

# Database - 2K22/IT/72

*From Sir's slides and lab tasks.*

## File Based Systems

A collection of data, it is the traditional way of storing data. Each department stored and managed its own data.

### Limitations

- Separation and Isolation of Data
- Duplication and Redundancy of Data
- Data Dependence
- Incompatible File Formats
- Fixed Queries

**Reason for Limitations** → No access/manipulation control because Data Definition was embedded in the programs instead of being stored separately. This resulted in the creation of DBMS.

## Database Management System

A collection of data, Each department can access and manage the same collection. This enables users to define, create, maintain and control access to the database.

- Oracle
- MySQL
- SQLserver
- Postgres
- Sybase
- MS Access
- Informix

**Procedures** → Instructions/Rules that should be applied to design/use DBMS.

**Schema** → Description of the data. It is the “blueprint” which the database follows.

**Database Application Program** → A program that interacts with the database by giving the appropriate SQL request to the DBMS.

## Roles in a Database Environment

- Data Admin (DA)
- Database Admin (DBA)
- Database Designers
- Programmers
- End Users

## Database

Shared collection of logically related data (includes entities, attributes and relationships).

## Data Models

It tells how the system will look after implementation.

- Object-Based Data Models
  - **Entity-Relationship Models**
  - **Semantic Models**
  - **Functional Models**
  - **Object-Oriented Data Model**
- Record-Based Data Models
  - **Hierarchical Data Model** → Uses a tree structure to store data.
  - **Network Data Model** → Uses a graph structure to store data.
  - **Relational Data Model** → Uses tables to store data.
- Physical Data Models

