

CSC343 Worksheet 2 Solution

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1. Exercise 2.4.1:

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

Models 1005, 1006, 1013 have speed greater than 3.0

| <i>model</i> | <i>speed</i> | <i>ram</i> | <i>hd</i> | <i>price</i> |
|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
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| 1003 | 1.42 | 512 | 80 | 478 |
| 1004 | 2.80 | 1024 | 250 | 649 |
| → 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 |

Correct Solution:

Relational Algebra:

$\pi_{model}(\sigma_{speed \geq 3.0}(\text{Movies}))$

Query Result:

| |
|-------|
| model |
| 1005 |
| 1006 |
| 1013 |

Models 1005, 1006, 1013 have speed greater than 3.0

Notes:

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

Relation - Movies

| <i>title</i> | <i>year</i> | <i>length</i> | <i>inColor</i> | <i>studioName</i> | <i>producerC#</i> |
|--------------|-------------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Star Wars | 1977 | 124 | sciFi | Fox | 12345 |
| Galaxy Quest | 1999 | 104 | comedy | DreamWorks | 67890 |

b) $\pi_{\text{maker}}(\sigma_{\text{hd} \geq 100}(\text{Product} \bowtie \text{Laptop}))$

Makers *A, E, F, G* make laptops with hard-disk of at least 100GB.

| <i>maker</i> | <i>model</i> | <i>type</i> |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| A | 1001 | pc |
| A | 1002 | pc |
| A | 1003 | pc |
| A | 2004 | laptop |
| A | 2005 | laptop |
| A | 2006 | laptop |
| B | 1004 | pc |
| B | 1005 | pc |
| B | 1006 | pc |
| B | 2007 | laptop |
| C | 1007 | pc |
| D | 1008 | pc |
| D | 1009 | pc |
| D | 1010 | pc |
| D | 3004 | printer |
| D | 3005 | printer |
| E | 1011 | pc |
| E | 1012 | pc |
| E | 1013 | pc |
| E | 2001 | laptop |
| E | 2002 | laptop |
| E | 2003 | laptop |
| E | 3001 | printer |
| E | 3002 | printer |
| E | 3003 | printer |
| F | 2008 | laptop |
| F | 2009 | laptop |
| G | 2010 | laptop |
| H | 3006 | printer |
| H | 3007 | printer |

| <i>model</i> | <i>speed</i> | <i>ram</i> | <i>hd</i> | <i>screen</i> | <i>price</i> |
|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| 2001 | 2.00 | 2048 | 240 | 20.1 | 3673 |
| 2002 | 1.73 | 1024 | 80 | 17.0 | 949 |
| 2003 | 1.80 | 512 | 60 | 15.4 | 549 |
| 2004 | 2.00 | 512 | 60 | 13.3 | 1150 |
| 2005 | 2.16 | 1024 | 120 | 17.0 | 2500 |
| 2006 | 2.00 | 2048 | 80 | 15.4 | 1700 |
| 2007 | 1.83 | 1024 | 120 | 13.3 | 1429 |
| 2008 | 1.60 | 1024 | 100 | 15.4 | 900 |
| 2009 | 1.60 | 512 | 80 | 14.1 | 680 |
| 2010 | 2.00 | 2048 | 160 | 15.4 | 2300 |

(b) Sample data for relation Laptop

Figure 2.20: Sample data for Product

Correct Solution:**Relational Algebra:**

$$\pi_{maker}(\sigma_{hd \geq 100}(\text{Product} \bowtie \text{Laptop}))$$
Query Result:

| maker |
|-------|
| A |
| E |
| F |
| G |

Makers A, E, F, G make laptops with hard-disk of at least 100GB.

Notes:

- Project
 - **Syntax:** $\pi_{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n}(\text{Rel})$
 - * 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?

