

Spring 2021

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Assignment #10

Due: Monday, April 26, 11:59 PM.

Submit Instructions: Submit hw10.pdf on MyCourses
Write your answers in order by question number.

Objective: Practice analyzing requirements for database systems and developing conceptual models expressed as Entity-Relationship (ER) schemas

Submission: 1 day late: 2 points off; 2 days late: 4 points off.

Question 1) (15)

The following ER diagram has been created for a database that will store information about motion pictures. The diagram illustrates entities and relationships (with constraints). Attributes are omitted so that we can solely focus on the relationships between the entities.

Using this ER diagram for reference, respond to the following statements:

* Suppose an actor can play a lead role in at most 2 movies, and there are 2 actors:

a) what is the minimum number of movies? 2

b) what is the maximum number of movies? 4

* Suppose there are 2 movies:

c) what is the minimum number of actors that can play lead roles? 1

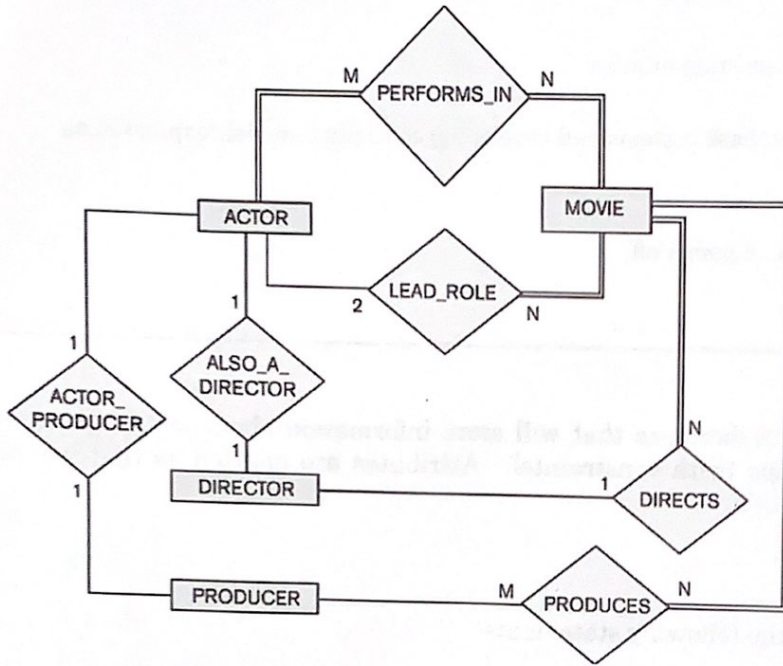
d) what is the maximum number of actors that can play lead roles? 2

* Suppose there are 2 movies:

e) what is the minimum number of directors? 1

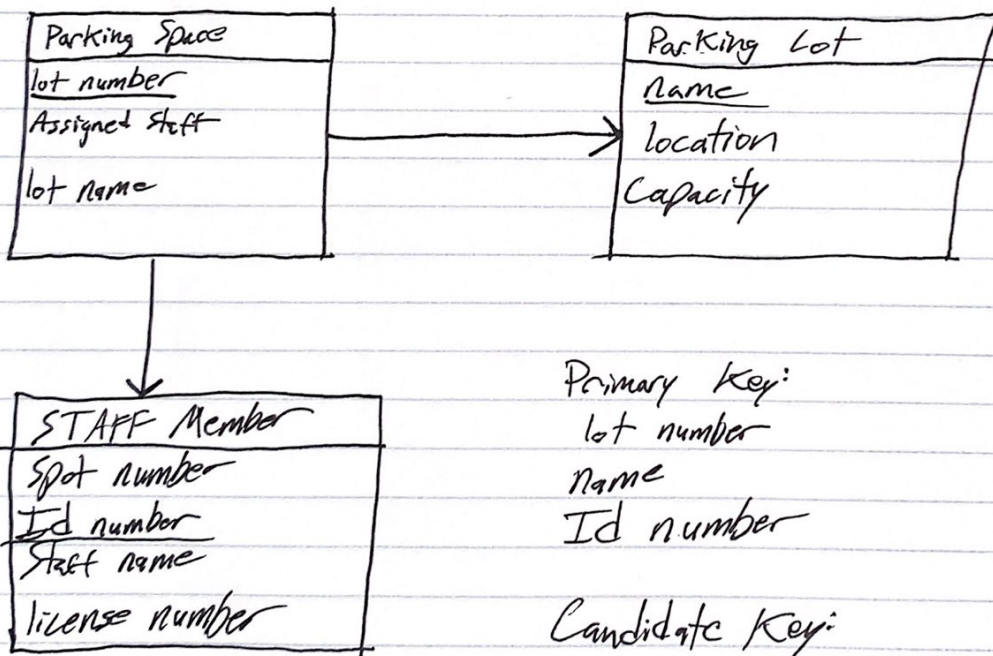
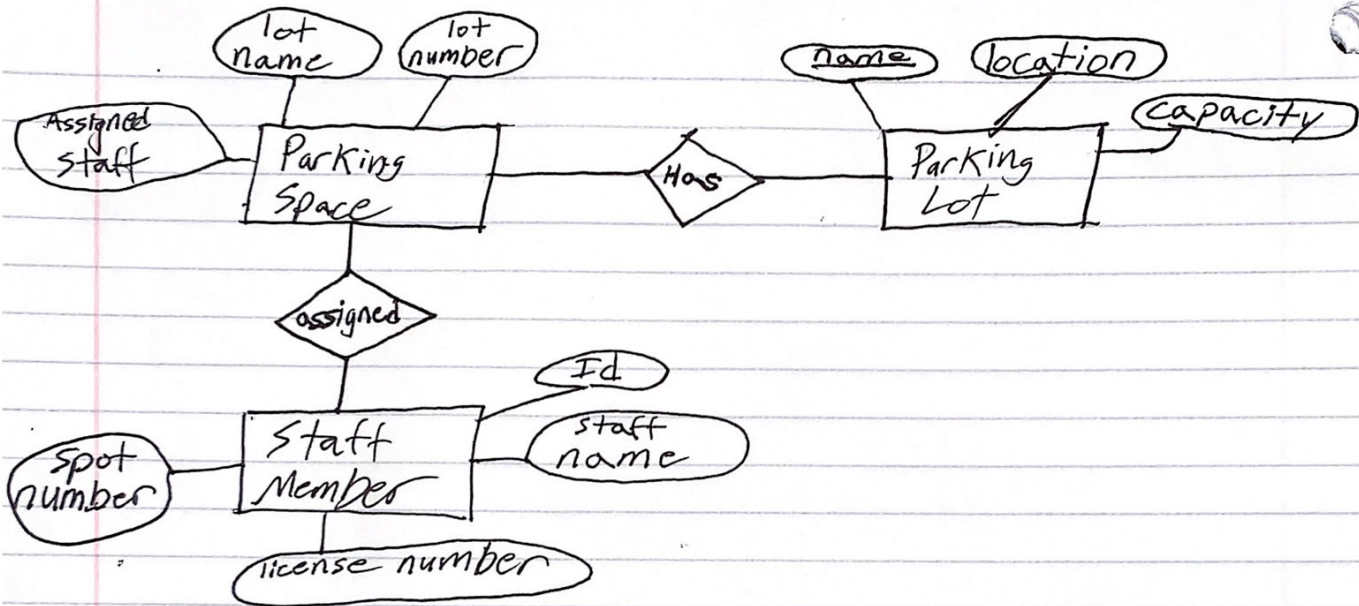
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Using this ER diagram for reference, respond to the following statements with TRUE, FALSE, or MAYBE. Assign a response of MAYBE to statements that, while not explicitly shown to be TRUE, cannot be proven FALSE based on the diagram.



STATEMENT	TRUE	FALSE	MAYBE
f) There are actors that have no movies.	—	✓	—
g) Every movie has exactly one director.	✓	—	—
h) An actor may be the lead in at most two movies.	✓	—	—
i) If there are no movies, then there are no directors.	✓	—	—
j) If there are no actors, then there are no movies.	—	✓	—
k) A movie can have at most two lead actors	✓	—	—
l) An actor who is also a director can direct at most one movie.	✓	—	—
m) A movie may have no producers.	—	—	✓
n) There are producers with no movies.	—	✓	—
o) A producer may act in several movies.	—	—	✓

