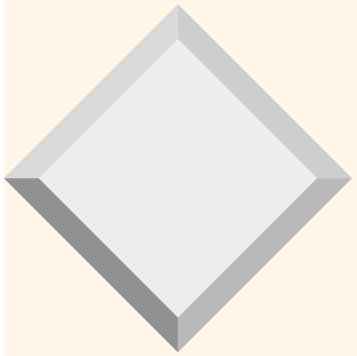
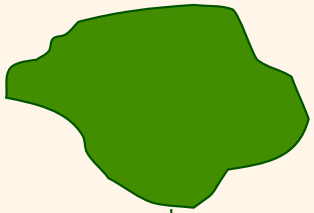


The Entity-Relationship Model

ER model

Chapter 2

Overview of Database Design



Miniworld

Requirements Collection and Analysis

Functional requirements

Database requirements

Functional Analysis

Conceptual Design

Transaction specification

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Logical Design

Conceptual (Logical) Schema (in DMBS specific model)

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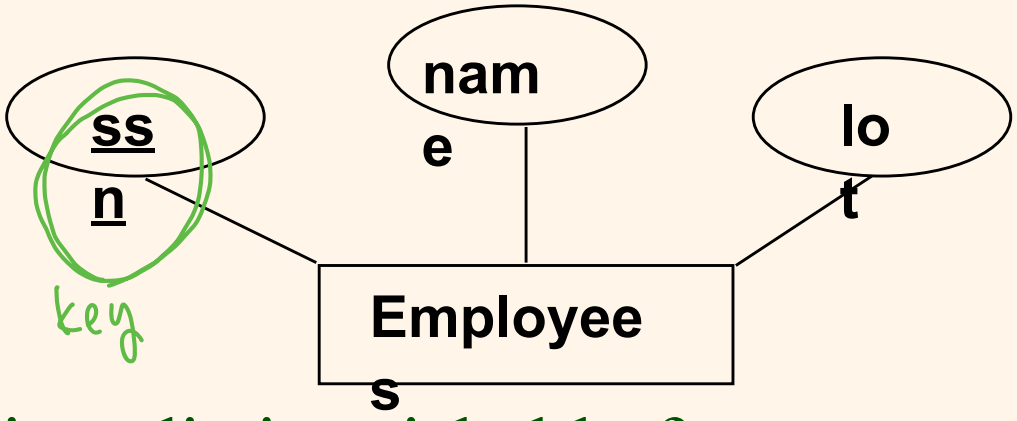

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entity – object
property method
attribute

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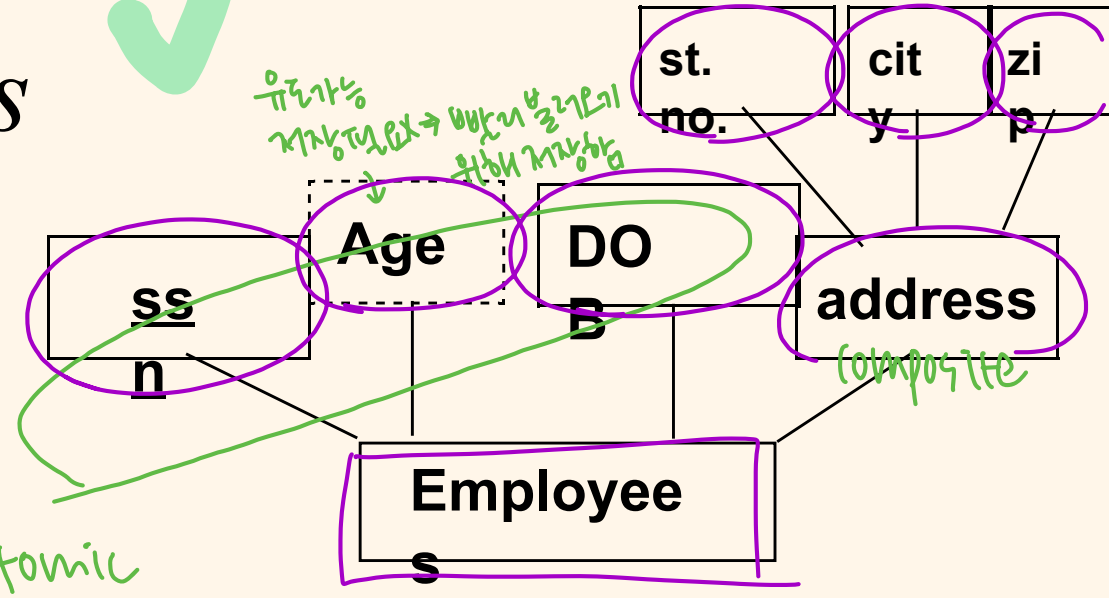

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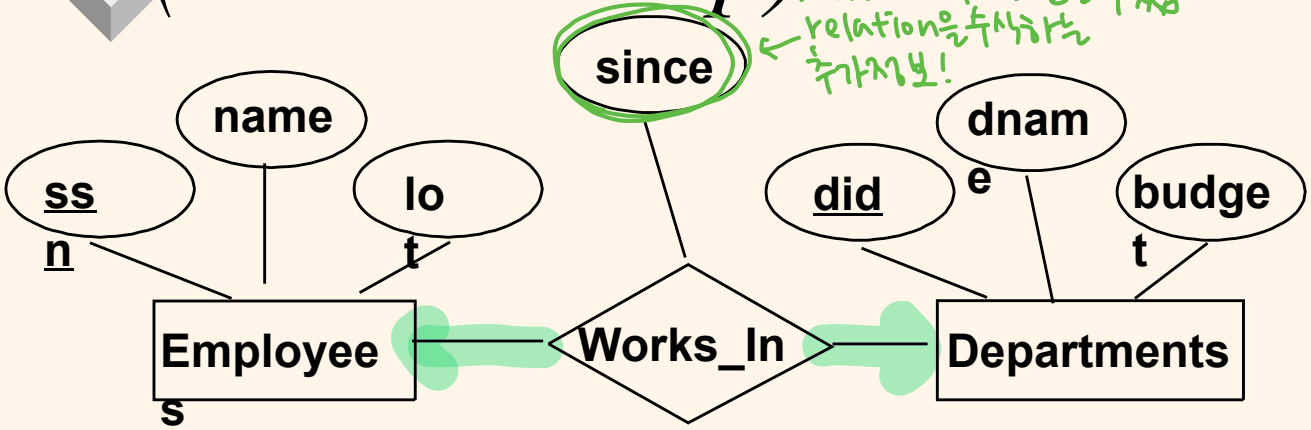

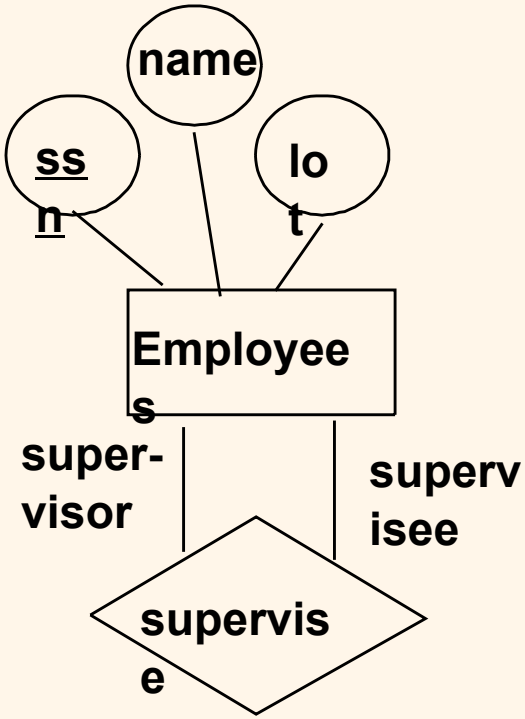

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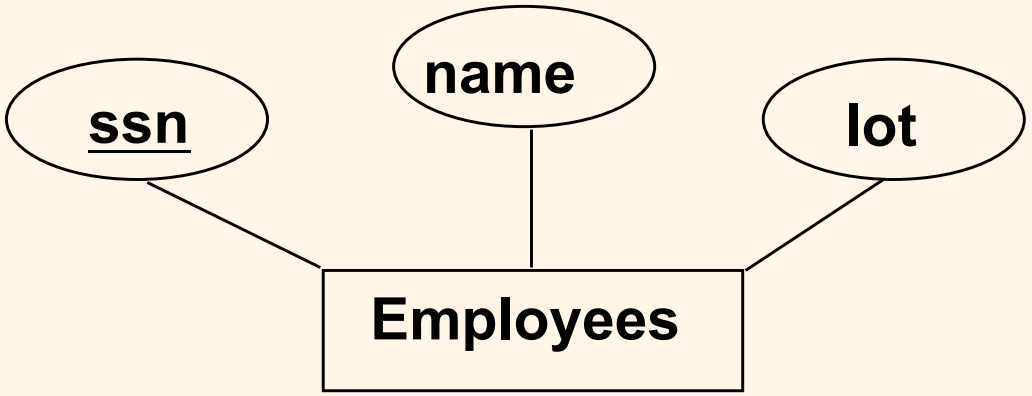