1st Gen → Hierarchical, Network

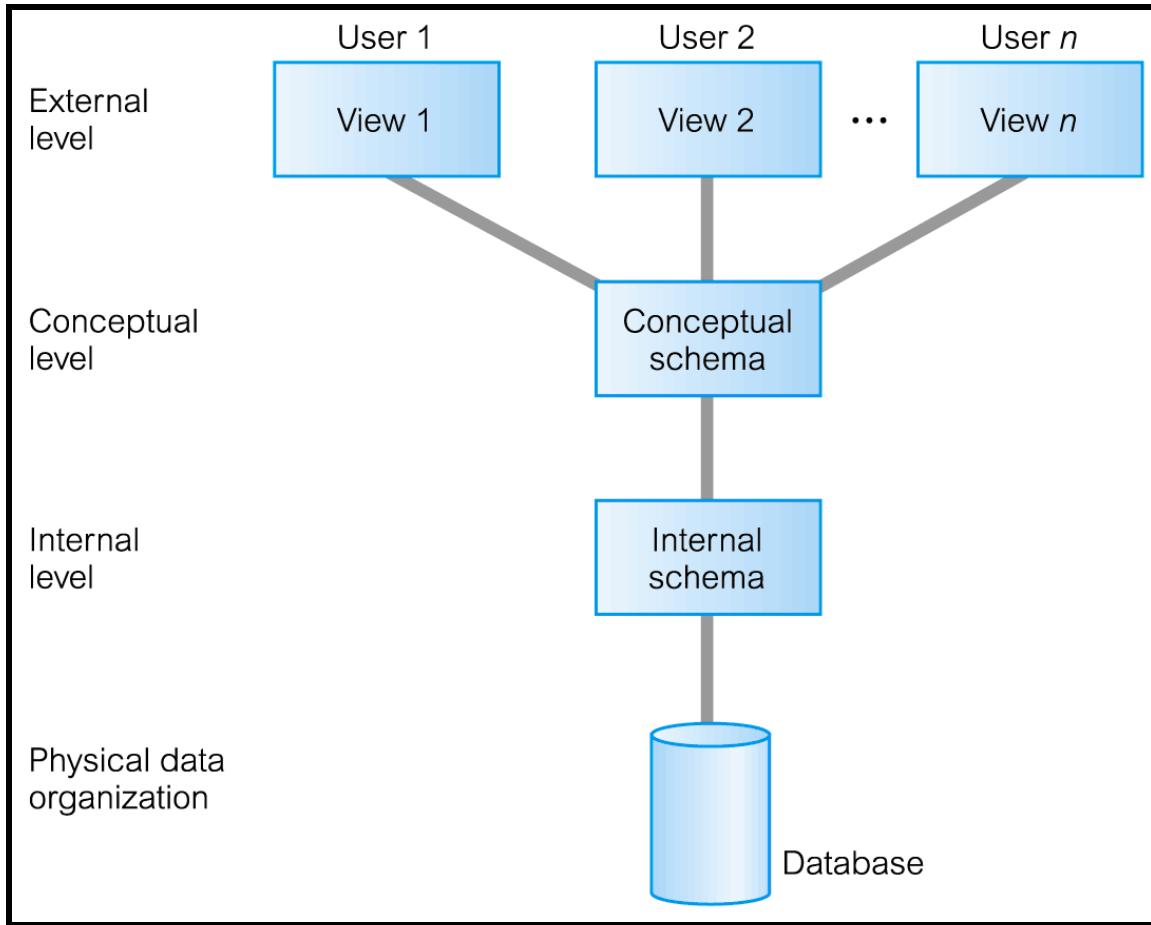
2nd Gen → Relational

3rd Gen → Object-Relational, Object-Oriented

**Components of Database** → Hardware, Software, Data, Machine, Human

## ANSI-SPARC Three-Level Architecture

1. **External Level** → Shows the data relevant to the user using Views and hides rest.
  2. **Conceptual Level** → Tells what data is stored and the relationships between tables.
  3. **Internal Level** → Tells how the data is stored inside the storage in form of bits.
- **Physical Data** → Database itself



## Multi-User Database Architectures

- **Teleprocessing** → Terminals are connected to a single mainframe.
- **File-Server** → Connected to several workstations across a network.
- **Client-Server**
  - **Two-Tier Client-Server** → Client can directly communicate with the Server.
  - **Three-Tier Client-Server** → Client and Server have a middle Application layer.

Architecture	Interface	Applications	DBMS	Database
Teleprocessing	Terminals	Single Mainframe		
File-Server	All Workstations			Files Server
2-Tier Client-Server	Client		Database Server	
3-Tier Client-Server	Client	Application Server	Database Server	

## Data Independence

The ability to modify one of the three schema without needing to change others.

**Logical Data Independence** → Ability to change Conceptual Schema without needing to change External Schema.

**Physical Data Independence** → Ability to change Physical Schema without needing to change Conceptual Schema.

**System Catalog** → Metadata to describe data in the database. (names, types, sizes, constraints etc.)

## Languages

- **Data Definition Language** (DDL) → Defines structure/schema of the Database.
- **Data Manipulation Language** (DML) → Helps managing/manipulating the data in the Database.
  - **Procedural DML** → Tells how to manipulate data.
  - **Non-Procedural DML** → Tells what data is needed.
- **Data Control Language** (DCL)

## Views

A subset of the database. It is a virtual table that can be created using SQL statements.

### Purpose of Views

Provides Security.

Shows Relevant data to Users.

**Change in View** should be reflected by a **Change in Relation**.

**Change in Relation** should be reflected by **Changes in all Views**.

# Relational Model

- **Relation → Table, File.** It is about the Logical Structure NOT the Physical Structure.
  - **Relational Database** → Collection of relations.
- **Attribute → Column, Field.** A named column of the relation.
  - **Degree** → Number of attributes in a relation.
- **Tuple → Row, Record.** A row of the relation.
  - **Cardinality** → Number of tuples in a relation.
- **Domain** → Set of allowed values for one or more attributes.
- **Relation Schema** → Set of table definitions, constraints, and rules.
  - **Relational Database Schema** → Set of Relation Schemas.

## Properties

1. **Uniqueness**
  - Relation name must be different from other relations.
  - Attribute name must be different from other attributes.
  - Tuple must be different from other tuples.
2. **Bounds**
  - Cells of relation can contain exactly one value.
  - Attributes of relation can only contain values from the same domain.
3. **Order**
  - Attribute order doesn't matter.
  - Tuple order doesn't matter.

