

# File Structure: Assignment #2

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### Notes:

1. Cheaters will be graded by **-ve points** , **Don't copy any code from anywhere ..**
2. Submit your code to through **Acadocx only**.
3. Submit one compressed file with you **ID** and **Group Name**
4. Due Date **17/4/2018 10:30 PM**
5. Team = max 2 students, team must be from the same lab

We want to store data about **books** and **authors**. (for simplicity consider any book has only one author, but any author may have more than one book, i.e. author has at least one book.)

### Book attributes

Char [13]: Book\_ID //primary key  
Char [30]: Author\_ID //sec. key  
Char[50]: Book\_Title  
Float : Book\_Price

### author attributes

Char [30]: Author\_ID //primary key  
Char[50]: Author\_Name //sec. key  
Char[50]: Author\_Address  
Char[11]: Author\_Mobile

- Consider we want to save 10 books and 10 authors.
- Save the data for books and authors in the following format: **delimited fields, length indicator records**.
- You should develop the following indexes
  1. Primary index using the Book\_ID (for Books datafile)
  2. Primary index using the Author\_ID (for Authors datafile)
  3. Secondary index using Author\_ID (for Books datafile) //Author\_ID is sec. key in Books datafile
  4. Secondary index using Name (for Authors datafile)
- The user can write a **query** that contains **fixed** key words (formatted in **red** below)
- Examples for queries that user can write
  - **select all from Books where** Author\_ID = 'xxxx' // this query will use sec. index to get results
  - **select all from Authors where** Author\_ID = 'xxxx' // this query will use primary. index to get results
  - **select Book\_Title from Books where** Book\_ID = 'xxxx' // this query will use sec. index to get results
  - **select all from Books and Authors** // (check snapshot below as an example)

Books

Book_ID	Author_ID	Book_Title	Book_Price
123456789	1	C#	100
321456987	2	Java	150
565587954	3	C++	130
569955665	1	Python	200

Authors

Author_ID	Author_Name	Author_Address	Author_Mobile
1	Ahmed Aly	Giza	01001111111
2	Moh Sayed	Cairo	01001111112
3	Aly Samt	Alex	01001111113

Author_ID	Author_Name	Author_Address	Author_Mobile	Book_ID	Book_Title	Book_Price
1	Ahmed Aly	Giza	01001111111	123456789	C#	100
1	Ahmed Aly	Giza	01001111111	569955665	Python	200
2	Moh Sayed	Cairo	01001111112	321456987	Java	150
3	Aly Samt	Alex	01001111113	565587954	C++	130

**select all from Books and Authors**

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the main welcome screen is below.

- 1) Add New Book
- 2) Add New Author
- 3) Delete Book (ID)
- 4) Delete Author (ID)
- 5) Print Book(ID)
- 6) Print Book(**Author\_ID**)
- 7) Print Author(ID)
- 8) Print Author(name)
- 9) Write a Query
- 10) Exit

### *Important notes:*

- All indexes are sorted ascending
- *No need to use a status flag to check that indexes are up-to-date.*
- *But, you MUST implement secondary indexes using **inverted list** technique.*
- Searching in indexes is performed using **binary search**.
- To delete a record just put an \* in the beginning of that record. (no need for avail list implementation)
- All operations (add, delete) will affect indexes *as explained in lecture 13*.
- Search operations will use indexes (primary or secondary)
- Bind all secondary indexes with the primary index, don't bind them by addresses directly.

*Assume any other information you need.*