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↳ data type

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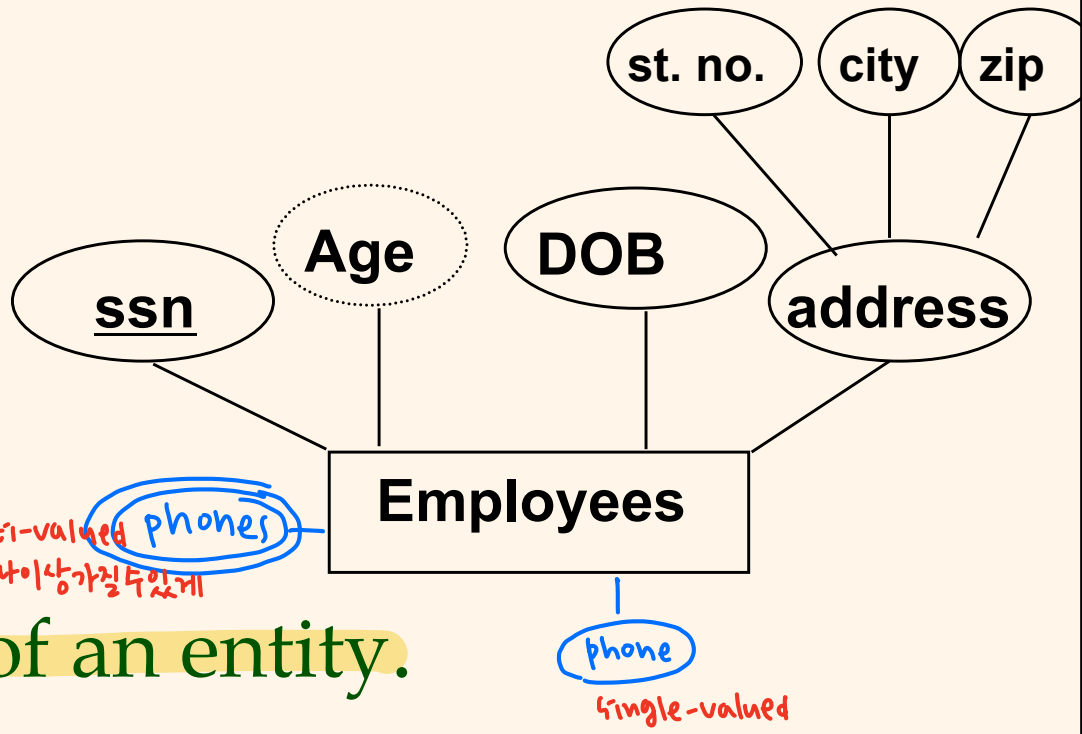

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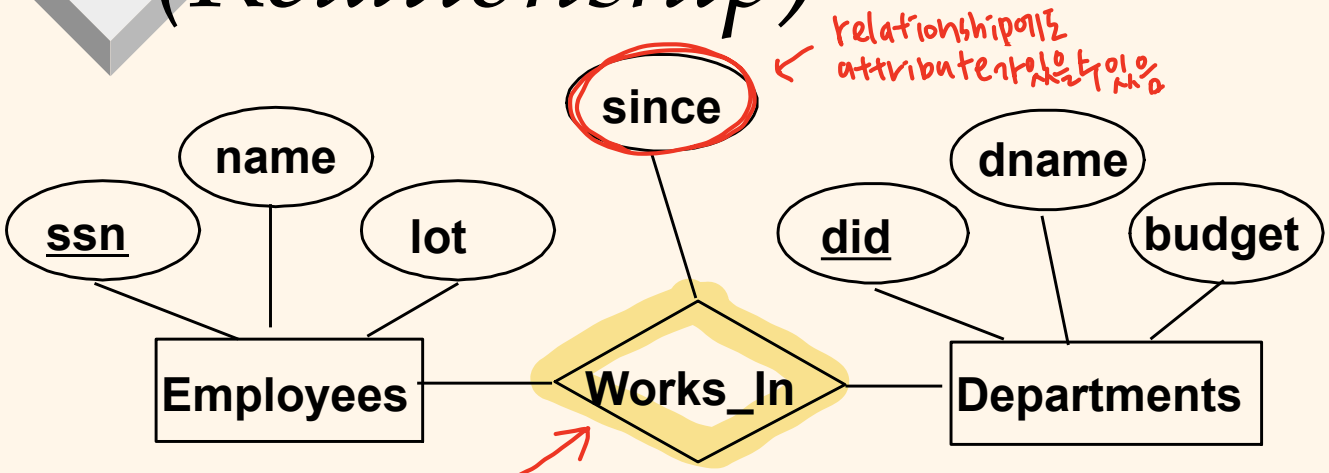

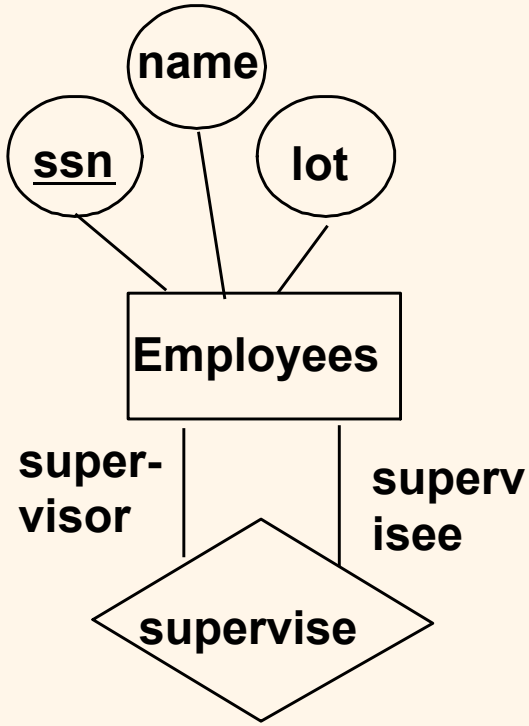

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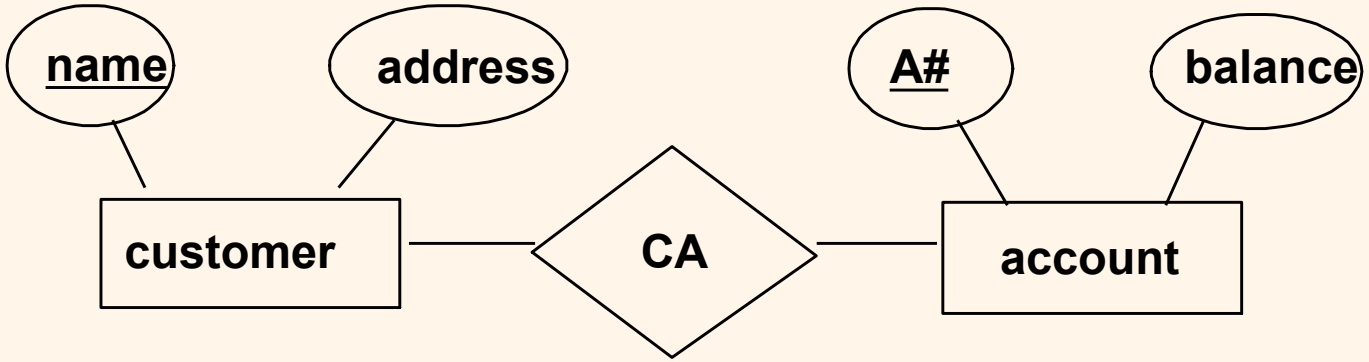
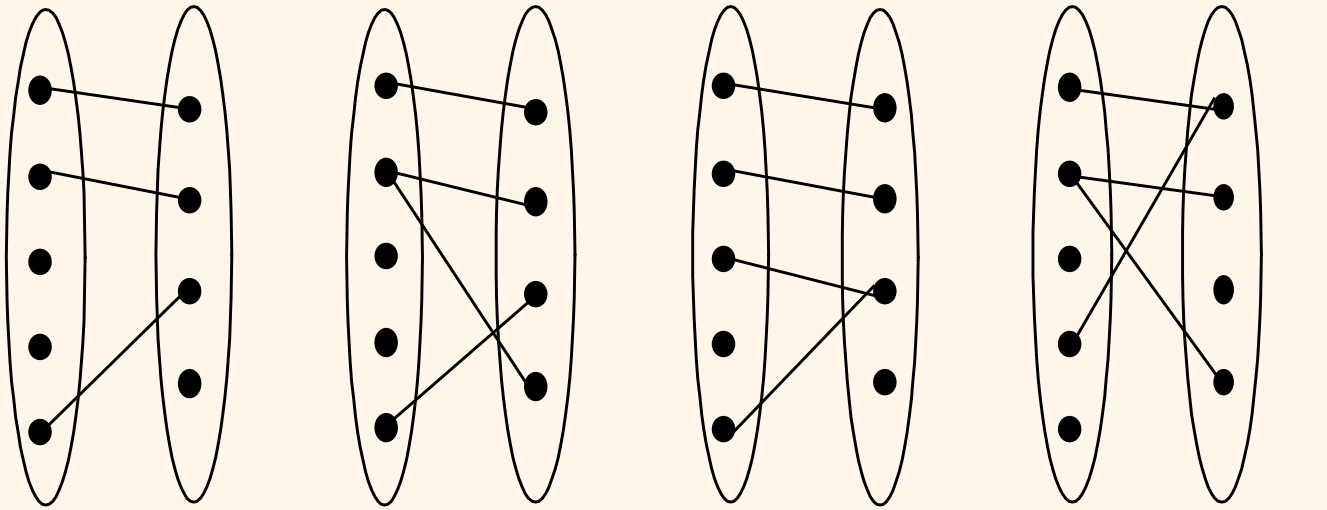
Mapping Constraints (Cardinality Ratio)

