

## **ENTITIES AND ATTRIBUTES**

- 1. Think about 3 possible entities for each of the following information systems:
  - a) Gym
  - b) Chess game
  - c) Bus transport company
- 2. For the examples from previous activity, identify attributes of 4 types (single-valued and mandatory, single-valued and optional, multivalued and mandatory, multivalued and optional) for each entity.
- 3. For the following entities, find:
  - Identifier attributes or keys, primaries and secondaries or alternatives (remember that a key can be a set of one or more fields)
  - Possible multivalued attributes
  - Possible optional attributes
  - a) **DOWNLOAD** entity. It represents each download from an internet server.

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DOWNLOAD (size, duration, server_ip, client_ip, date_time)
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b) **ROUTE** entity. It represents each route that a bus can travel in a passenger transport company.

ROUTE (origin\_station, destination\_station, bus\_stop, distance, theoretical\_duration)

c) **JOURNEY** entity. It represents each specific journey that a bus runs.

JOURNEY (date, origin, destination, real\_time, theoretical\_time, bus\_number, journey\_code)

d) **PROJECT** entity. It represents projects of an engineering company.

PROJECT (project\_code, name, client\_company, budget, observations, responsible, initial\_date, end\_date)

## **ACTIVITIES**



- e) PHONE\_CALL entity. It represents each call in a telephone exchange.PHONE\_CALL (origin\_phone, destination\_phone, date\_time, company, duration, cost)
- f) **ELECTRICITY\_BILL** entity. It represents the bills issued by the electricity company. ELECTRICITY\_BILL (consumption, price, total, period)
- g) EXAM entity. It represents an examination of a subject in a study centre.
  EXAM (initial\_date\_time, end\_date\_time, subject, exam\_code)
- h) PLAY entity. It represents each specific play in a card game.PLAY (card\_id, players\_id, points\_at\_stake, winner\_id, date\_time)
- i) CARD entity. It represents each card in a deck.CARD (suit, number, value)