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Technology in Action - Chapter 11

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Key concepts:

- Natural Language Processing
- Real Time Processing
- Transaction Processing System

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Terms in this set (46)

Data redundancy ensures that the data contained in the database is accurate and reliable.	False
True or False?	
A large data mart might require a database administrator to design, construct, and maintain it.	False
True or False?	
A group of related records is	True

called a table.	
True or False?	
An employee's ID number, name, company, position, address, city, state and Zip Code make up a record.	True
True or False?	
When using Access, the text of the Gettysburg Address would be stored in a short text field.	False
True or False?	
Employees' last names would usually make an appropriate primary-key field.	False
True or False?	
Normalization means that there are no data entry errors in a database.	False
True or False?	
In a relational database, when two tables have a common field, the link between the tables is known as a hyperlink.	False
True or False?	
A database schema defines the name, data type, and length of each field in the database.	True
True or False?	
A last name field is an example of a field that should have a default value.	False
True or False?	
Most databases can import electronic data from other software applications.	True

True or False?	
A filter is limited to extracting data from a single table.	True
True or False?	
The information in a data mart spans an entire enterprise.	False
True or False?	
Real-time processing means that transactions are updated when they occur.	True
True or False?	
A summary report provides a list of the transactions that occurred during a specified time period.	False
True or False?	
Data mining analyzes and investigates large amounts of data with the intention of discovering significant patterns or trends.	True
True or False?	
A ____ is a group of related data that can be stored, sorted, organized, and queried. a) database b) macro c) spreadsheet d) memo	database
If a school keeps two lists, one for student registration and one for student financial information, both containing name and address information, this is an example of data ____. a) redundancy	redundancy

- b) completeness
- c) integrity
- d) normalization

Data ____ ensures that the data contained in a database is accurate and reliable.

integrity

- a) consistency
- b) redundancy
- c) efficiency
- d) integrity

Data ____ helps to ensure data integrity by maintaining information in only one place.

centralization

- a) centralization
- b) flexibility
- c) redundancy
- d) mapping

21 In a database, the term ____ is synonymous with a category of information.

field

- a) record
- b) table
- c) row
- d) field

In a database, a group of related records is referred to as a(n) ____.

table

- a) memo
- b) object
- c) field
- d) table

In a Microsoft Access database, the Gettysburg Address would be stored in a(n) ____ field.

long text

- a) text
- b) short text
- c) long text
- d) object

You can set a ____, which is automatically displayed in a field unless the user enters

default value

something different. a) field type b) default value c) numeric check d) relation	
Which of the following is NOT a likely primary key? a) Driver's license number b) Social Security number c) Date of birth d) Student ID number	Date of birth
_____ is used to ensure that data is organized more efficiently. a) Range checking b) Normalization c) Validation d) Consistency checking	Normalization
_____ databases are the most frequently used electronic databases. a) Multidimensional b) Flat-file c) Object-oriented d) Relational	Relational
A _____ relationship indicates that for each record in a table, there is only a single corresponding record in a related table. a) many-to-many b) one-to-one c) many-to-one d) one-to-many	one-to-one
_____ means that for each value in the foreign key of one table, there is a corresponding value in the primary key of another table. a) Database consistency b) Record integrity c) Normalization d) Referential integrity	Referential integrity

Nontraditional data such as audio clips, video clips, pictures, and very large documents are called ____ data. a) enterprise b) unstructured c) multidimensional d) structured	unstructured
Data in a multidimensional database is organized in a ____ format. a) cube b) linear d) modular c) cellular	cube
A ____ check would be used to restrict the fines for speeding violations from \$50 to \$250. a) completeness b) range c) consistency d) numeric	range
A(n) ____ check determines whether a required field such as LastName was filled in a) consistency b) completeness c) range d) alphabetic	completeness
A ____ check compares the values of data in two or more fields to see whether those values are reasonable. a) correctness b) numeric c) consistency d) range	consistency
You would use a ____ to temporarily display records of residents of the city of Boston.	filter

- a) sieve
- b) validation rule
- c) filter
- d) field constraint

A(n) _____ is a way of retrieving information from one or more tables that defines a particular subset of data.

query

- a) query
- b) enquiry
- c) validation rule
- d) field constraint

A _____ displays a subset of data from a table (or tables) based on the specified criteria

select query

- a) join query
- b) table query
- c) select query
- d) criteria query

SQL uses _____ to extract records from a database by using English-like expressions that have variables and operations.

relational algebra

- a) relational algebra
- b) primary keys
- c) Boolean algebra
- d) foreign keys

_____ involves putting data into an electronic file in a format that another application can recognize.

Exporting

- a) Enhancing
- b) Extracting
- c) Exporting
- d) Importing

A data _____ is a large-scale electronic repository of data that contains and organizes all of an organization's data in one place.

warehouse

- a) mart
- b) storehouse

- c) chain
- d) warehouse

Data staging consists of all of the following steps EXCEPT

- a) extracting the data
- b) transforming the data
- c) mining the data
- d) storing the data in a warehouse

mining the data

A(n) _____ is designed to improve communications and help employees complete their routine tasks.

- a) office support system (OSS)
- b) decision support system (DSS)
- c) transaction-processing system (TPS)
- d) management information system (MIS)

office support system (OSS)

In a transaction-processing system (TPS), if the TPS database can be queried and updated while the transaction is taking place, this is called _____ processing.

- a) real-time
- b) immediate
- c) direct
- d) batch

real-time

Management information systems (MIS) provide reports called _____ reports, which show conditions that are unusual or need attention from users of the system.

- a) exception
- b) expert
- c) summary
- d) detail

exception

The Siri personal assistant application on Apple's iPhone 5s is an example of a _____.

natural language processing (NLP) system

a) management information system (MIS)
b) database management system (DBMS)
c) natural language processing (NLP) system
d) decision support system (DSS)

_____ is the branch of computer science that attempts to create computers that think like humans.

a) Natural language processing
b) Enterprise resource planning
c) Artificial intelligence
d) Expert systems

Artificial intelligence

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