: binary



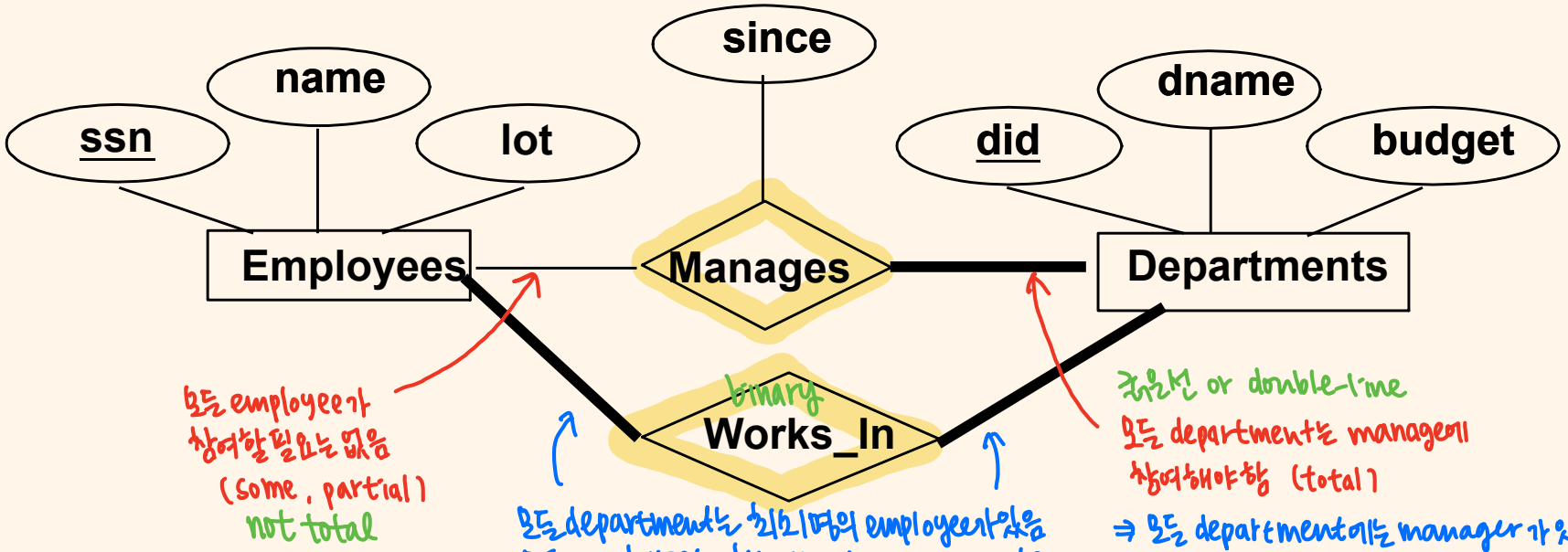


Participation Constraints

★ relationships에서 관심있는것
① mapping ratio (constraint)
: 몇대 몇으로 묶이는지?
② participation constraint < total / partial
: 다 참여해야돼?

binary relationship – ex. x와 y의 관계

- Does every department have a manager?
  - If so, this is a *participation constraint*: the participation of Departments in Manages is said to be *total* (vs. *partial*).
    - Total participation is represented in thick (double) line.
    - Every *did* value in Departments table must appear in a row of the Manages table (with a non-null *ssn* value!)



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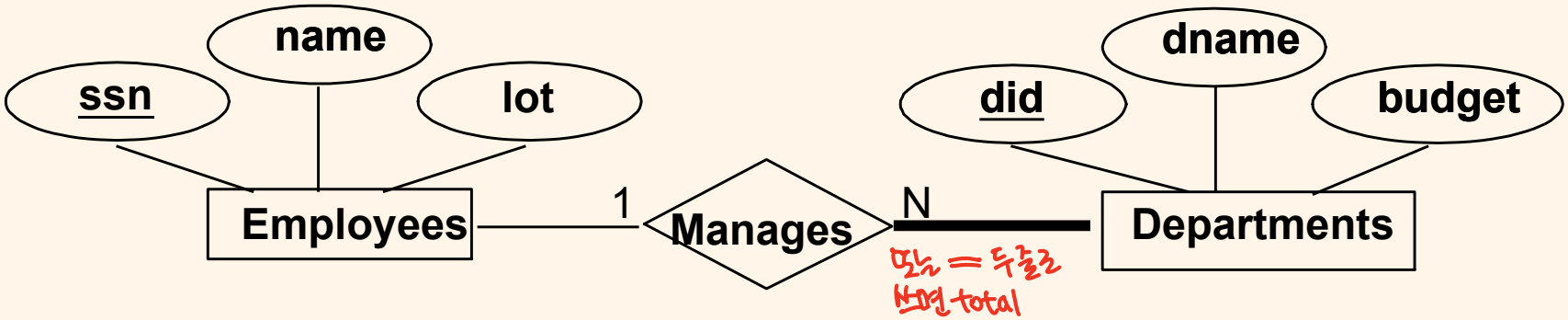

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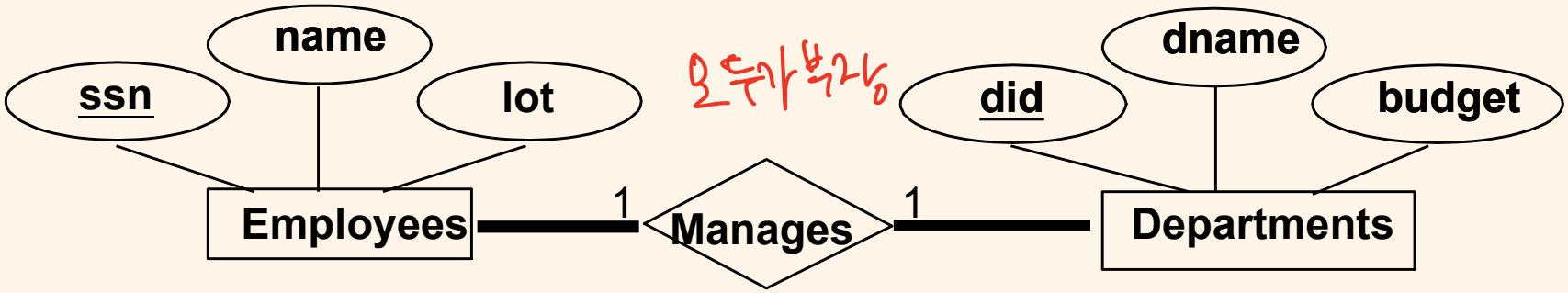

- Every employee must manage exactly one department, while each department must also have exactly one manager.

