

## **Module-2**

1. Explain the characteristics of relations with an example for each.
2. Discuss the various restrictions on data that can be specified on a relational database in the form of constraints.
3. Explain ER to relational mapping algorithm with suitable example
4. Explain the following unary operations with syntax and example
  - i) SELECT
  - ii) PROJECT
  - iii) RENAME
5. Explain the following binary operations with syntax and example
  - i) UNION
  - ii) INTERSECTION
  - iii) MINUS
  - iv) CROSS PRODUCT
6. Consider the two table T1 and T2. Show the results of the following operations.

T1

P	Q	R
10	a	5
15	b	8
25	a	6

T2

A	B	C
10	b	6
25	c	3
10	B	5

Show the results of the following operations

- i)  $T1 \bowtie_{T1.P=T2.A} T2$
- ii)  $T1 \bowtie_{T1.Q=T2.B} T2$
- iii)  $T1 \cup T2$
- iv)  $T1 \cap T2$
- v)  $T1 - T2$
- vi)  $T1 \bowtie_{T1.P=T2.A \text{ AND } T1.R=T2.C} T2$
- vii)  $T1 \times T2$
- viii)  $\pi_{P,Q} (\sigma_{Q=a}(T1))$

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7. Consider the following Schema:

EMP(Fname,Lname,SSN,Dno,Salary)

DEPT(Dname,Dnum,Mgr\_ss)

D\_LOC(Dno,Loc)

PROJECT(Pname,Pno,Dno,P\_Loc)

WORKS\_ON(ESSN,Pno,Hours)

Develop the query in relational algebra for the following

- a. Display the SSN, first name and last name of the employee working for the department 5.
  - b. Retrieve the location of the ‘Accounts’ Department.
  - c. Select the tuples for all employees who either work in department 4 and make over \$25,000 per year, or work in department 5 and make over \$30,000.
  - d. Retrieve the names of the project controlled by department no. 3.
  - e. Retrieve the names of employees working on project no. 4
8. Explain various types of Join operations with an example for each.
9. Consider the following schema for COMPANY database

EMPLOYEE (Fname, Lname, Ssn, Address, Bdate, Super-ssn, Salary, Dno)  
DEPARTMENT (Dname, Dnumber, Mgr-ssn, Mgr-start-date)  
DEPT-LOCATIONS (Dnumber, Dlocation)  
PROJECT (Pname, Pnumber, Plocation, Dnum)  
WORKS-ON (Essn, Pno, Hours)  
DEPENDENT (Essn, Dependent-name, Sex, Bdate, Relationship)

Develop the queries in relational algebra for the following

- a. Retrieve the birth date and address of the employee(s) whose name is ‘John B.Smith’.
- b. Retrieve the name and address of all employees who work for the ‘Research’ department.
- c. Find the names of employees who work on all the projects controlled by department number 5.
- d. Retrieve a list of names of each female employee’s dependents.

### **Module-3**

1. Illustrate informal design guidelines for relation schemas with an example for each.
2. Illustrate insertion, deletion and modification anomalies by considering the following schema diagram.

EMP_DEPT						
ENAME	SSN	BDATE	ADDRESS	DNUMBER	DNAME	DMGRSSN

3. Illustrate how a relation can be normalized till 1NF and 2NF with an example for each.
4. For the given relation R(A,B,C,D,E) and its instance , check whether the FDs given hold or not. Give reasons

$$\text{i) } A \rightarrow B \quad \text{ii) } B \rightarrow C \quad \text{iii) } D \rightarrow E \quad \text{iv) } CD \rightarrow E \quad \text{v) } AB \rightarrow E$$

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A	B	C	D	E
a1	b1	c1	d1	e1
a1	b2	c1	d1	e1
a2	b2	c1	d2	e3
a2	b3	c3	d2	e2

5. Consider the relation schema LOTS which describes parcels of land for sale in various counties of a state. Suppose that there are two candidate keys: Property\_id# and {County\_name, Lot#}; that is, lot numbers are unique only within each county, but Property\_id# numbers are unique across counties for the entire state. Based on the two candidate keys Property\_id# and {County\_name, Lot#}, the functional dependencies FD1 and FD2 hold

1. FD1:  $\text{Property\_id} \rightarrow \{\text{County\_name}, \text{Lot\#}, \text{Area}, \text{Price}, \text{Tax\_rate}\}$
2. FD2:  $\{\text{County\_name}, \text{Lot\#}\} \rightarrow \{\text{Property\_id}, \text{Area}, \text{Price}, \text{Tax\_rate}\}$
3. FD3:  $\text{County\_name} \rightarrow \text{Tax\_rate}$
4. FD4:  $\text{Area} \rightarrow \text{Price}$
5. FD5:  $\text{Area} \rightarrow \text{County\_name}$

Construct a relational schema for this database application that are each in BCNF.

6. Suppose that EMP\_PROJ relation is represented as follows:

EMP\_PROJ(Ssn, Ename, {PROJS(Pnumber, Hours)})

Ssn is the primary key of the EMP\_PROJ relation and Pnumber is the partial key of the nested relation; that is, within each tuple, the nested relation must have unique values of Pnumber.Design a normalized relational schema that are each in 1NF and 2NF

7. Consider the following relation:

EMP\_DETAILS(EmpID,BranchID,EName,Branch\_Address,Position,Working\_Hrs)

Assume that the primary key of the given relation is {EmpID,BranchID}, additional dependencies are:

EmpID→EName,Position

BranchID→Branch\_Address

Construct a relational schema which is in 2NF and 3NF.

8. Consider the following relation for published books:

BOOK(BookTitle, AuthorName, BookType, ListPrice, AuthorAffiliation, Publisher)

Suppose the following dependencies exist:

BookTitle → BookType, Publisher

BookType → ListPrice

AuthorName → AuthorAffiliation

- i) Based on the given primary key, is the relation in 1NF, 2NF? Why or why not?
- ii) Apply normalization to successively normalize it till 3NF.

9. Consider the following relation:

CAR\_SALE(Car#, DateSold, Salesman#, Commission%, DiscountAmount)

Assume that a car may be sold by multiple salesmen, and hence

{Car#, Salesman#} is the primary key.

Additional dependencies are:

Car# → DateSold

Car# → DiscountAmount

DateSold → DiscountAmount

Salesman# → Commission%

Based on the given primary key, is the relation in 1NF, 2NF, 3NF?

Why or why not?

How would you successively normalize it completely?