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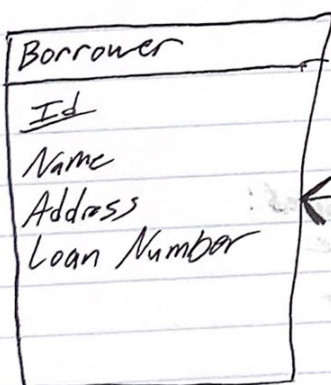
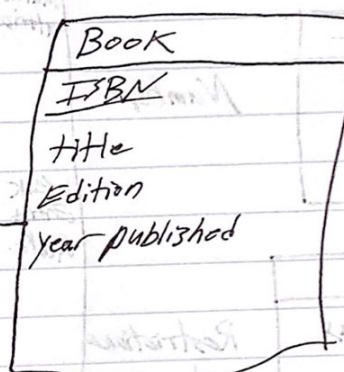
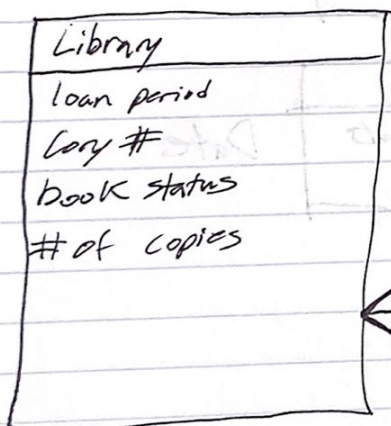
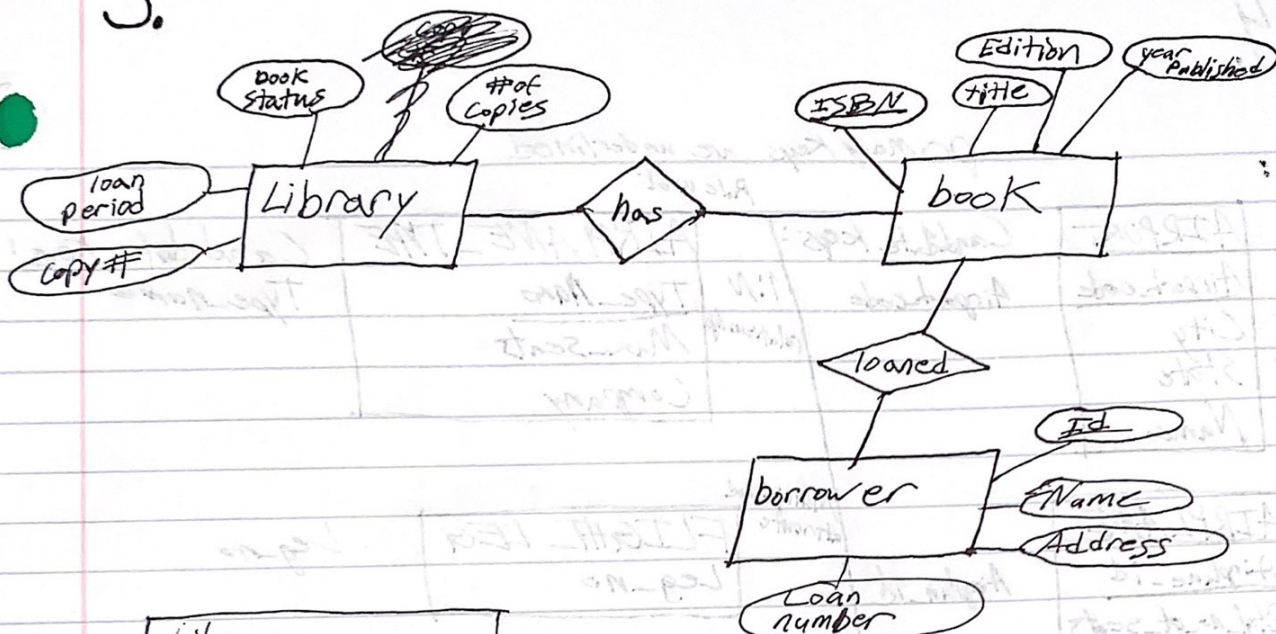
Primary Key:

lot number
name
Id number

Candidate Key:

spot number
Assigned staff

3.



Primary Keys
Id
ISBN
 book status

Candidate Keys:
 loan period
 loan number
 title

4.

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Rule used:

Strong Entity Rule

AIRPORT
Airport_code
City
State
Name

Primary Keys are underlined

Rule used:

Candidate keys:

Airport_code

AIRPLANE-TYPE
Type_Name
Max_seats
Company

Candidate 'Keys'

Type_name

1:N relationship

AIRPLANE
Airplane_id
Total_no_of_seats

Airplane_id

Multivalued attribute

FLIGHT-LEG
Leg_no

Leg_no

1:1 relationship

FLIGHT
Number
Airline
Weekdays

Number

Multivalued attribute

Leg-Instance
No_of_avail_seats
Date

Date

Weak Entity Rule

FARE
Restrictions
Amount
Code

Restrictions code

Weak Entity Rule

Seat
Seat-no

All Keys:

Airport_code
Type_name
Airplane_id
Name

Inter-relationship attributes:

scheduled_dep_time
scheduled_arr_time
Dep_time
Arr_time
Customer_name
Cphone

Foreign Keys:

Seat_no
Leg_no
Code