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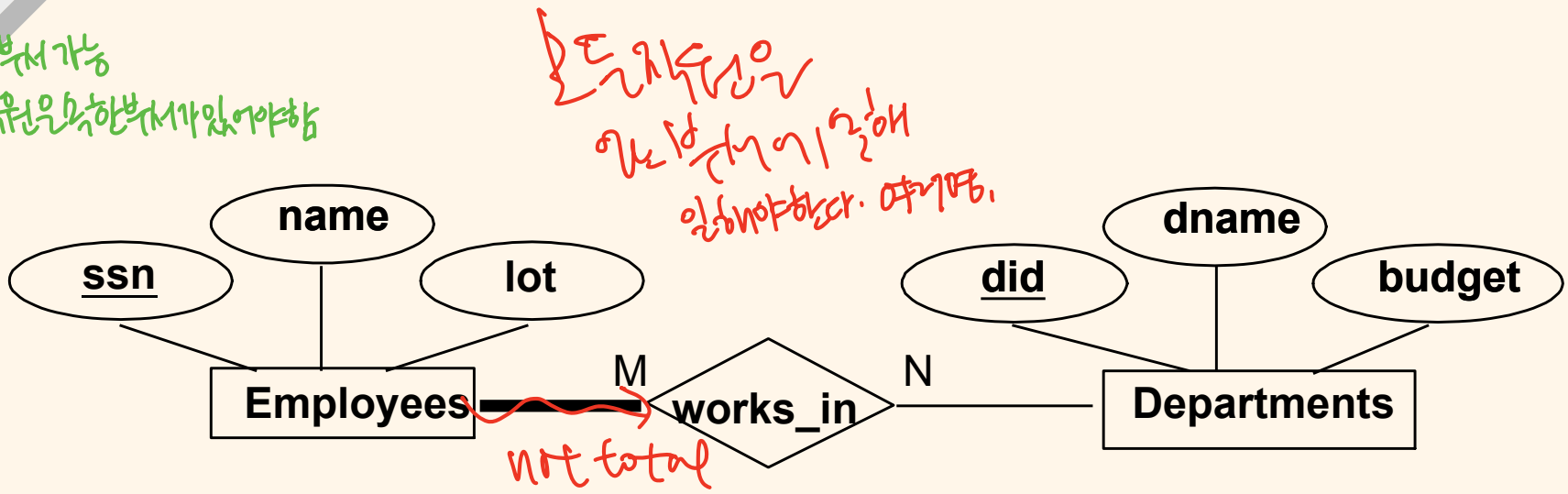


- Every employee must work in at least one or more than one departments. Each department may have multiple employees while there may be some departments which do not have any employee to work in.

Weak Entities

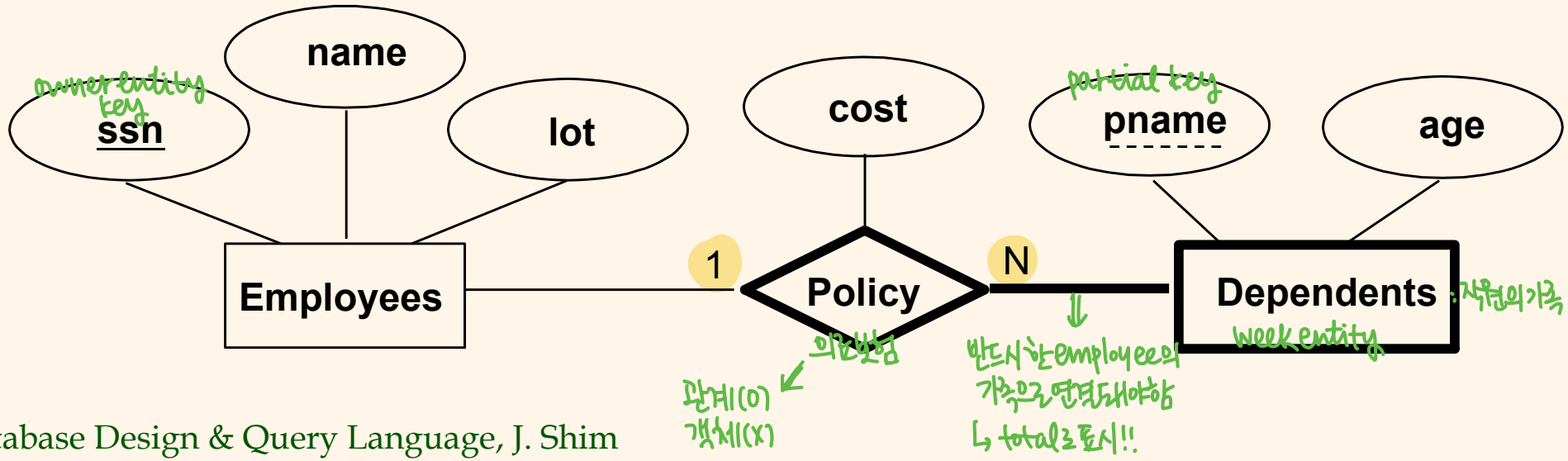
key를 이용해서만 구별할 수 있는 객체

distinguishable하지 않는 entity
무언가에 딸려있음 → owner key 타입 + partial key로 형성해서 식별
key 없음, partial key만

↔ entity (strong x!!)

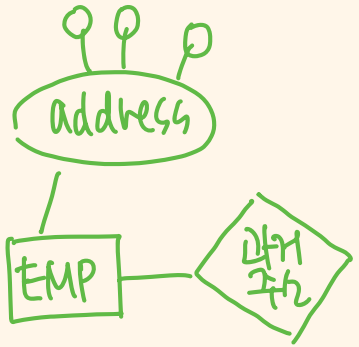
→ object

- A *weak entity* can be identified uniquely only by considering the primary key of another (*owner*) entity.
  - Key of weak entity : key of owner entity + partial key
    - A의 가족 B, C의 가족 B) 동명이인의 경우?
    - ↳ 내 이름 B와 가족 이름을 같이 가짐
  - Owner entity set and weak entity set must participate in a one-to-many relationship set (one owner, many weak entities).
  - Weak entity set must have total participation in this *identifying* relationship set.
  - Removing owner entity results in removing its all weak entities : *existence dependency*.



Conceptual Design Using the ER Model

- Design choices:
  - Should a concept be modeled as an entity or an attribute?
  - Should a concept be modeled as an entity or a relationship?
  - Identifying relationships: Binary or ternary?
- Constraints in the ER Model:
  - A lot of data semantics can (and should) be captured.
  - But some constraints cannot be captured in ER diagrams.

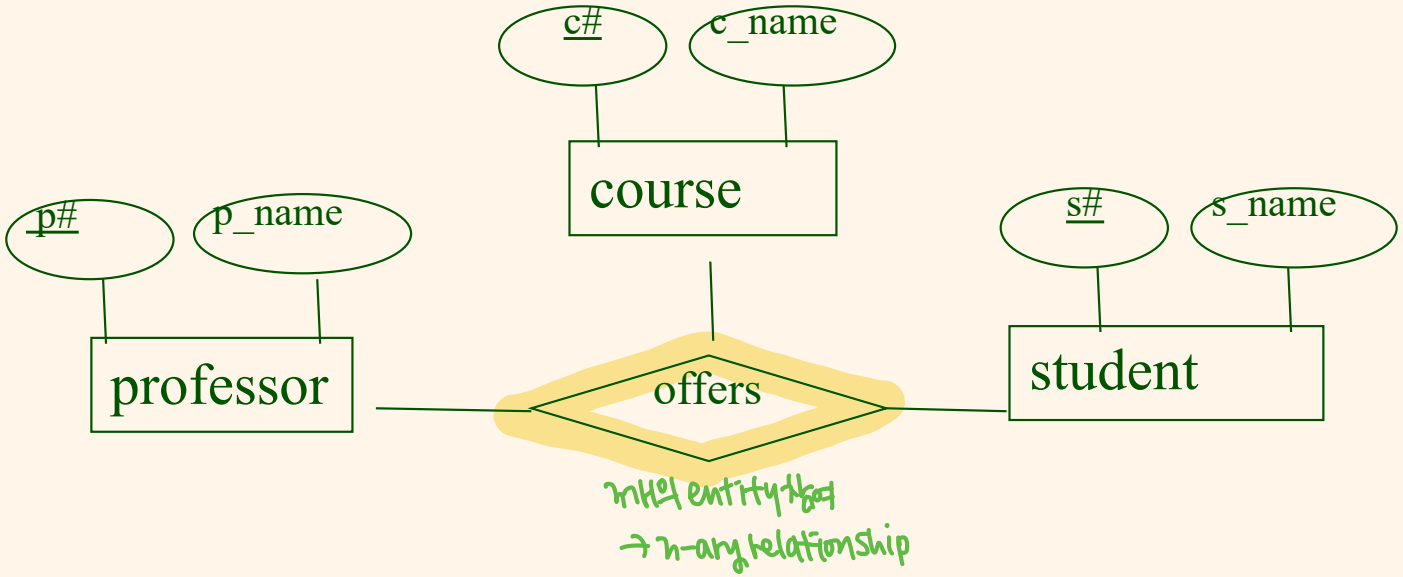


Entity vs. Attribute

property
: entity와 관련있는 data

- Should *address* be an attribute of Employees or an entity (connected to Employees by a relationship)?
- Depends upon the use we want to make of address information, and the semantics of the data:
  - If the structure (city, street, etc.) is important, e.g., we want to retrieve employees in a given city, *address* can be modeled as an entity (since attribute values are atomic).

