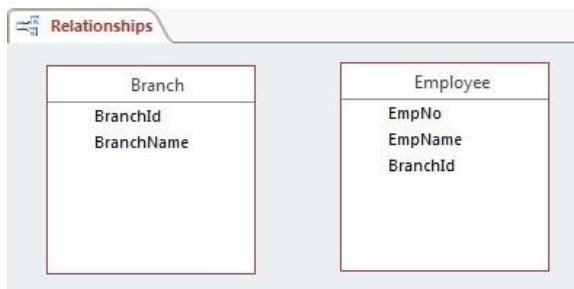


Tutorial 2 – Discussion Questions for Week 2

1. Primary and Foreign Keys

- a) What is a Primary Key?
- b) Does every table require a Primary Key?
- c) How many Primary Keys can a table have?
- d) What is a Foreign Key?
- e) Does every table require a Foreign Key?
- f) How many Foreign Keys can a table have?
- g) Can a Primary Key have a Null value?
- h) Can a Foreign Key have a Null value?
- i) What happens when you add a record to a table where the Foreign Key value does not match a Primary Key value in the related table?

2. Consider the following Relationship Diagram:



- a) Which field(s) should be a Primary Key?
- b) Which field(s) should be a Foreign Key?
- c) Which table will be at the ONE end of the M:1 relationship?
- d) Which table will be at the MANY end of the M:1 relationship?
- e) True or False?
 - i. ONE employee may belong to MANY branches
 - ii. ONE branch may have MANY employees

3. Suppose that you want to add the following data to the above tables

Employee: EmpNo: 1 EmpName: Emma BranchId: 101

Branch: BranchID: 101 BranchName: Hawthorn

Select the most correct answer.

- a) The employee data **must** be added to the employee table before the branch data is added to the branch table.
- b) The branch data **must** be added to the branch table before the employee data is added to the employee table.
- c) It does **not** matter which sequence the data is added to these tables.

4. Referential Integrity

Lecture 2 contained a slide with a screenshot similar to this **Edit Relationships** dialog box.

- Is **1** (RATINGCODE of left of screen) a PK or a FK?
- Is **2** (RATINGCODE of right of screen) a PK or a FK?
- The Enforce Referential Integrity option should always be checked **3**. What is Referential Integrity?
- Provide an example of RATINGCODE data that would fail the Referential Integrity test?

5. Queries

Two tables have been created named Branch and Employee

Branch		Employee		
BranchId	BranchName	EmpNo	EmpName	BranchId
101	Hawthorn	1	Emma	101
102	Camberwell	3	Sue	101
106	Box Hill	2	Todd	102

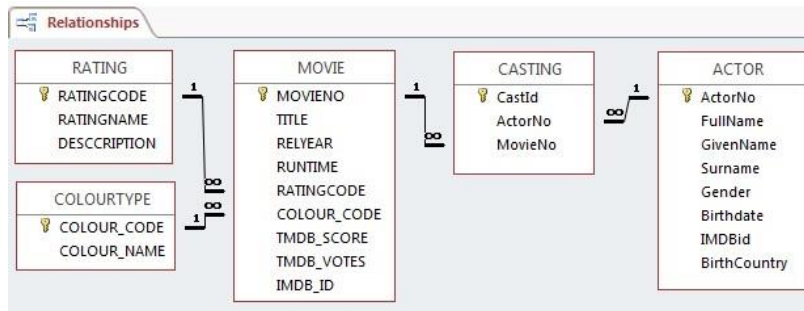
A query has been created based on these two tables

When the query is run, the following data appears:

- Is the output what you would expect? (Hint: No).
- Why does the output show Emma (and every other employee) belonging to 3 branches?
- What is the name of this problem / phenomenon?
- What can be done to overcome this problem?

6. Movies relationships

Consider the following Relationship Diagram.



True or False?

- The Rating table has ONE foreign key
- The ColourType table has ONE foreign key
- The Casting table has TWO foreign keys
- ONE Actor may have MANY Casting records
- ONE Casting record may refer to MANY movies
- ONE Movie may have MANY ratings
- ONE Casting record may only refer to ONE actor

7. Movies data

Consider the following information:

MOVIE									
MOVIE_NO	TITLE	REYEAR	RUNTIME	RATINGCODE	COLOUR_CODE	TMDB_SCORE	TMDB_VOTES	IMDB_ID	
286217	The Martian	2015	141	M	C	7.6	3717	tt3659388	
324668	Jason Bourne	2016	123	M	C	7.2	121	tt4196776	

ACTOR								
ActorNo	FullName	GivenName	Surname	Gender	Birthdate	IMDBid	BirthCountry	
1892	Matt Damon	Matt	Damon	M	8/10/1970	nm0000354	USA	
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CASTING		
Field Name	Data Type	
CastId	AutoNumber	
ActorNo	Number	
MovieNo	Number	

We need to add the information that Matt Damon was cast into the movies "The Martian" and "Jason Bourne" in the database.

- How many new rows have to be added to the database to make this occur?
- In which table(s) would this data be added to?
- What values would be entered into the row(s)? Provide actual values.

8. Queries with totals

The following Query is based on the Movie table in the Movie database:

Field:	RATINGCODE	RATINGCODE
Table:	MOVIE	MOVIE
Total:	Group By	Count
Sort:		
Show:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Criteria:		

Assume that the only the following records exist in the movie table.

MOVIE							
MOVIE	NO	TITLE	REYEAR	RUNTIME	RATINGCODE	COLOUR_CODE	TMDB_SCORE
	881	A Few Good Men	1992	138	M	C	6.7
	8699	Anchorman: The Legend of Ron Burgundy	2004	94	M	C	6.6
	11287	A League of Their Own	1992	128	PG	C	6.4
	16614	Adventureland	2009	107	M	C	6.2
	68734	Argo	2012	120	M	C	6.7
	241259	Alice Through the Looking Glass	2016	118	PG	C	6.6

- How many columns will be displayed?
- How many rows will be displayed?
- What are the values displayed in each row?

9. Queries with totals

Based on the above movie data

- How many rows are displayed by this query?
- What values are displayed in Row 1 of the query results?

Field:	RATINGCODE	TMDB_SCORE	TMDB_SCORE
Table:	MOVIE	MOVIE	MOVIE
Total:	Group By	Group By	Count
Sort:	Ascending		
Show:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Criteria:			
or:			

10. Indexes

- What is an Index?
- What sort of information is stored in an Index?
- Can you view the contents of an index?
- Can an index allow duplicate values? Why is this so?
- How can an index be added to a table?
- How can an index improve the performance of a database?
- How can index be detrimental to the performance of a database system?

11. Forms

List at least 4 benefits of using a form instead of using a grid view to add / modify data.
(Hint: Perhaps try to think from an end user's perspective rather than a database developer)