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What will we learn in this course?



## Database 数据库

### Important Terminology:

- ◆ **Database:** A Collection of interrelated data (Tables)
- ◆ **Relation:** Table
- ◆ **Tuples:** Rows
- ◆ **Attributes:** Columns
- ◆ **Instance of database:** A screenshot of the database at a particular time
- ◆ **Databae Schema:** The design of database
- ◆ **Relation Schema:** The design of a table (what attributes there are?)
- ◆ **Super Key:** A set of one or more attributes that taken together **uniquely identity** a tuple in the relation.
- ◆ **Candidate Key:** Minimal Superkey (cannot remove anymore without breaking uniqueness.)
- ◆ **Primary Key:** A candidate key chosen to distinguish between tuples
- ◆ **Foreign Keys:** A set of attributes in a relation that is a **primary key** in another relation.

### Example:

Consider the instructor table given in lecture.

1. What are the **relations**?

dept.name	building	budget	ID	name	dept.name	salary
Biology	Watson	90000	10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000
Comp. Sci.	Taylor	100000	12121	Wu	Finance	90000
Elec. Eng.	Taylor	85000	15151	Mozart	Music	40000
Finance	Painter	120000	22222	Einstein	Physics	95000
History	Painter	50000	32343	El Said	History	60000
Music	Packard	80000	33456	Gold	Physics	87000
Physics	Watson	70000	45565	Katz	Comp. Sci.	75000
			58583	Califieri	History	62000
			76543	Singh	Finance	80000
			76766	Crick	Biology	72000
			83821	Brandt	Comp. Sci.	92000
			98345	Kim	Elec. Eng.	80000

2. What are the **tuples**?

course.id	title	dept.name	credits
BIO-101	Intro. to Biology	Biology	4
BIO-301	Genetics	Biology	4
BIO-399	Computational Biology	Biology	3
CS-101	Intro. to Computer Science	Comp. Sci.	4
CS-190	Game Design	Comp. Sci.	4
CS-315	Robotics	Comp. Sci.	3
CS-319	Image Processing	Comp. Sci.	3
CS-347	Database System Concepts	Comp. Sci.	3
EE-181	Intro. to Digital Systems	Elec. Eng.	3
FIN-201	Investment Banking	Finance	3
HIS-351	World History	History	3
MU-199	Music Video Production	Music	3
PHY-101	Physical Principles	Physics	4

3. What are the **attributes** in Department Relation?

4. What are the **Relation Schemas**?

ID	course.id	sec.id	semester	year
10101	CS-101	1	Fall	2009
10101	CS-315	1	Spring	2010
10101	CS-347	1	Fall	2009
12121	FIN-201	1	Spring	2010
15151	MU-199	1	Spring	2010
22222	PHY-101	1	Fall	2009
32343	HIS-351	1	Spring	2010
45565	CS-101	1	Spring	2010
45565	CS-319	1	Spring	2010
76766	BIO-101	1	Summer	2009
76766	BIO-301	1	Summer	2010
83821	CS-190	1	Spring	2009
83821	CS-190	2	Spring	2009
83821	CS-319	2	Spring	2010
98345	EE-181	1	Spring	2009

5. Why some Schemas contains the same attributes?

dept_name	building	budget
Biology	Watson	90000
Comp. Sci.	Taylor	100000
Elec. Eng.	Taylor	85000
Finance	Painter	120000
History	Painter	50000
Music	Packard	80000
Physics	Watson	70000

6. What are the possible **superkeys** of Instructor Relation?

ID	name	dept_name	salary
10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000
12121	Wu	Finance	90000
15151	Mozart	Music	40000
22222	Einstein	Physics	95000
32343	El Said	History	60000
33456	Gold	Physics	87000
45565	Katz	Comp. Sci.	75000
58583	Califieri	History	62000
76543	Singh	Finance	80000
76766	Crick	Biology	72000
83821	Brandt	Comp. Sci.	92000
98345	Kim	Elec. Eng.	80000