Ternary Relationships



- An example of n-ary relationship
- Types of cardinality:
  - 1:1:1, 1:1:N, 1:M:N, M:N:P

M:N을 1:N과 N:1 모두만족
1:M:N을 1:1:N과 1:M:1 모두만족

M:N:P가 동일한 pair(M:N)에 대해 다수의 P를 가지는 경우

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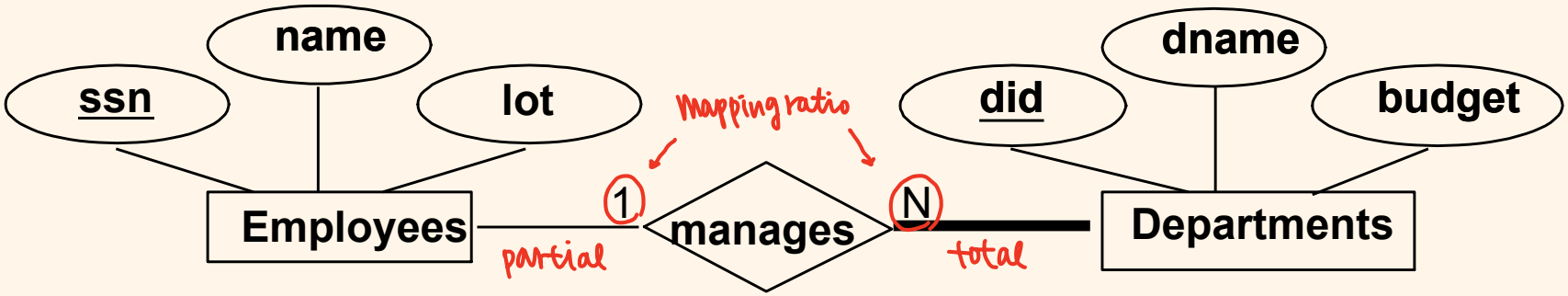

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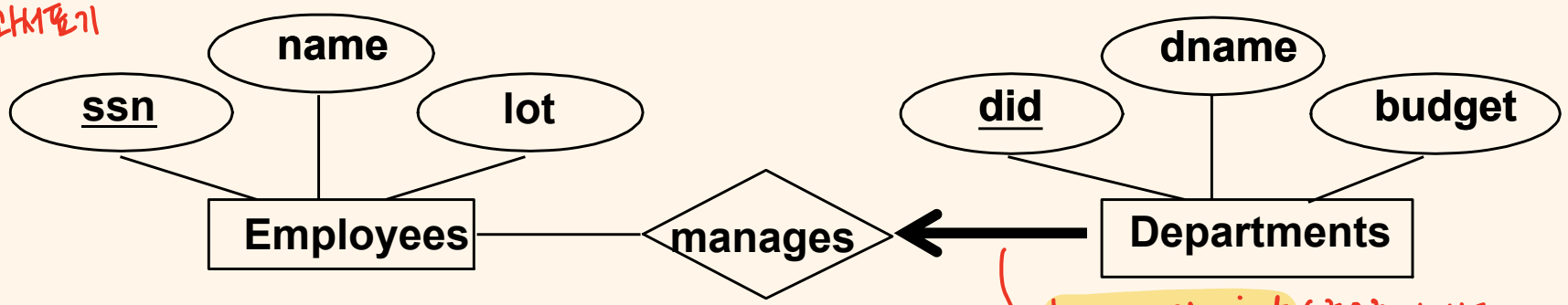

key constraint (주은출+화살표)

: department는 반드시 1번만참여
(모든 department는반드시 manager가있고한명만 가질수있다)

⇒ department측면에서만설명, manager가 여러 department를가질수있는지 여부는 알수없음

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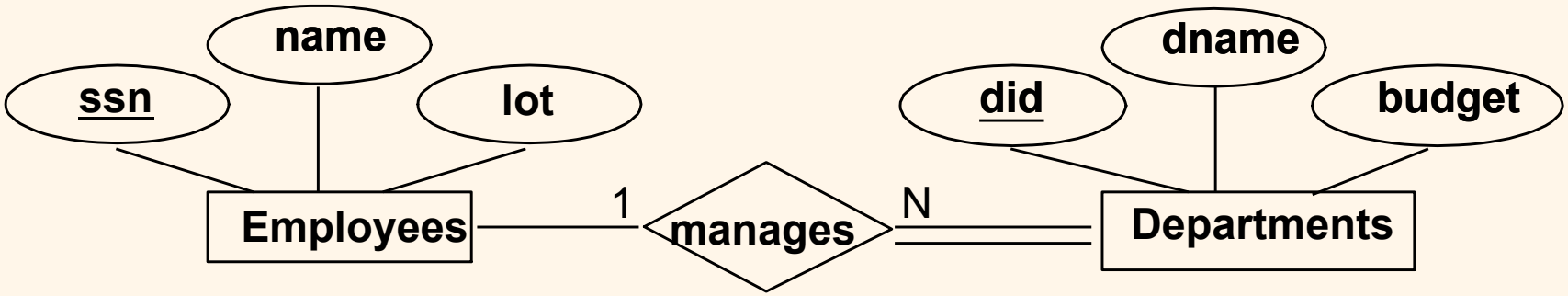

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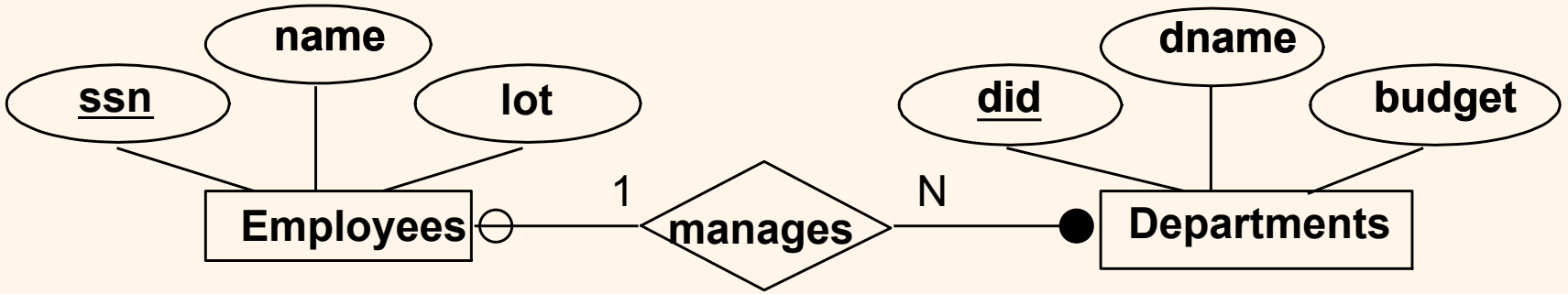

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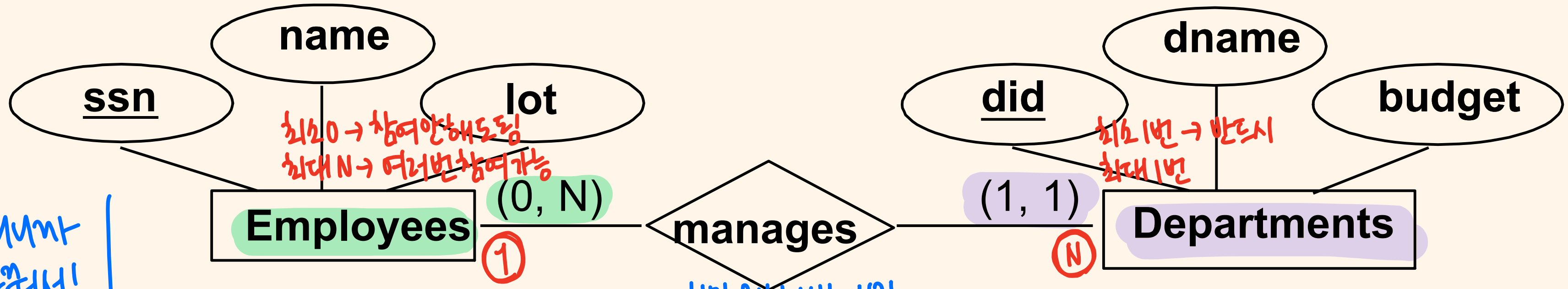

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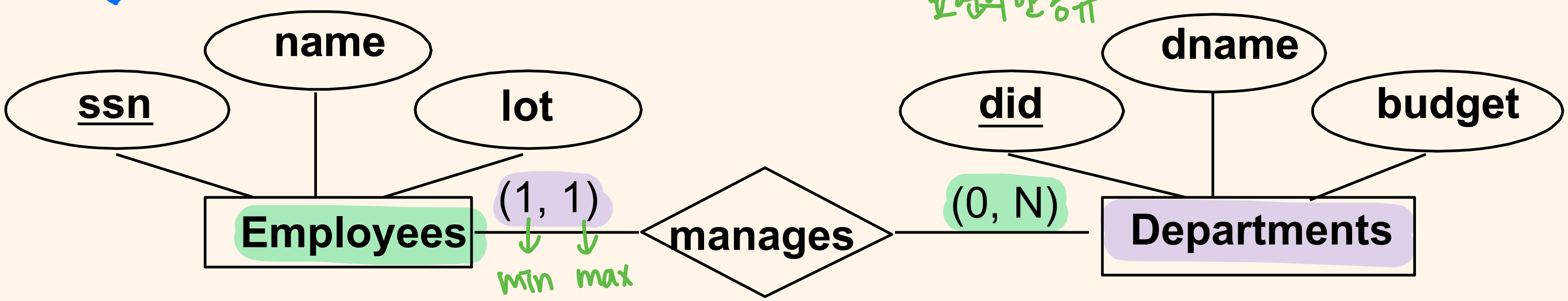

