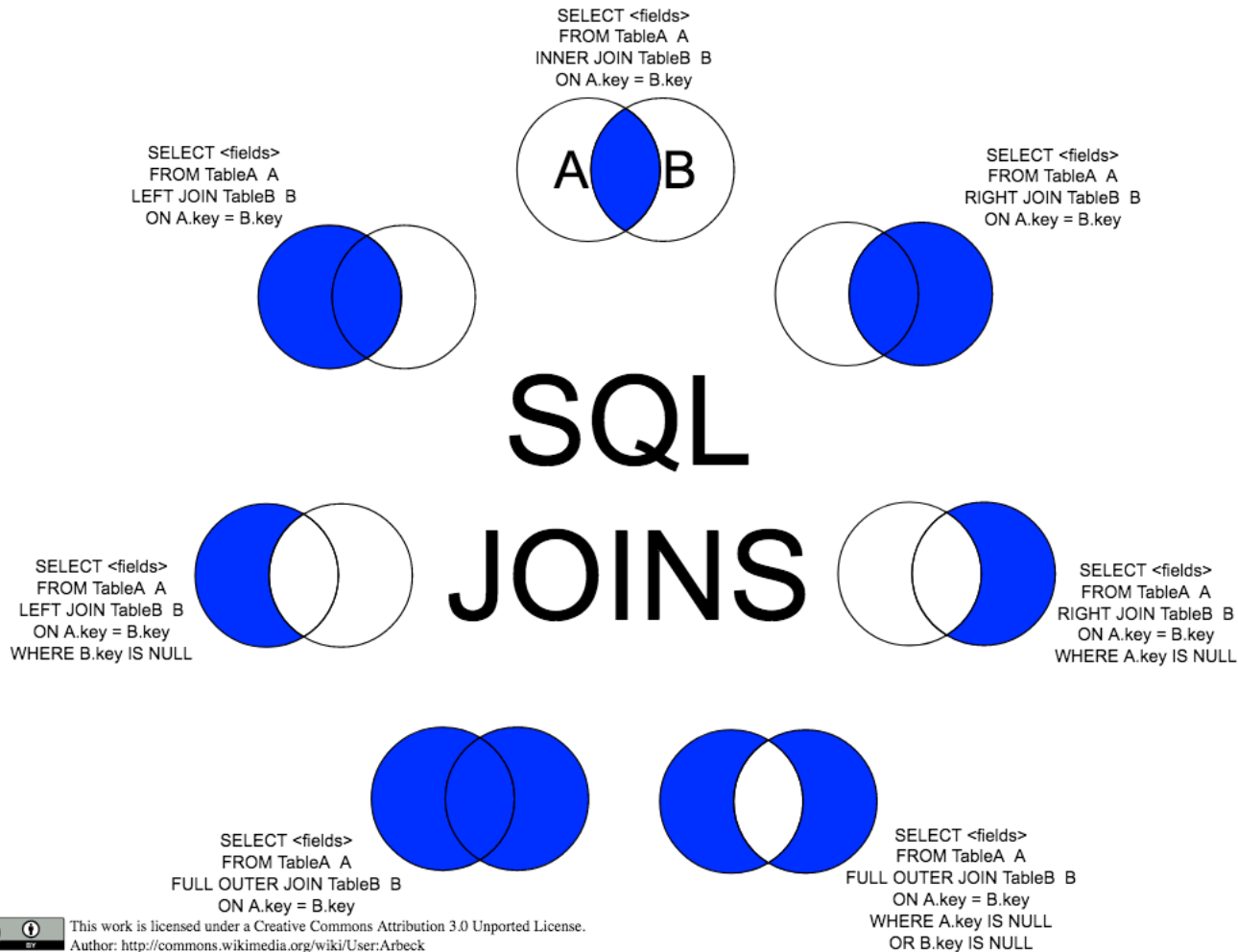
Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP
American Airlines	36	SEA → MSP
Alaska	7	MSP → JFK
Alaska	3367	MSP → JFK
American Airlines	3367	JFK → SEA

```
SELECT *  
FROM Flights  
WHERE Airline='Alaska' AND  
Path='SEA → MSP';
```

## Results

Airline	Flight Number	Path
Alaska	36	SEA → MSP

# JOINS



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# INNER JOIN

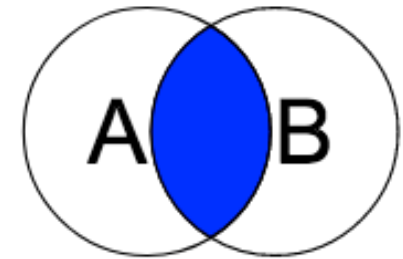
```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
INNER JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
```

