

BOOKS(DocId, Title, Publisher, Year)

STUDENTS(StId, StName, Major, Age)

AUTHORS(AName, Address)

Borrows(DocId, StId, Date)

has-written(DocId, AName)

describes(DocId, Keyword)

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1. List all books published by McGraw-Hill before 1990.

$$\sigma_{publisher='McGraw-Hill' \wedge Year < 1990}(BOOKS)$$

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2. List the name of students who are older than 30 and who are not studying CS.

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Age > 30 \wedge Major \neq CS}(STUDENTS))$$

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2. List the name of students who are older than 30 and who are not studying CS.

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Age>30}(STUDENTS)) \\ - \pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS))$$

Which one is more efficient?

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$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Age>30 \wedge Major \neq CS}(STUDENTS))$$

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Age>30}(STUDENTS)) \\ - \pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS))$$

First one is more efficient, because it only requires one pass through the data and the filtering process is much faster.

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3. List the names of all students who have borrowed a book and who are CS majors.

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \times Borrows))$$

Any other way?!

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$$\pi_{StName}(\downarrow \sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \times \uparrow Borrows))$$

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \bowtie_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId} Borrows)$$

Any other way?!

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$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \times Borrows))$$

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \bowtie_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId} Borrows)$$

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS)) \cap Borrows)$$

Which one is the best?

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$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS) \times Borrows))$$

Very inefficient, unless the database is small.

$$\pi_{StName}(STUDENTS \bowtie_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId} Borrows)$$

Best when both tables are large.

$$\pi_{StName}(\sigma_{STUDENTS.StId=Borrows.StId}(\sigma_{Major='CS'}(STUDENTS)) \cap Borrows)$$

Best when one table is small.



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4. List the title of books written by the author 'Silberchatz'.

$$\pi_{Title}(A \bowtie_{BOOKS.DocId=has-written.DocId} B)$$

And other ways...

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5. List the title of books written by the author 'Silberchatz', but not books that have the keyword 'database'.

$A \leftarrow \sigma_{AName='Silberchatz'}(has\_written)$

$S1 \leftarrow A \bowtie_{BOOKS.DocId=has-written.DocId} B$

$B \leftarrow BOOKS$

$S2 \leftarrow C \bowtie_{BOOKS.DocId=describes.DocId} B$

$C \leftarrow \sigma_{Keyword='database'}(describes)$

$\pi_{Title}(S1 - S2)$

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6. Find the title of the oldest book.

$$\rho_{B1}(BOOKS) \quad \rho_{B2}(BOOKS)$$

$$\pi_{Title}(BOOKS) - \pi_{B1.Title}(B1 \bowtie_{B1.year > B2.year} B2)$$

**Suppliers(sid: integer, sname: string, address: string)**

**Parts(pid: integer, pname: string, color: string)**

**Catalog(sid: integer, pid: integer, cost: real)**

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1. Find the *sid* s of supplier who supply some red or green part.

$$\pi_{sid}(\sigma_{color=red \vee color=green}(Parts)) \bowtie (Catalog)$$

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Parts(pid: integer, pname: string, color: string)

Catalog(sid: integer, pid: integer, cost: real)

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2. Find the *pid* s of part supplied by at least two different suppliers.

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho(R1, C) \\ & \rho(R2, C) \\ R3 \leftarrow R1 \bowtie_{R1.pid=R2.pid \wedge R1.sid \neq R2.sid} R2 \\ & \pi_{R1.pid}(R3) \end{aligned}$$