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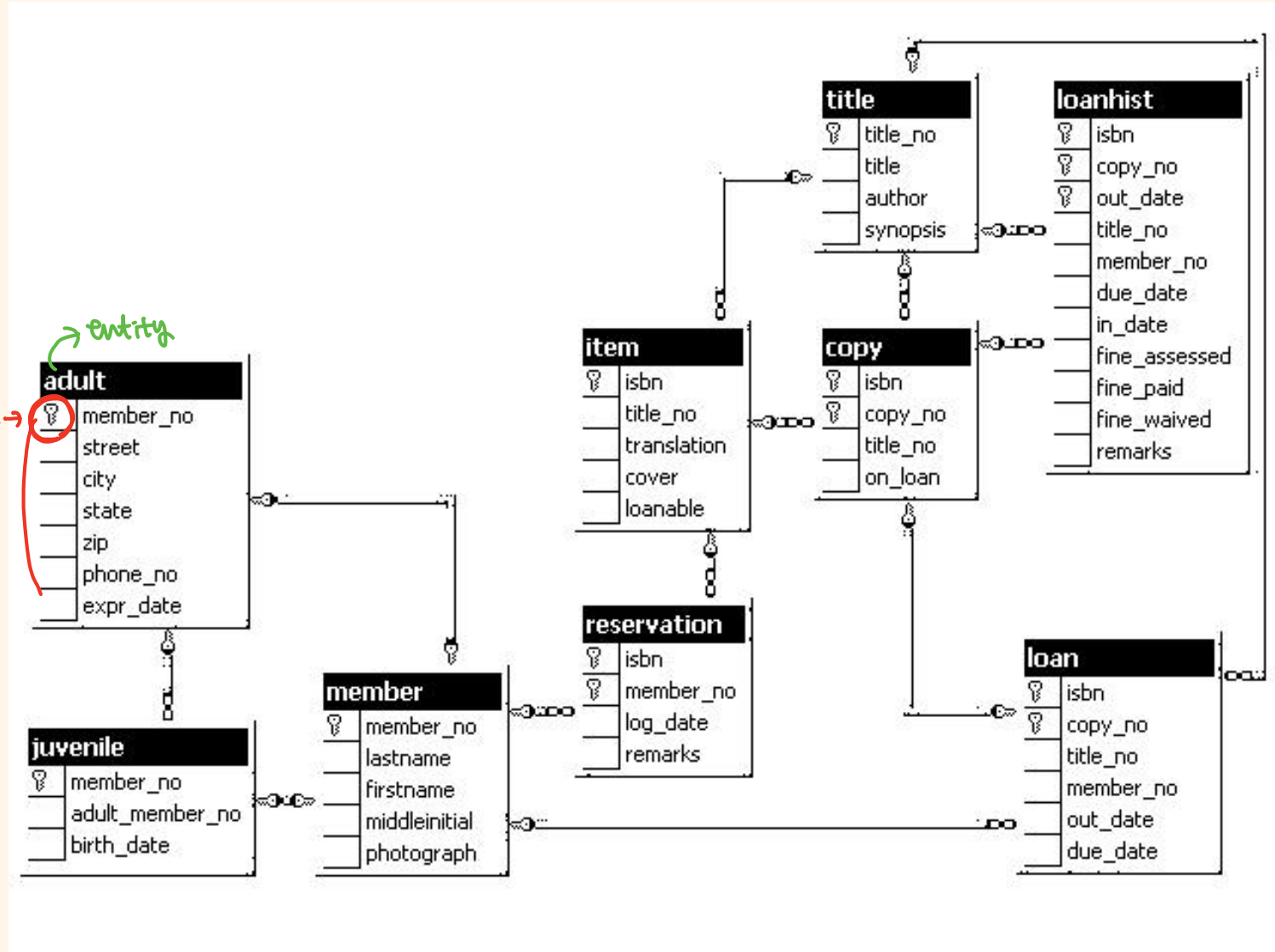
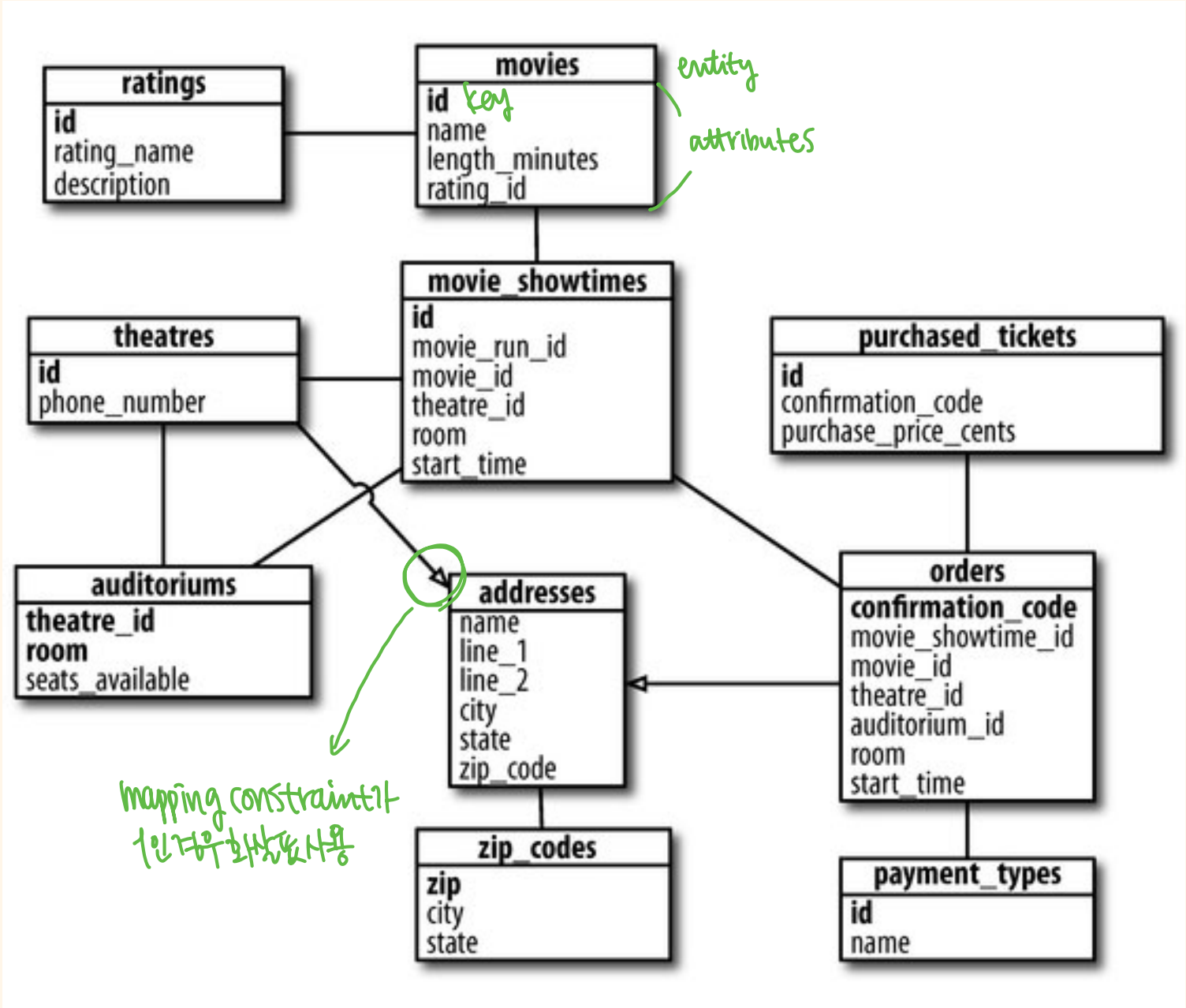
(object)
entity, relationship 모두 table이 될수있음 (모두 attribute를 가질수 있으니까)
⇒ table만 있는 이래 그림으로는 뭐가 entity고 relation인지 알수 없다?!