**Relational Algebra and Relational Calculus** → Formal Languages in the relational model.

# Relational Algebra

**Closure Property** → Expressions can be nested.

## Operations

1. **Projection** → Shows the list of those attributes that we wish to appear in the result. Rest of the attributes are eliminated from the table. It is denoted by pi ( $\Pi$ ).
2. **Selection** → Selects tuples(rows) that satisfy a given predicate. It is denoted by sigma ( $\sigma$ ).

R and S are relations/list of tuples.

3. **Cartesian Product** → Combines each row in R with each row in S. It is also known as a cross product. It is denoted by X.
4. **Union** → Contains all the tuples that are either in R or S or both in R & S. It eliminates the duplicate tuples. It is denoted by U.
5. **Set Difference** → Contains all tuples that are in R but not in S. It is denoted by minus (-).
6. **Intersection** → Contains all tuples that are in both R & S. It is denoted by  $\cap$ .
7. **Join** → To combine R and S into a single relation.
8. **Division** → Tuples of R that match every combination Tuples of S.

## Aggregate Functions

- **SUM** → Returns the Sum of values. Only works on numbers.
- **COUNT** → Returns the number of values.
- **MIN** → Returns the smallest value. Only works on numbers.
- **MAX** → Returns the largest value. Only works on numbers.
- **AVG** → Returns the average of values. Only works on numbers.

**Grouping Functions** → Using multiple Aggregate Functions.

## Relational Calculus

Tells what to get instead of how to get it.

**Predicate** → A truth-valued function with arguments.

**Proposition** → An expression made from the function by substituting values.

## Tuple Relational Calculus

To find tuples where the predicate is true.

- **Bound/Free Variables** → Variables that fulfill one of the Quantifiers.
  - **Existential Quantifier** (There exists)
  - **Universal Quantifier** (For all)

## Domain Relational Calculus

Uses variables that take values from domains **NOT** tuples.

# Structured Query Language (SQL)

Keywords(Statements) are not case-sensitive.

**Text Fields** → Enclosed in single quotations.

**Numeric Fields** → Not Enclosed.

## Relational Keys

- **Super Key** → Set of Attributes/Columns that can uniquely identify Tuples/Rows.
  - **Candidate Keys** → A super key from which removing even a single Attribute/Column breaks this property.
    - **Primary Key** → A candidate key which can uniquely identify Tuples/Rows alone.
    - **Alternate Keys** → A candidate key not selected to be primary key.
    - **Foreign Key** → A candidate key that matches primary key in another table.

## Constraints

They are rules at the table level.

- **Null** → Represents the absence of a value and not the same as Zero or Space.
- **Entity Integrity** → No attribute of a primary key can be null.

Constraints in Oracle SQL	Specifies that
<b>NOT NULL</b>	Column can't contain a NULL value.
<b>UNIQUE</b>	Column can't have duplicate values.
<b>PRIMARY KEY</b>	Column is the primary key.
<b>FOREIGN KEY</b>	Column is the foreign key to some other table.
<b>CHECK</b>	Certain condition must be true.

Syntax →

## Referential Integrity constraint

Also called Foreign Key constraint. It ensures that there is a valid reference between tables and no inconsistencies.

The referenced table/relation is called the **Master**.

The table/relation that is referencing is called the **Child**.

- **INSERT Constraint** → Value can not be inserted in Child, if it's not found in Master.
- **DELETE Constraint** → Value can not be deleted from Master, if it's found in Child.
  - **ON DELETE CASCADE** → Deleting from Master, deletes the same value in Child.
  - **ON DELETE NULL** → Deleting from Master, nulls the same value in Child.

## Comments

- **Single Line**  
By giving -- before text.
- **Multi Line**  
By giving /\* before and \*/ after the text.