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

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

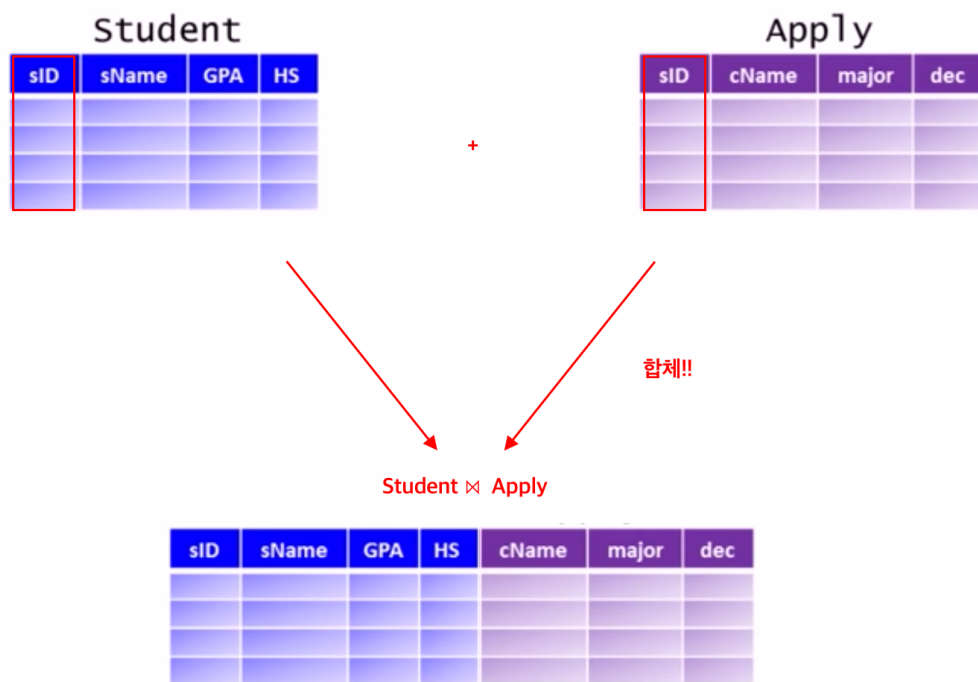
$$\pi_{sName, GPA}(\sigma_{Student.sID = Apply.sID \text{ AND } HS > 1000 \text{ AND } major = 'cs' \text{ AND } dec = 'R'})(\text{Student} \times \text{Apply})$$

| College | | | Student | | | | Apply | | | |
|---------|-------|-----|---------|-------|-----|----|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| cName | state | enr | sID | sName | GPA | HS | sID | cName | major | dec |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
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- Natural Join
 - Enforce equality on all attributes with the same name
 - Eliminate one copy of duplicate attributes
 - Is symbolized by \bowtie
 - **Syntax:** Relation 1 \bowtie Relation 2
 - e.g.

Names and GPAs of students with $HS > 1000$ who applied to CS and were rejected.

$$\pi_{sName, GPA}(\sigma_{HS > 1000 \text{ AND } major = 'cs' \text{ AND } dec = 'R'}(Student \bowtie Apply))$$



- e.g.2.

Names and GPAs of students with $HS > 1000$ who applied to CS at college with $enr > 20,000$ and were rejected

$$\pi_{sName, GPA}(\sigma_{HS > 1000 \text{ AND } enr > 20000 \text{ AND } major = 'cs' \text{ AND } dec = 'R'}(Student \bowtie (Apply \bowtie College)))$$



- Union Operator
 - **Syntax** $R \cup S$
 - Is the set of elements that are in R or S or both.
 - An element appears only once in the union even if it is present in both R and S .
 - Is like **UNION** keyword in SQL
 - e.g.

List of college and student names

$$\pi_{cName}(\text{College}) \cup \pi_{sName}(\text{Student})$$

- Difference Operator

- **Syntax:** $R - S$
- Is also called the *difference* of R and S
- is the set of elements that are in R but not in S .
- Is like **EXCEPT** keyword in SQL
- e.g.