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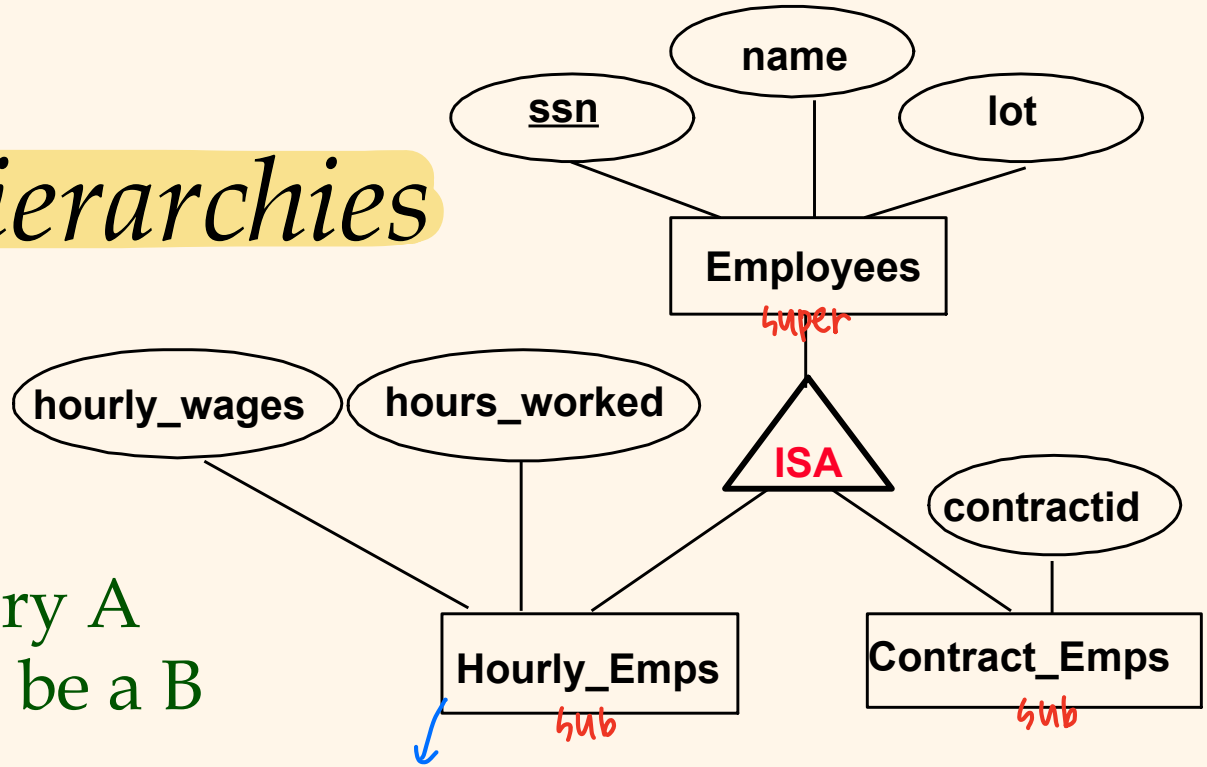
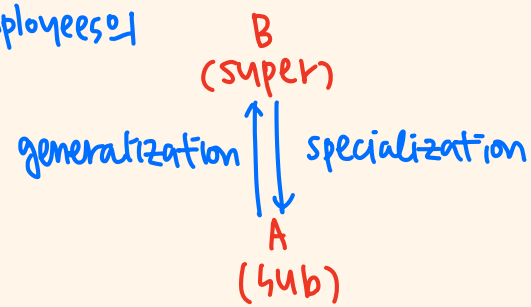


- As in C++, or other PLs, attributes are inherited.
- If we declare A **ISA** B, every A entity is also considered to be a B entity
  - A is a subclass of B. B is a superclass of A.
  - Also called generalization/specialization hierarchy
    - Generalization: bottom up
    - Specialization: top-down
  - Reasons for using ISA:
    - To add descriptive attributes specific to a subclass.
    - To identify entities that participate in a relationship.



↳ A is a B (O)
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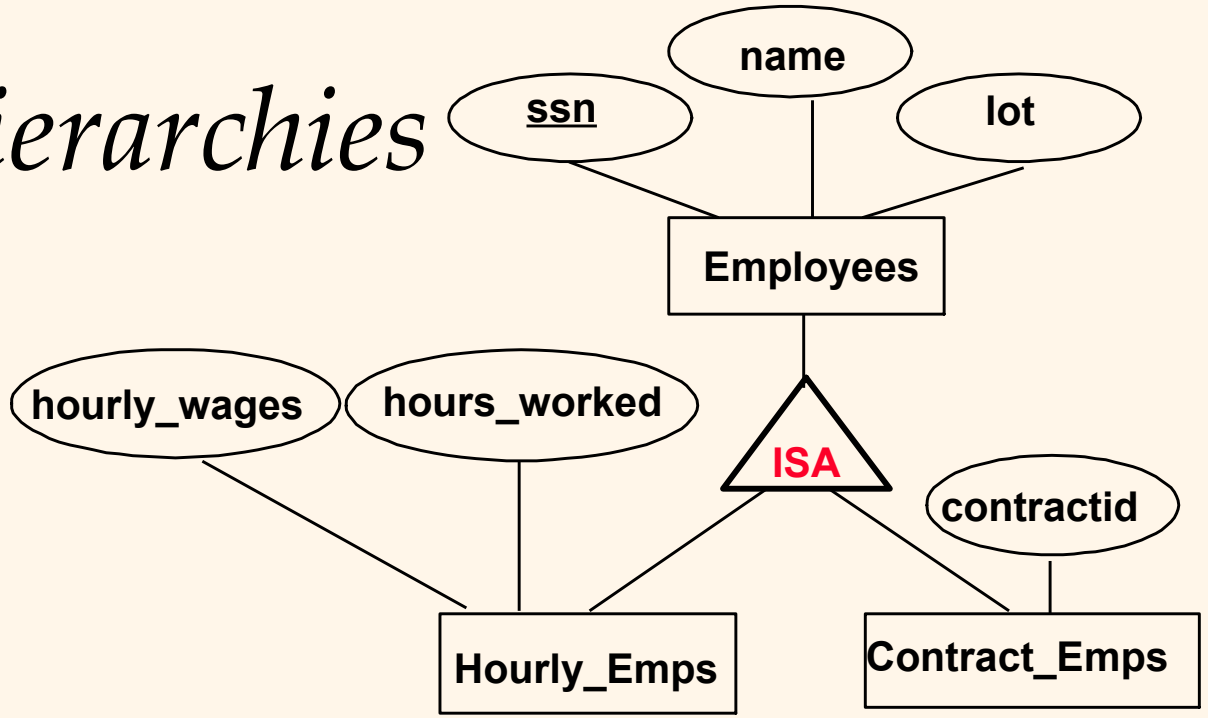

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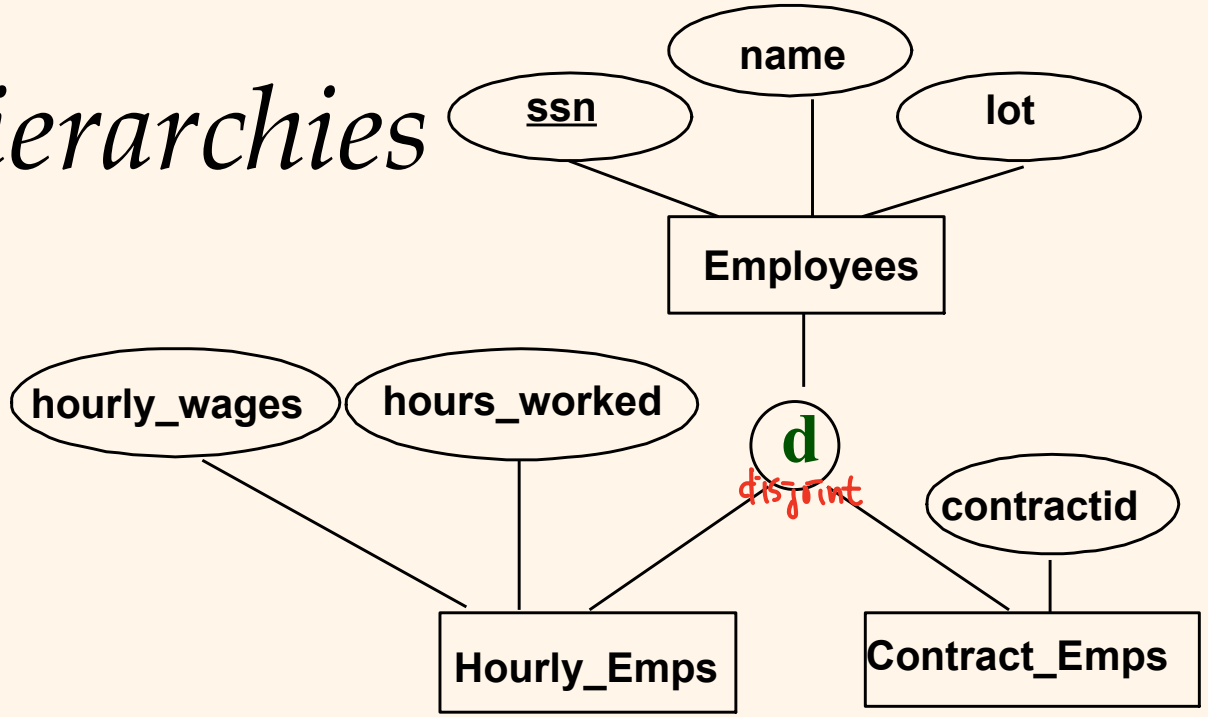

