

Laboratory work 2

Please write your answers to the pdf file for defense:

1. Consider the employee database of figure below. Give an expression in the relational algebra to express each of the following queries:

employee (*person_name*, *street*, *city*)
works (*person_name*, *company_name*, *salary*)
company (*company_name*, *city*)

Figure

- Find the ID and name of each employee who works for “BigBank”.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name}(\sigma_{company_name="BigBank"}(works))$

- Find the ID, name, and city of residence of each employee who works for “BigBank”.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name, city}(\sigma_{company_name="BigBank"}(works \bowtie employee))$

- Find the ID, name, street address, and city of residence of each employee who works for “BigBank” and earns more than \$10000.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name, street, city}(\sigma_{company_name="BigBank" \wedge salary > 10000}(works \bowtie employee))$

- Find the ID and name of each employee in this database who lives in the same city as the company for which she or he works.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name}(employee \bowtie works \bowtie company)$

2. Consider the employee database of figure above. Give an expression in the relational algebra to express each of the following queries:

- Find the ID and name of each employee who does not work for “BigBank”.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name}(\sigma_{company_name \neq "BigBank"}(works))$

- Find the ID and name of each employee who earns at least as much as every employee in the database.

$\Pi_{person_ID, person_name}(\sigma_{salary > avg(salary) \wedge company_name = "BigBank"}(works))$

3. Consider the foreign-key constraint from the *dept_name* attribute of instructor to the *department* relation. Give examples of inserts and deletes to these relations that can cause a violation of the foreign-key constraint.

instructor(name, dept_name, salary)
department(dept_name, city, street)

If we insert:

(Pythagoras, Philosophy, 30000) into the instructor table, where the department Philosophy does not exist in the department table, we can cause the violation of the foreign key constraint.

If we delete:

(Physics, London, Baker Street) from the department table, where at least one instructor or student tuple has dept_name Physics, we can cause the violation of the foreign-key constraint.

4. Consider the employee database of figure above. What are the appropriate primary keys? Primary keys are underlined.

employee (person name, street, city)

works (person name, company name, salary)

company (company name, city)