IDs and names of students who didn't apply anywhere

$$\pi_{sID}(\text{Student}) - \pi_{sID}(\text{Apply})$$

- Intersection Operator
 - **Syntax:** $R \cap S$
 - Is also called the *intersection* of R and S
 - Is the set of elements that are in both R and S
 - e.g.

Names that are both a college name and a student name

$$\pi_{cName}(\text{College}) - \pi_{sName}(\text{Student})$$

c)

$$\pi_{model,price}(\sigma_{maker='B'}(\text{Product} \bowtie (\pi_{model,price}(\text{Laptop}) \cup \pi_{model,price}(\text{PC}) \cup \pi_{model,price}(\text{Printer}))) \quad (1)$$

The price and model number of all products made by manufacturer B are

1. model 1004, price 649
2. model 1005, price 630
3. model 1006, price 1049
4. model 2007, price 1429

| <i>maker</i> | <i>model</i> | <i>type</i> |
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| A | 1003 | pc |
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| A | 2005 | laptop |
| A | 2006 | laptop |
| B | 1004 | pc |
| B | 1005 | pc |
| B | 1006 | pc |
| B | 2007 | laptop |
| C | 1007 | pc |
| D | 1008 | pc |
| D | 1009 | pc |
| D | 1010 | pc |
| D | 3004 | printer |
| D | 3005 | printer |
| E | 1011 | pc |
| E | 1012 | pc |
| E | 1013 | pc |
| E | 2001 | laptop |
| E | 2002 | laptop |
| E | 2003 | laptop |
| E | 3001 | printer |
| E | 3002 | printer |
| E | 3003 | printer |
| F | 2008 | laptop |
| F | 2009 | laptop |
| G | 2010 | laptop |
| H | 3006 | printer |
| H | 3007 | printer |

| <i>model</i> | <i>speed</i> | <i>ram</i> | <i>hd</i> | <i>screen</i> | <i>price</i> |
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(b) Sample data for relation Laptop

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(a) Sample data for relation PC

Figure 2.20: Sample data for Product

Correct Solution:**Relational Algebra:**

$$\pi_{model,price}(\sigma_{maker='B'}(\text{Product} \bowtie (\pi_{model,price}(\text{Laptop}) \cup \pi_{model,price}(\text{PC}) \cup \pi_{model,price}(\text{Printer})))) \quad (2)$$

Query Result:

| model | price |
|-------|-------|
| 1004 | 649 |
| 1005 | 630 |
| 1006 | 1049 |
| 2007 | 1429 |

The price and model number of all products made by manufacturer B are

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d) $\pi_{model}(\sigma_{color=true \text{ AND } type='laser'}(Printer))$

Model 3003, and 3007 are color laser printers

| <i>model</i> | <i>color</i> | <i>type</i> | <i>price</i> |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 3001 | true | ink-jet | 99 |
| 3002 | false | laser | 239 |
| → 3003 | true | laser | 899 |
| 3004 | true | ink-jet | 120 |
| 3005 | false | laser | 120 |
| 3006 | true | ink-jet | 100 |
| → 3007 | true | laser | 200 |

(c) Sample data for relation Printer

Correct Solution:

Relational Algebra:

$\pi_{model}(\sigma_{color=true \text{ AND } type='laser'}(Printer))$

Query Result:

| model |
|-------|
| 3003 |
| 3007 |

Model 3003, and 3007 are color laser printers

e) $\pi_{maker}(Product \bowtie (\pi_{model}(Laptops) - \pi_{model}(PC)))$

Manufacturers F and G produce laptops but not PCs



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(b) Sample data for relation Laptop

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| 1012 | 2.80 | 1024 | 160 | 649 |
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(a) Sample data for relation PC

Correct Solution:**Relational Algebra:**

$$\pi_{maker}(\sigma_{type='laptop' \text{ AND } type \neq 'PC'}(\text{Product}))$$
Query Result:

| |
|-------|
| maker |
| F |
| G |

Manufacturers *F* and *G* produce laptops but not PCs

Notes:

- ‘<>’ Means ‘NOT EQUAL’ in relational algebra
- Relational algebra includes six comparison operators ($=, <>, <, >, \geq, \leq$) ^[1]
- Relational projection (i.e. π) always return distinct tuples ^[2]

Reference:

- 1) Radboud University: ISO - Relational Languages, link
 - 2) Stack Overflow: Selecting DISTINCT rows in relational algebra, link
- f) $\pi_{hd}(\sigma_{hd=hd2}(\pi_{hd}(PC) \times \rho_{\pi_{hd}(PC)(hd2)}(\pi_{hd}(PC))))$

Query Result:

| |
|-----|
| hd |
| 250 |
| 80 |
| 160 |

Correct Solution:

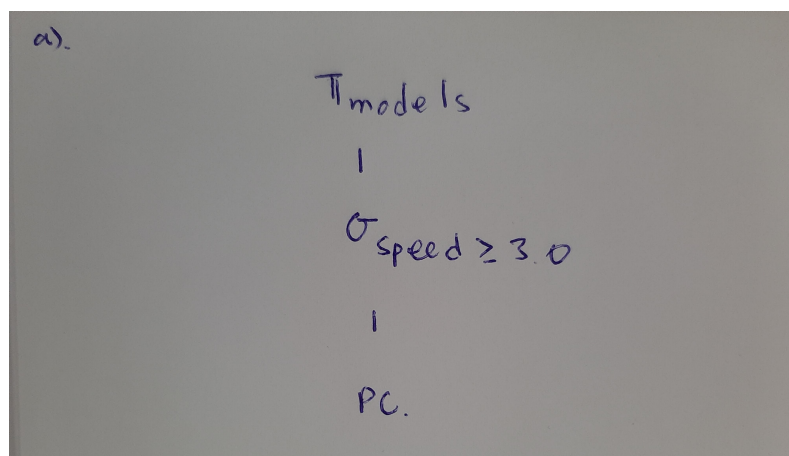
Relational Algebra:

$$\pi_{hd}(\sigma_{hd=hd2}(\pi_{hd}(PC) \times \pi_{hd2}(\rho_{hd \rightarrow hd2}(PC))))$$

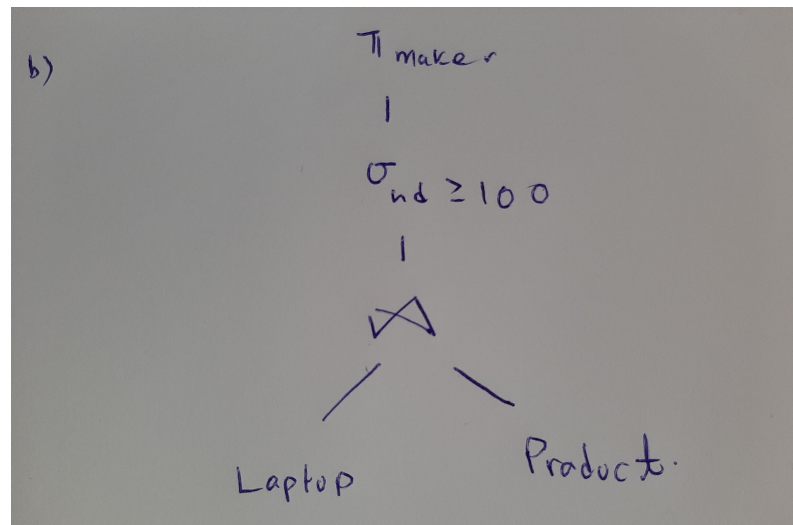
Query Result:

| |
|-----|
| hd |
| 250 |
| 80 |
| 160 |

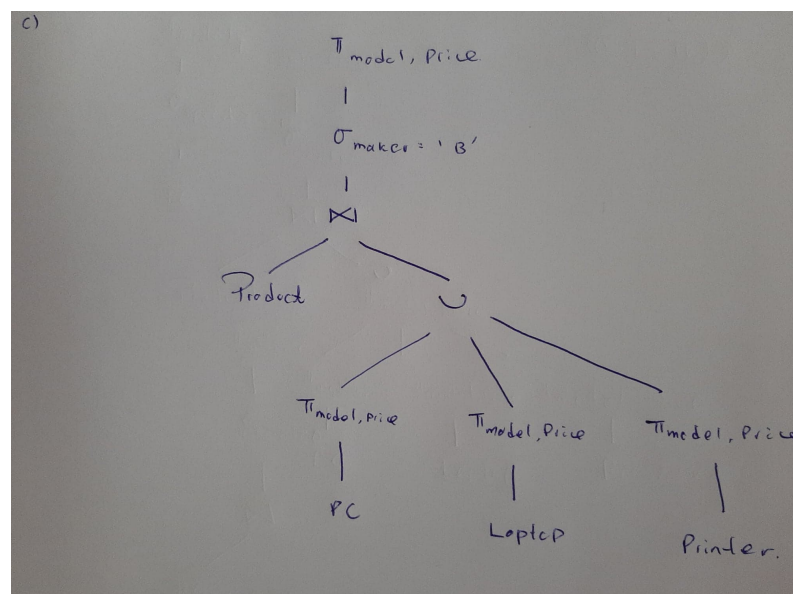
2. a) **Answer:**



b) Answer:



c) Answer:



d) Answer:



e) Answer:



f) Answer:



3. a) **Relational Algebra:**

$$\pi_{class, countries}(\sigma_{bore \geq 16}(\text{Classes}))$$
Query Result:

| class | countries |
|----------------|-----------|
| Iowa | USA |
| North Carolina | USA |
| Yamato | Japan |

b) **Relational Algebra:**

$$\sigma_{launched < 1921}(\text{Ships})$$
Query Result:

| name | class | launched |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|
| Haruna | Kongo | 1915 |
| Hiei | Kongo | 1914 |
| Kirishima | Kongo | 1915 |
| Kongo | Kongo | 1913 |
| Ramillies | Revenge | 1917 |
| Renown | Renown | 1916 |
| Repulse | Renown | 1916 |
| Resolution | Revenge | 1916 |
| Revenge | Revenge | 1916 |
| Royal Oak | Revenge | 1916 |
| Royal Sovereign | Revenge | 1916 |
| Tennessee | Tennessee | 1920 |

c) **Relational Algebra:**

$$\sigma_{battle='Denmark Strait' \text{ AND } result='sunk'}(\text{Outcome})$$
Query Result:

| Ships | battle | result |
|---------|----------------|--------|
| Bismark | Denmark Strait | sunk |
| Hood | Denmark Strait | sunk |

d) **Relational Algebra:**

$$\text{Classes} \bowtie_{displacement > 35,000} \text{Ships}$$
Query Result:

| name | class | launched | type | country | numGuns | bore | displacement |
|------------|-------|----------|------|---------|---------|------|--------------|
| Iowa | Iowa | 1943 | bb | USA | 9 | 16 | 46000 |
| Missouri | Iowa | 1944 | bb | USA | 9 | 16 | 46000 |
| New Jersey | Iowa | 1943 | bb | USA | 9 | 16 | 46000 |
| Wisconsin | Iowa | 1944 | bb | USA | 9 | 16 | 46000 |
| Haruna | Kongo | 1915 | bc | Japan | 8 | 14 | 32000 |
| Hiei | Kongo | 1914 | bc | Japan | 8 | 14 | 32000 |
| Kirishima | Kongo | 1915 | bc | Japan | 8 | 14 | 32000 |
| Kongo | Kongo | 1913 | bc | Japan | 8 | 14 | 32000 |
| Kongo | Kongo | 1913 | bc | Japan | 8 | 14 | 32000 |