CS660 PA1

1.Description

Tuple.java

• check index of 'Field' must be in the range [0, fields.length-1];

TupleDesc.java

- equals: case 1 check if 'o' equals to pointer 'this'; case 2 check if object 'o' is instance of 'TDItem'; case 3 check name equality, and type equality;
- In the constructor, 'TupleDesc()', TDItem[] array must be non-empty and must contain at least one item;

Catalog.java

- use a hash table to store the mapping between table id and table;
- use a hash table to store the mapping between table name and table id;
- table has the attributes (type): DbFile, table name, primary key;

BufferPool.java

• In 'getPage' method, when the page is in buffer pool, just return the page; otherwise we have to look up 'Catalog' and get corresponding page from 'DbFile'. If the page number exceed the size of buffer pool, call evictPage() method.

HeapPageId.java & RecordID.java

• for hash code, I choose hash(a,b)=prime * a + b;

HeapPage.java

- for method 'isSlotUsed(int i)', check if (header[byte_num]>>offset) %2 is 1, where byte num = i/8; offset = i%8;
- for method 'iterator()', just iterates each tuple in use;

HeapFile.java

- 'readPage()' use RandomAccessFile to read PageSize of data from disk, then create a new HeapPage with the data;
- in 'DbFileIterator iterator()', 'open()' method return the iterator of the first heap page that can be used;

SeqScan.java

- use the 'tableid' to find corresponding heap file, and use the iterator of the heap file to iterate the table;
- the TupleDesc with field names from the underlying heap file should prefix with the tableAlias string from the constructor.
- 2. No change to the API.
- 3. Complete all requirements of Lab1.
- 4. Totally spend about 8 hours on this lab.