## Operators

- **Arithmetic Operators** → +, -, \*, /, %
- **Comparison Operators** → <, >, =, <=, >=, <>
- **Logical Operators** → AND, OR, NOT, BETWEEN, IN, LIKE, ANY, ALL

## Alias

Nickname of a column or table.

- Columns can have alias using the AS statement in the SELECT clause.  
`SELECT Salary AS Wage  
FROM Employees`
- Tables can have alias using the AS statement  
`SELECT Salary AS Wage  
FROM Employees`
- OR by specifying it after table name and space in the FROM clause.

```
SELECT e.Salary  
FROM Employees e
```

## Concatenation

```
SELECT firstName + ' ' + lastName AS Name FROM Employees
```

## Like

The LIKE operator is used in WHERE clause to find specific string patterns.

- % is used to represent **multiple** wildcard characters.
  - 'A\_' → Starting with A. Single character after it.
  - '\_A' → Ending with A. Single character before it.
  - '\_A\_' → Contains A. Single character before and after it.
- \_ is used to represent a **single** wildcard character.
  - 'A%' → Starting with A. Any amount of characters after it.
  - '%A' → Ending with A. Any amount of characters before it.
  - '%A%' → Contains A. Any amount of characters before/after it.

Statement	Property	Syntax	Function
<b>SELECT</b>	To select columns	<code>SELECT * FROM Employees</code>	Shows all columns of Employees table.
<b>SELECT DISTINCT</b>	To select unique values in the column.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table.
<b>FROM</b>	To specify the table.	<code>SELECT DISTINCT Salary FROM Employees</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees and only values that are unique.
<b>WHERE</b>	To filter out rows.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary&gt;1000</code>	Show Salary column of Employees table. Only the rows with 1000+ Salary.
<b>BETWEEN</b>	To search between a range.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary BETWEEN 100 AND 500</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. Only the rows with values between 100 and 500.
<b>LIKE</b>	To search for a pattern (used for strings).	<code>SELECT Name FROM Employees WHERE Name LIKE 'a%'</code>	Shows Name column of Employees table. Only the rows with values starting from a.
<b>IN</b>	To search for specific values.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary IN (100,200)</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. Only rows with the values 100 or 200.
<b>AND</b>	Shows if fulfills both conditions.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary&gt;100 AND Salary&lt;800</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. Only rows with the values greater than 100 and less than 800.
<b>OR</b>	Shows if fulfills either condition.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary&lt;100 OR Salary&gt;800</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. Only rows with either the values greater than 800 or less than 100.
<b>NOT</b>	Shows if the condition if not fulfilled.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary NOT IN (100,200)</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. All rows except ones with values 100 or 200.
<b>IS NULL</b>	To select null values.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary IS NULL</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. All rows that are NULL.
<b>IS NOT NULL</b>	To select not null values.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees WHERE Salary IS NOT NULL</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table. All rows that are not NULL.

<b>AS</b>	For alias making.	<code>SELECT Salary AS Wage FROM Employees</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table and shows the name as Wage.
<b>ORDER BY</b>	Shows in ascending order.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees ORDER BY Salary</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table in ascending order.
<b>DESC</b>	Shows in descending order.	<code>SELECT Salary FROM Employees ORDER BY Salary DESC</code>	Shows Salary column of Employees table in descending order.
<b>DELETE</b>	To delete rows.	<code>DELETE FROM Employees WHERE Salary = 0</code>	Deletes rows of Salary column of Employees table which have value of 0
<b>INSERT INTO</b>	To add new rows.  If you want to add values to all columns	<code>INSERT INTO Employees (Name, Age, Salary) VALUES ('Jaish', 20, 10000)</code>  <code>INSERT INTO Employees VALUES ('Jaish', 20, 10000)</code>	Inserts 'Jaish' in the Name column, 20 in the Age column and 10000 in the Salary column; as a row.  Used if you want to add values to all columns. Order of columns matters.
<b>CREATE TABLE</b>	To create a new table.		
<b>ALTER TABLE</b>	To change an already existing table.		
<b>DROP TABLE</b>	To delete a table.		