

Physical Design

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Part I: Data Types

Here, we specify the length of attributes with character data types (ex. VARCHAR2(32)), which helps to ensure data integrity and minimizes space usage. For numbers, we have the option to specify the scale and precision.

Part II: Indexes

In the bottom of each table (gray portion), indexes have been specified with their justifications. The end of the document includes a more detailed description and justification for choosing certain indexes.

-----Tables-----

Appointment		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>Appointment_id</u>	NUMBER(5,0)	NOT NULL
Date	DATE	
time	TIMESTAMP	
deposit_fee	NUMBER	
customer_customer_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
employee_employee_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for appointment_id justification: primary key		

Availability		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>employee_employee_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
<u>timeslot_timeslot_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for employee_id and timeslot_id justification: primary foreign key		

Customer		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>customer_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
name	VARCHAR2(100)	
Indexes: create unique index for customer_id justification: primary key; name for common searches		

Emp_hourly		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>employee_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
hourly_rate	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create index for employee_id (common search)		

Emp_salary		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>employee_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
salary	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create index for employee_id (common search)		

Employee		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>employee_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
fname	VARCHAR2(50)	NOT NULL
lname	VARCHAR2(50)	NOT NULL
employee_type_employeetypeid	NUMBER	
Indexes: create unique index for employee_id justification: primary key; fname and lname for common searches		

Employee_type		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>employeetypeid</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
name	VARCHAR2(32)	
description	VARCHAR2(100)	
Indexes: create unique index for employeetypeid justification: primary key		

Offerings		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>offering_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
name	VARCHAR2(50)	
Desc	VARCHAR2(100)	
price	NUMBER	
Indexes: create unique index for offering_id justification: primary key		

Payment		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
total_amount	NUMBER	
customer_customer_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
<u>payment_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
payment_type	VARCHAR2(32)	
Indexes: create unique index for payment_id justification: primary key		

Product		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
offering_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
<u>product_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for product_id justification: primary key		

Purchase		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>payment_payment_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
<u>offerings_offering_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
quantity	NUMBER	
Indexes: create unique index for payment_payment_id, offerings_offering_id justification: primary keys		

Schedule		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>schedule_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
timeslot_timeslot_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
employee_employee_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for schedule_id justification: primary key		

Service		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
offering_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
<u>service_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for service_id justification: primary key		

Services_provided		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
employee_employee_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
service_offering_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes:		

Services_requested		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
est_total_time	NUMBER	
appointment_appointment_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
service_service_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for est_total_time justification: may be searched a lot for making schedules and timetables		

Supplier		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>supplier_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
name	VARCHAR2(100)	
Indexes: create unique index for supplier_id justification: primary key		

Supply_order		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>order_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
supplier_supplier_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
delivery_date	DATE	
Indexes: create unique index for order_id justification: primary key; delivery date for common searches		

Supply_orderline		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>orderline_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
quantity	NUMBER	
purchase_price	NUMBER	
supply_order_order_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
product_product_id	NUMBER	NOT NULL
Indexes: create unique index for orderline_id justification: primary key		

Timeslot		
Attribute	Data Type	Constraint
<u>timeslot_id</u>	NUMBER	NOT NULL
day_of_week	VARCHAR2(10)	
start_time	NUMBER	
end_time	NUMBER	
Indexes: create unique index for timeslot_id justification: primary key		

-----End Tables-----

Overview of data volume and usage analysis

Table Name	Data Volume	High Traffic Table?
Customers	10,000	✓
Employees (Total)	20	
Employee Hourly	18	
Employee Salary	2	
Employee Type	3	
Offerings	90	
Products	50	
Services	40	
Timeslot	15	
Schedule	100	
Supply OrderLine	500	
Supply Order	200	
Supplier	5	
Appointments	15,000	✓
Services Requested	20,000	✓
Payments	20,000	✓
Availability	200	
Services provided	100	
Purchase	25,000	✓

More on Indexes, data usage

Primary keys:

Timeslot_ID, Schedule_ID, Employee_ID, EmployeeTypeID, Offering ID, Orderline ID, Appointment_ID, Order_ID, Customer_ID, Payment ID, Supplier_ID

Frequently used in searches/WHERE clause + ORDER BY/GROUP BY:

Name in Customer (for finding a customer by name after or before an appointment)

FName & LName in Employee (for finding a specific employee by name; index can use both values/multivalued. May be useful for employee payments (such as checks or direct deposit where you may need the first and last name) checking who is on the weekly schedule to send out reminders without just the employee ID.)

Delivery Date in Supply Order (may want to search and see when the next delivery is, or find when the last supply order was delivered; also, if there is a problem such as a delay in the last delivery or missing products, you can find the supplier easily by searching through latest delivery date)

Frequent user actions:

- Editing or creating a timeslot – making a weekly schedule
- Creating or searching appointments
- Adding customers
- Adding a payment for an appointment or customer
- Searching availability for employees for a given week
- Paying an employee by determining their hours/appointments and pay per hour/commission for a given pay period
- Determining what employees can work for a given appointment (based on type and time)
- Scheduling supply orders
- Keeping track of how many supplies are available for a given time period

Bottlenecks:

Products / Supply OrderLine – there may be a significant wait for a given order to be delivered.

Supplier / Supply Order – there may be a wait for a supplier to supply/create a given order.

Customer / Appointment – there may be many customers wanting an appointment, but only a given amount of each type per week, causing a wait.