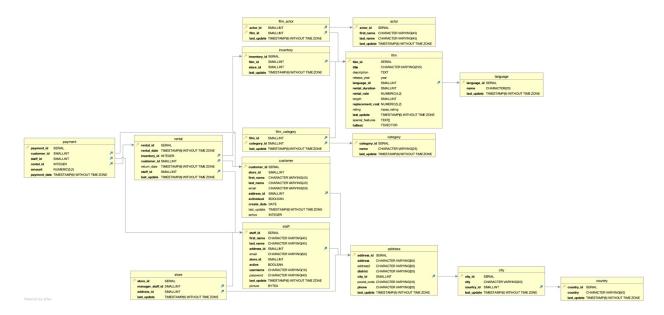
Data Immersion
Database & SQL for Analysis
3.2: Data Storage & Structure
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Entity Relationship Diagram (ERD) generated through DBVisualizer.



3a.- Does the Rockbuster database has a star schema or snowflake schema?

This is a Snowflake schema. The "payment" and "rental" tables are Fact tables that connect to each other and to other Dimension tables such as "customer", "staff", and "inventory", which at the same time connect with sub-Dimension tables such as "film actor", "film", "film category", "address", and "store", which also connect with other sub-tables like "actor", "language", "category", "city", and "country".

3b.- List all the Fact tables and Dimension tables in the schema. Also, list each table's columns and its data type, and write a brief description of the column.

Fact Table
Payment Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
payment_id	SERIAL	Unique ID of payment
		transaction
customer_id	SMALLINT	Unique customer ID
staff_id	SMALLINT	Unique staff ID
rental id	INTEGER	Unique rental transaction ID
amount_id	Numeric(5,2)	Monetary value of payment
		transaction

payment_date	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	Date of transaction—date
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	when the transaction's tuple
		was created

Fact Table

Rental Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
rental_id	SERIAL	Unique rental transaction ID
rental_date	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	Date of rental
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	
inventory_id	INTEGER	Unique item (film) ID
customer_id	SMALLINT	Unique customer ID
return_date	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	Date when the item (film) is
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	returning
staff_id	SMALLINT	Unique staff ID
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When a (the) specific rental
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	tuple was last
		updated/modified.

Dimension Table*?**

Customer Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
customer_id	SERIAL	Unique customer ID
store_id	SMALLINT	Unique store ID
first_name	CHARACTER	Customer's first name
	VARYING(45)	
last_name	CHARACTER	Customer's last name
	VARYING(45)	
email	CHARACTER	Customer's email
	VARYING(10)	
address_id	SMALLINT	Customer's address
activebool ***	BOOLEAN	Truth/Logic values
create_date	DATE	When the customer's tuple
		was created
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the customer's tuple
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	was last updated.
active	INTEGER	Customer's status

Dimension Table*?**

Staff Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
staff_id	SERIAL	Unique staff ID
first_name	CHARACTER	Staff member's first name
	VARYING(45)	

last_name	CHARACTER	Staff member's last name
	VARYING(45)	
address_id	SMALLINT	Staff member's address
email	CHARACTER	Staff member's email
	VARYING(45)	
store_id	SMALLINT	Unique store ID
active***	BOOLEAN	Truth/Logic values
username	CHARACTER	Unique staff members
	VARYING(16)	username
password	CHARACTER	Password to access with staff
	VARYING(40)	members username
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the staff member's
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	tuple was last updated
picture	BYTEA	Picture to identify staff
		member

Dimension Table***? Inventory Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
inventory_id	SERIAL	Unique inventory ID
film_id	SMALLINT	Unique film ID
store_id	SMALINT	Unique store ID
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the inventory item's
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	tuple was last updated

Dimension Table Store Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
store_id	SERIAL	Unique Store's ID
manager_staff_id	SMALLINT	Unique staff manager ID—
		matching store_id and
		address id
address_id	SMALLINT	Unique store's address ID—
		matching store_id and
		manager_id
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the a <i>store_id</i> tuple was
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	last updated/modified

Dimension Table Address Table

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Columns	Data Type	Description
address_id	SERIAL	Customer's and/or Staff
		member's addresses
address	CHARACTER	Customer's and/or Staff
	VARYING(50)	memmber' address

address2	CHARACTER	Customer's and/or Staff
	VARYING(50)	member's additional or
		complementary address
district	CHARACTER	District of the address
	VARYING(20)	
city_id	SMAILLINT	City of the address
postal_code	CHARACTER	Postal Code of the address
	VARYING(10)	
phone	CHARACTER	Customer's and/or Staff
	VARYING(20)	member's phone number
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the address_id tuple
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	was last updated

Dimension Table

Film Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
film_id	SERIAL	Unique film ID
title	CHARACTER	Film's title
	VARYING(255)	
description	TEXT	Film's synopsis
release_year	year	Which year the film was
		released
language_id	SMALLINT	Unique language ID
rental_duration	SMALLINT	Number of days a film can be
		rented for
rental_rate	NUMERIC(4,2)	Film's rental price
length	SMALLINT	Film's duration time/length
replacement_cost	NUMERIC(5,2)	How much to charge to
		customer in case film was lost
		or damaged
rating	mpaa_rating	The type of audience aloud to
		watch the film
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When the <i>film_id</i> tuple was
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	last updated
special_features	TEXT[]	Additional/supporting
		material to the film such as
		trailers, commentaries,
		deleted scenes, etc.
fulltext	TSVECTOR	Related words to lookup for
		film

Dimension Table

Film Actor

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Columns	Data Type	Description
actor_id	SAMLLINT	Unique actor ID
film id	SMALLINT	Unique film ID

last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	when the <i>actor_id</i> tuple was
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	last updated

Dimension Table

Film Categroy

Columns	Data Type	Description
film_id	SAMLLINT	Unique film ID
category_id	SMALLINT	Unique film category
last update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When <i>film id</i> tuple was last
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	updated

Dimension Table

Actor Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
actor_id	SERIAL	Unique actor ID
first_name	CHARACTER	Actor's first name
	VARYING(45)	
last_name	CHARACTER	Actor's last name
	VARYING(45)	
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When actor id tuple was last
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	updated

Dimension Table

Category Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
category_id	SERIAL	Unique category ID
name	CHARACTER	Category's name
	VARYING(25)	
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When <i>category_id</i> tuple was
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	last updated

Dimension Table

Language Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
language_id	SERIAL	Unique language ID
name	CHARACTER(20)	Language's name
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When <i>language_id</i> tuple was
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	last updated

Dimension Table

City Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
city id	SERIAL	Unique city ID
city	CHARACTER	City's name
	VARYING(50)	

country_id	SMALLINT	Country in which such city is
		in
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6)	When city_id tuple was last
	WITHOUT TIMEZONE	updated

Dimension Table Country Table

Columns	Data Type	Description
country_id	SERIAL	Unique country ID
country	CHARACTER VARYING(50)	Country's name
last_update	TIMEZONESTAMP(6) WITHOUT TIMEZONE	When <i>country_id</i> tuple was last updated

4a and 4b.- Use the created dictionary to answer which tables would you use to anwer the following queries:

Which actors brought Rockbuster the most revenue?

"payment" relating info on "rental", relating info on "inventory", relating info on "film" and "film_actor", relating with "actor" table. All of those tables relate to each other, and all of them contain relevant information that will relate the actor with the made revenue by the rented film(s) he or she was in, and order it as a ranking.

What language are the majority of movies in the collection?

"film_categroy" table relating with "film" table, relating with "language" table. All of those tables relate one with the other in that specific order.