7. Which are the **Candidate keys**?

course_id	title	dept_name	credits
BIO-101	Intro. to Biology	Biology	4
BIO-301	Genetics	Biology	4
BIO-399	Computational Biology	Biology	3
CS-101	Intro. to Computer Science	Comp. Sci.	4
CS-190	Game Design	Comp. Sci.	4
CS-315	Robotics	Comp. Sci.	3
CS-319	Image Processing	Comp. Sci.	3
CS-347	Database System Concepts	Comp. Sci.	3
EE-181	Intro. to Digital Systems	Elec. Eng.	3
FIN-201	Investment Banking	Finance	3
HIS-351	World History	History	3
MU-199	Music Video Production	Music	3
PHY-101	Physical Principles	Physics	4

8. Which should be the **primary key**?

9. What are the **Foreign Keys**?

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10101	CS-101	1	Fall	2009
10101	CS-315	1	Spring	2010
10101	CS-347	1	Fall	2009
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83821	CS-190	2	Spring	2009
83821	CS-319	2	Spring	2010
98345	EE-181	1	Spring	2009

## Example Tables

Product

ProductID	ProductName	SupplierID	CategoryID	Unit	Price
1	Chais	1	1	10 boxes x 20 bags	18
2	Chang	1	1	24 - 12 oz bottles	19
3	Aniseed Syrup	1	2	12 - 550 ml bottles	10
4	Chef Anton's Cajun Seasoning	2	2	48 - 6 oz jars	22
5	Chef Anton's Gumbo Mix	2	2	36 boxes	21.35
6	Grandma's Boysenberry Spread	3	2	12 - 8 oz jars	25
7	Uncle Bob's Organic Dried Pears	3	7	12 - 1 lb pkgs.	30
8	Northwoods Cranberry Sauce	3	2	12 - 12 oz jars	40
9	Mishi Kobe Niku	4	6	18 - 500 g pkgs.	97
10	Ikura	4	8	12 - 200 ml jars	31

Categories

CategoryID	CategoryName	Description
1	Beverages	Soft drinks, coffees, teas, beers, and ales
2	Condiments	Sweet and savory sauces, relishes, spreads, and seasonings
3	Confections	Desserts, candies, and sweet breads
4	Dairy Products	Cheeses
5	Grains/Cereals	Breads, crackers, pasta, and cereal
6	Meat/Poultry	Prepared meats
7	Produce	Dried fruit and bean curd
8	Seafood	Seaweed and fish

## Relational Algebra

A query language, but in a more Mathematical way ☺

Select tuples (rows) from a relation (table) satisfying a predicate (condition)

### SELECT ( $\sigma$ )

The SELECT operation is used for selecting a subset of the tuples according to a given selection condition. Sigma( $\sigma$ ) Symbol denotes it. It is used as an expression to choose tuples which meet the selection condition. Select operation selects tuples that satisfy a given predicate.

$$\sigma_p(r)$$

$\sigma$  is the predicate

$r$  stands for relation which is the name of the table

$p$  is propositional logic (boolean formula) **Connectives:** and, or, not **Operators:**  $<$ ,  $>$ ,  $\leq$ ,  $\geq$ ,  $=$ ,  $\neq$

#### Examples:

$$\sigma_{price \geq 20}(Products)$$

ProductID	ProductName	SupplierID	CategoryID	Unit	Price
4	Chef Anton's Cajun Seasoning	2	2	48 - 6 oz jars	22
5	Chef Anton's Gumbo Mix	2	2	36 boxes	21.35
6	Grandma's Boysenberry Spread	3	2	12 - 8 oz jars	25
7	Uncle Bob's Organic Dried Pears	3	7	12 - 1 lb pkgs.	30
8	Northwoods Cranberry Sauce	3	2	12 - 12 oz jars	40

$$\sigma_{price \geq 20 \text{ and } productName = "Ikura"}(Products)$$

ProductID	ProductName	SupplierID	CategoryID	Unit	Price
10	Ikura	4	8	12 - 200 ml jars	31

## Projection( $\pi$ )

The projection eliminates all attributes of the input relation but those mentioned in the projection list. The projection method defines a relation that contains a vertical subset of Relation.