Passengers

Passenger	Passenger City
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Chad	New York

Homes

Passenger City	Passenger State
Seattle	Washington
Portland	Oregon
San Diego	California



```
SELECT Passengers.Passenger, Homes.PassengerState
```

```
FROM Passengers
```

```
INNER JOIN Homes ON Passengers.PassengerCity=Homes.PassengerCity;
```

Results

Passenger	Passenger State
Caitlyn	Washington
Ted	Oregon
Torin	Washington



# LEFT JOIN

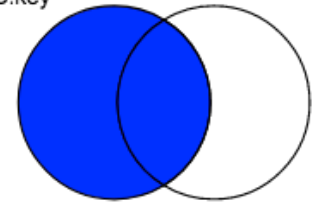
Passengers

Passenger	Passenger City
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Chad	New York

Homes

Passenger City	Passenger State
Seattle	Washington
Portland	Oregon
San Diego	California

```
SELECT <fields>  
FROM TableA A  
LEFT JOIN TableB B  
ON A.key = B.key
```



```
SELECT Passengers.Passenger, Homes.PassengerState
```

```
FROM Passengers
```

```
LEFT JOIN Homes ON Passengers.PassengerCity=Homes.PassengerCity;
```

Results

Passenger	Passenger State
Caitlyn	Washington
Ted	Oregon
Torin	Washington
Chad	NULL

# Aggregate Functions



- COUNT, MAX, MIN, SUM, AVG are available to perform operations on your dataset

## Passengers

Passenger	Passenger City
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Dave	Seattle
Chad	New York

```
SELECT COUNT(Passenger)
FROM Passengers
WHERE PassengerCity='Seattle';
```

## Results

COUNT(Passenger)
3

# GROUP BY



- You can also a GROUP BY keyword with an aggregate function

## Passengers

Passenger	PassengerCity
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Dave	Seattle
Chad	New York

```
SELECT COUNT(Passenger), PassengerCity  
FROM Passengers  
GROUP BY PassengerCity
```

## Results

COUNT(Passenger)	PassengerCity
3	Seattle
1	Portland
1	New York

# Aliases



- You can give columns or tables temporary names using an alias

## Passengers

Passenger	PassengerCity
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Dave	Seattle
Chad	New York

```
SELECT COUNT(Passenger) as Total, PassengerCity  
FROM Passengers  
GROUP BY PassengerCity
```

## Results

Total	PassengerCity
3	Seattle
1	Portland
1	New York

# Nesting with SELECT

- You can select from a table that is the result of another query

```
SELECT COUNT(Passenger) as Total, PassengerCity
```

```
FROM Passengers
```

```
GROUP BY PassengerCity
```

Passengers

Passenger	PassengerCity
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Dave	Seattle
Chad	New York

Results

Total	PassengerCity
3	Seattle
1	Portland
1	New York

# Nesting with SELECT

- You can select from a table that is the result of another query

```
SELECT COUNT(Passenger) as Total, PassengerCity
```

```
FROM Passengers
```

```
GROUP BY PassengerCity
```

Passengers

Passenger	PassengerCity
Caitlyn	Seattle
Ted	Portland
Torin	Seattle
Dave	Seattle
Chad	New York

Results

Total	PassengerCity
3	Seattle
1	Portland
1	New York

```
SELECT MAX(Total), PassengerCity
```

```
FROM (
```

```
    SELECT COUNT(Passenger) as Total, PassengerCity
```

```
    FROM Passengers
```

```
    GROUP BY PassengerCity);
```

Results

Total	PassengerCity
3	Seattle

# Practice writing SQL queries



The reference I provided also includes a practice relational database:

[https://www.w3schools.com/sql/trysql.asp?filename=trysql\\_select\\_all](https://www.w3schools.com/sql/trysql.asp?filename=trysql_select_all)

Try writing each of the queries below and write down the answers:

1. How many customers are there in the database?
2. How many different first names are there among the employees?
3. How many different countries are the suppliers located in?
4. How many suppliers are located in France?
5. What is the most of one product item that was ever purchased on a single order?
6. Which country has the most suppliers? (Hint: explore a nested query)
7. Create a table of ProductName and CategoryName for products with a price less than 50.

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Try writing each of the queries below and write down the answers:

1. How many customers are there in the database? **91**
2. How many different first names are there among the employees? **10**
3. How many different countries are the suppliers located in? **17**
4. How many suppliers are located in France? **3**
5. What is the most of one product item that was ever purchased on a single order? **120**
6. Which country has the most suppliers? (Hint: explore a nested query) **USA**
7. Create a table of ProductName and CategoryName for products with a price less than 50. **70 rows**