CSC343 Worksheet 2 Solution

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1. Exercise 2.4.1:

a) $\sigma_{speed \geq 3.0}$ (Movies)

Models 1005, 1006, 1013 have speed greater than 3.0

	model	speed	ram	hd	price	
	1001	2.66	1024	250	2114	
	1002	2.10	512	250	995	
	1003	1.42	512	80	478	
	1004	2.80	1024	250	649	
\rightarrow	1005	3.20	512	250	630	
-	1006	3.20	1024	320	1049	
	1007	2.20	1024	200	510	
	1008	2.20	2048	250	770	
	1009	2.00	1024	250	650	
	1010	2.80	2048	300	770	
	1011	1.86	2048	160	959	
	1012	2.80	1024	160	649	
→	1013	3.06	512	80	529	

Notes:

- \bullet Select
 - Is indicated by σ
 - Syntax: $\sigma_{\rm QUERY} {\rm SCHEMA_NAME}$
 - e.g $\sigma_{length \ge 100 \text{ AND } studioName='Fox'}$ (Movies)

Relation - Movies

title	year	length	in Color	studioName	producerC#
Star Wars	1977	124	sciFi	Fox	12345
Galaxy Quest	1999	104	comedy	DreamWorks	67890

b) Notes:

- Project
 - Syntax: $\pi_{A_1,A_2,\cdots,A_n}(\text{Rel})$
 - * A_1, \dots, A_n represents attributes
 - Picks certain columns
 - e.g

What are the titles and years of movies made by Fox that are at least 100 minutes long?

$$\pi_{title,year}(\sigma_{length \geq 100 \text{ AND } studioName=\text{`Fox'}})(\text{Movies})$$

- Cross-Product / Cartesian Product
 - Combines two relations
 - Syntax: Relation $1 \times \text{Relation } 2$
 - e.g. Names and GPAs of students with HS>1000 who applied to CS and were rejected

 $\pi_{sName,GPA}(\sigma_{Student.sID=Apply.sID} \text{ and } HS>1000 \text{ and } major=`cs' \text{ and } dec=`R') (Student \times Apply)$

College			Student				Apply				
cName	state	enr	sID	sName	GPA	HS	sID	cName	major	dec	

- Natural Join
 - Enforce equality on all attributes with the same name
 - Eliminiate one copy of duplicate attributes
 - Is symbolized by ⋈