This helps to extract the values of specified attributes to eliminates duplicate values. ( $\pi$ ) The symbol used to choose attributes from a relation. This operation helps you to keep specific columns from a relation and discards the other columns.

### Example 1:

$\Pi_{\text{productName, price}}(\text{Products})$

ProductName	Price
Chais	18
Chang	19
Aniseed Syrup	10
Chef Anton's Cajun Seasoning	22
Chef Anton's Gumbo Mix	21.35
Grandma's Boysenberry Spread	25
Uncle Bob's Organic Dried Pears	30

$\Pi_{\text{productName, price}}(\sigma_{\text{price} \geq 40 \text{ or productID}=5}(\text{Products}))$

ProductName	Price
Chef Anton's Gumbo Mix	21.35
Mishi Kobe Niku	97
Carnarvon Tigers	62.5
Sir Rodney's Marmalade	81
Schoggi Schokolade	43.9
Rössle Sauerkraut	45.6



## Difference (-)

The result of  $A - B$ , is a relation which includes **all tuples that are in A but not in B**.

- The attribute name of A has to match with the attribute name in B.
- The two-operand relations A and B should be either compatible or Union compatible.
- It should be defined relation consisting of the tuples that are in relation A, but not in B.

### Example:

Table A		Table B	
column 1	column 2	column 1	column 2
a	1	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1		

Table A - B	
column 1	column 2
a	1
b	1

## Union operation ( $\cup$ )

UNION is symbolized by  $\cup$  symbol. It includes **all tuples that are in tables A or in B**. It also **eliminates duplicate tuples**. So, set A UNION set B would be expressed as:  $A \cup B$

For a union operation to be valid, the following conditions must hold -

- A and B must be the same number of attributes.
- Attribute domains need to be compatible.
- Duplicate tuples should be automatically removed.

### Example:

Table A		Table B	
column 1	column 2	column 1	column 2
a	1	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1		

Table A $\cup$ B	
column 1	column 2
a	1
a	2
b	1
b	3

## Intersection operation ( $\cap$ )

An intersection is defined by the symbol  $\cap$ .

$A \cap B$

Defines a relation consisting of a set of all tuple that are in both A and B. However, A and B must be union-compatible.

### Example:

Table A		Table B	
column 1	column 2	column 1	column 2
a	1	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1		

Table $A \cap B$	
column 1	column 2
a	2

**Note:**  $A \cap B = A - (A - B)$

## Natural Join ( $\bowtie$ )

The tuples are joined if the attributes common to both relations are equal.

Natural join can only be performed if there is a common attribute (column) between the relations. The name and type of the attribute must be same.

### Example:

Table A		Table B	
Num	Square	Num	Cube
2	4	2	8
3	9	3	27
4	16	5	125

Table A $\bowtie$ B		
Num	Square	Cube
2	4	8
3	9	27

### Theta Join ( $A \bowtie_p B$ )

## Products ✕ Categories

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## Cartesian product(X)

**Cartesian Product** is an operation used to merge columns from two relations. Generally, a cartesian product is never a meaningful operation when it performs alone. However, it becomes meaningful when it is followed by other operations. It is also called Cross Product or Cross Join.

Table A		Table B	
column 1	column 2	column 1	column 2
a	1	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1		
A x B			
column 1	column 2	column 1	column 2
a	1	a	2
a	1	b	3
a	2	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1	a	2
b	1	b	3
$p_v(A) \times p_c(B)$			
v.column 1	v.column 2	c.column 1	c.column 2
a	1	a	2
a	1	b	3
a	2	a	2
a	2	b	3
b	1	a	2
b	1	b	3