subclass간의 관계

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partition

동시에 불가능

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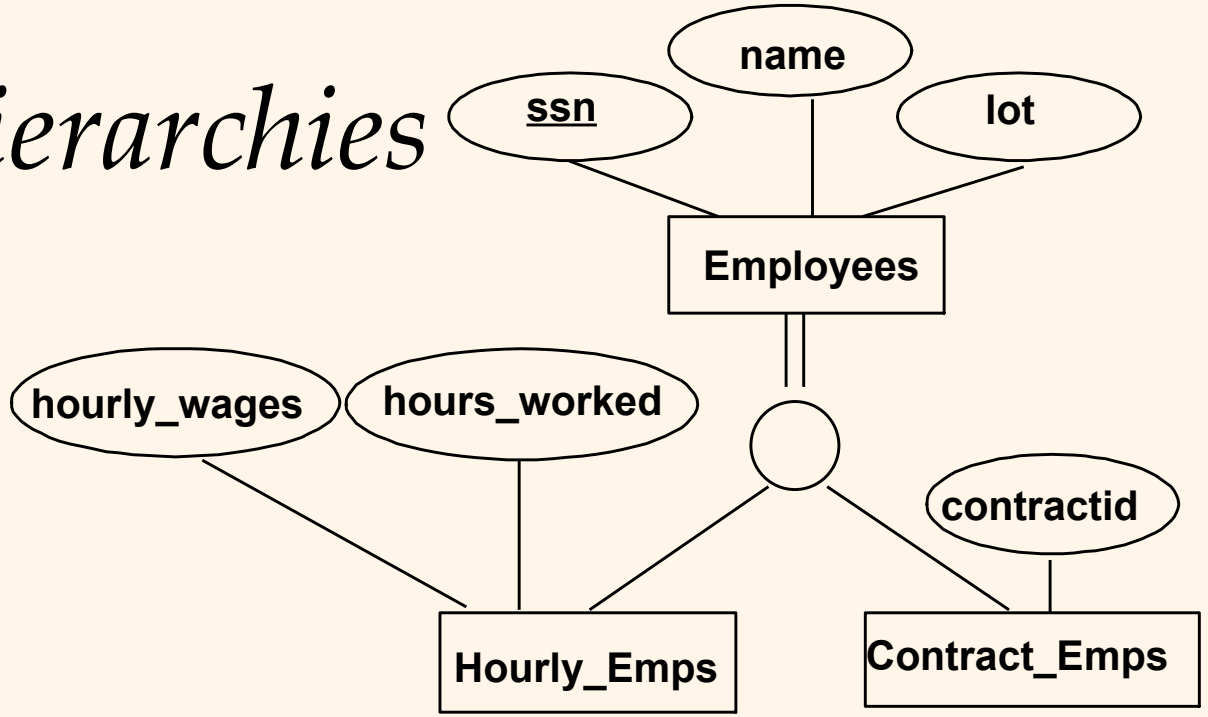


계층타입

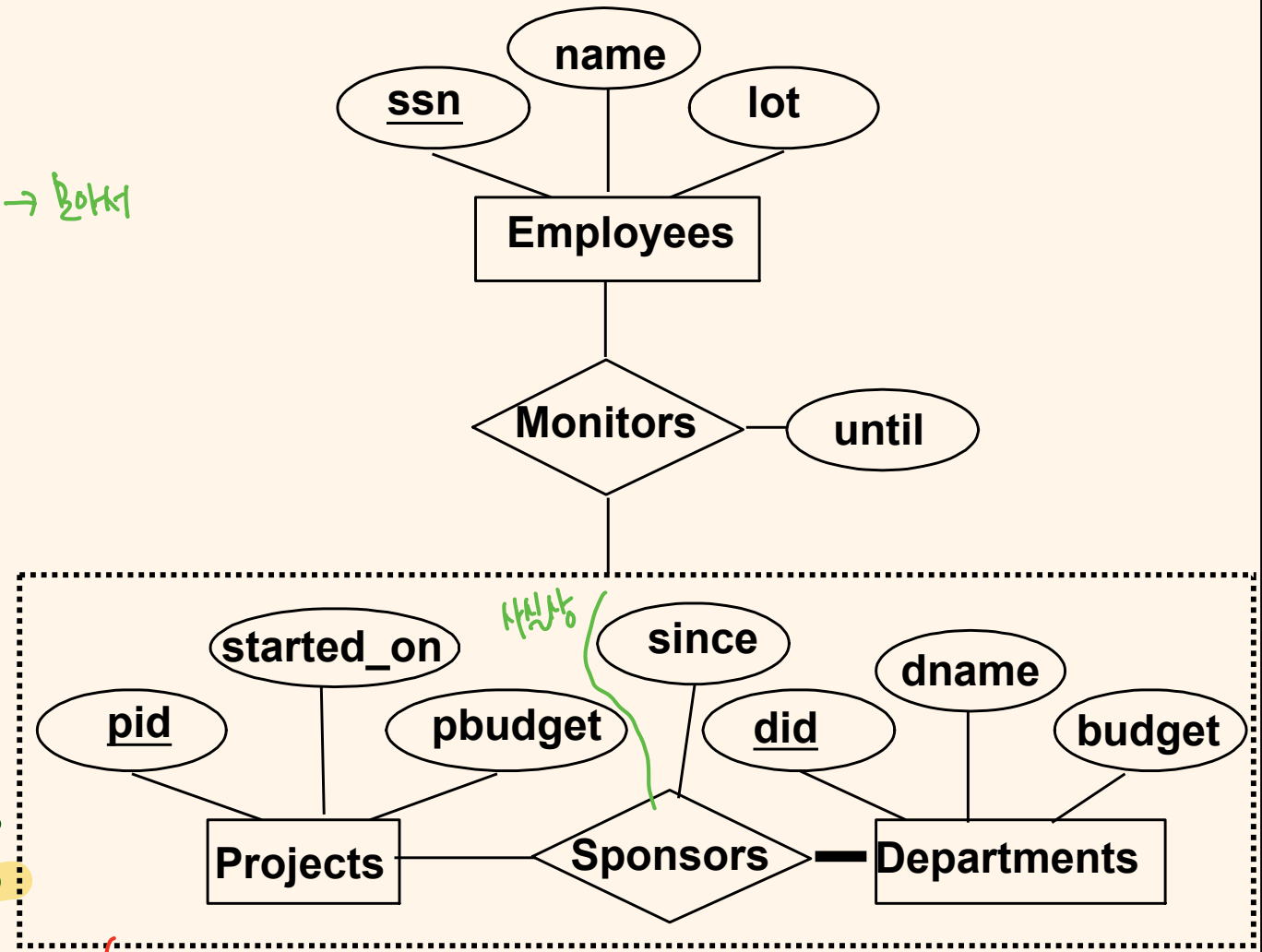
- *Covering constraints*: Does every Employees entity also have to be an Hourly_Emps or a Contract_Emps entity? *(Yes/no)*
  - If yes, then **thick (or double) line.** → cover(o) : 틀국하나는 것
  - If no, then **think (or single) line.** → cover(x)

* class 나누기
hierachy
aggregation – 현기 자동차 – 타이어, 엔진, ..

Aggregation → 묶어서

- Used when we have to model a relationship involving (entitity sets and) a *relationship set*.
  - *Aggregation* allows us to treat a relationship set as an entity set for purposes of participation in (other) relationships.

relation은 entity간의 것인데 relationship과도 묶고싶다면?



aggregation된 부분
: 하나의 entity처럼 생각하기

Summary of Conceptual Design

- *Conceptual design* follows *requirements analysis*,
  - Yields a high-level description of data to be stored
- ER model popular for conceptual design
  - Constructs are expressive, close to the way people think about their applications.
- Basic constructs: *entities*, *relationships*, and *attributes* (of entities and relationships).
- Some additional constructs: *weak entities*, *ISA hierarchies*, and *aggregation*.
- Note: There are many variations on ER model.

Summary of ER (Contd.)

- Several kinds of integrity constraints can be expressed in the ER model: *mapping cardinality constraints*, *participation constraints*, and *overlap/covering constraints* for ISA hierarchies. Some *foreign key constraints* are also implicit in the definition of a relationship set.
  - Some constraints (notably, *functional dependencies*) cannot be expressed in the ER model.
  - Constraints play an important role in determining the best database design for an enterprise.

Summary of ER (Contd.)

- ER design is *subjective*. There are often many ways to model a given scenario! Analyzing alternatives can be tricky, especially for a large enterprise. Common choices include:
  - Entity vs. attribute, entity vs. relationship, binary or n-ary relationship, whether or not to use ISA hierarchies, and whether or not to use aggregation.
- Ensuring good database design: resulting relational schema should be analyzed and refined further.