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## 2. SQL Basics

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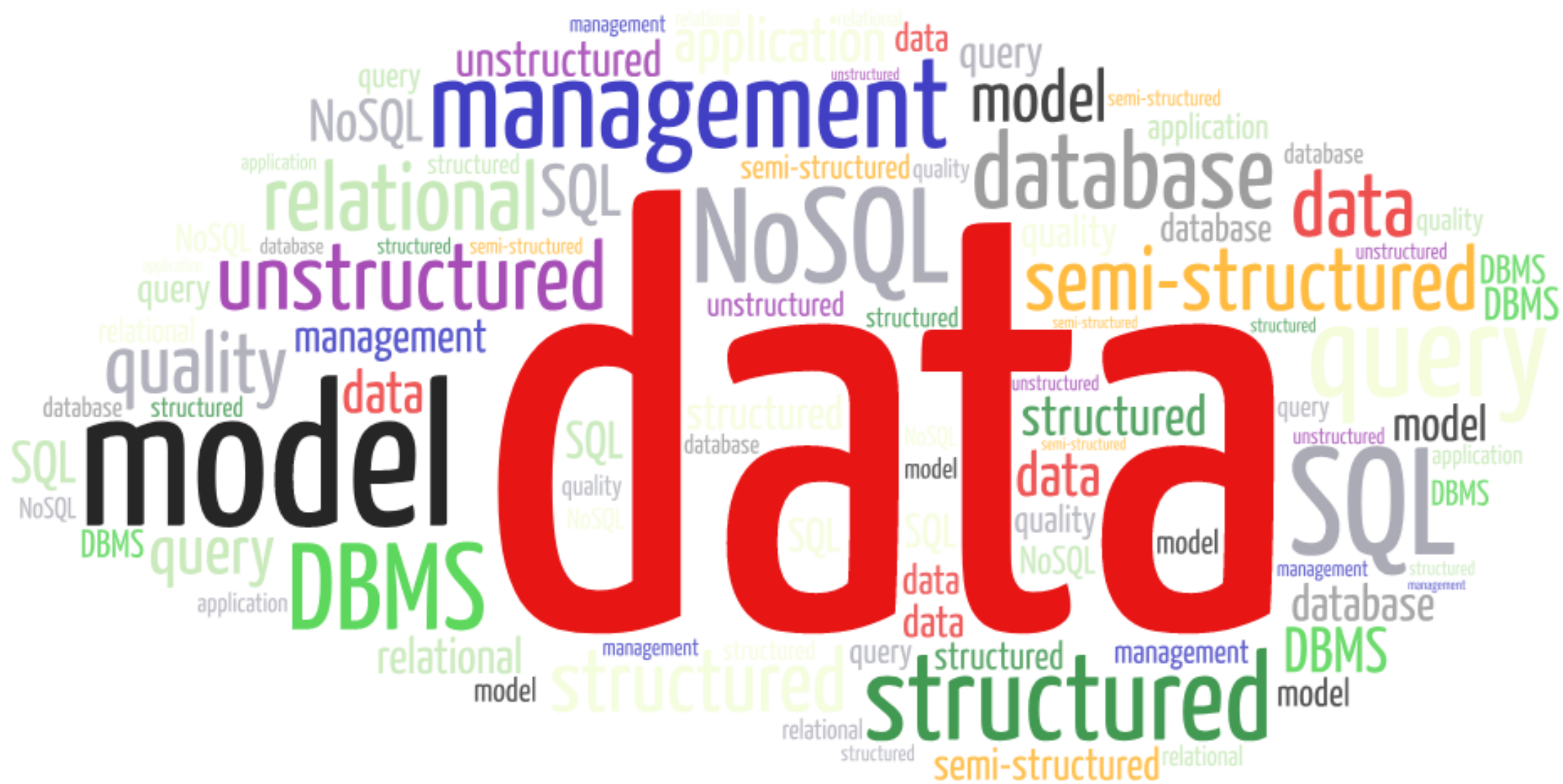
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## WARM UP Discussion:

*Data ...*

*What are you thinking of when we  
talk about **data**?*





Let's Discuss:

*Sources of Data ...*

*Where do **data** come from?*

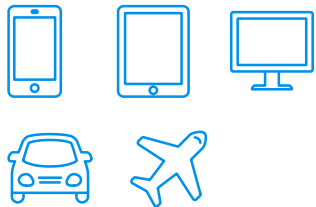
*Who/what generates **data**?*

# Three major sources of data...

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## Machines

Data generated from real time sensors, machines, vehicles, web logs, etc.



## People

Tweets, status updates, social media data, photos, videos



## Organizations

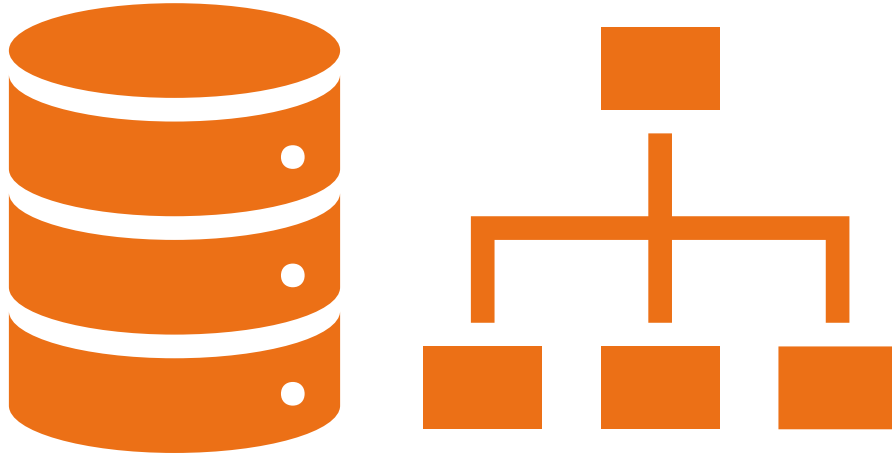
More traditional type of data: transaction information, databases, data warehouses





# RELATIONAL MODEL CONCEPTS

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# RELATIONAL MODEL STRUCTURE

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# The Relational Data Model

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## Relational model

- First commercial implementations available in early 1980s
- Has been implemented in a large number of commercial system

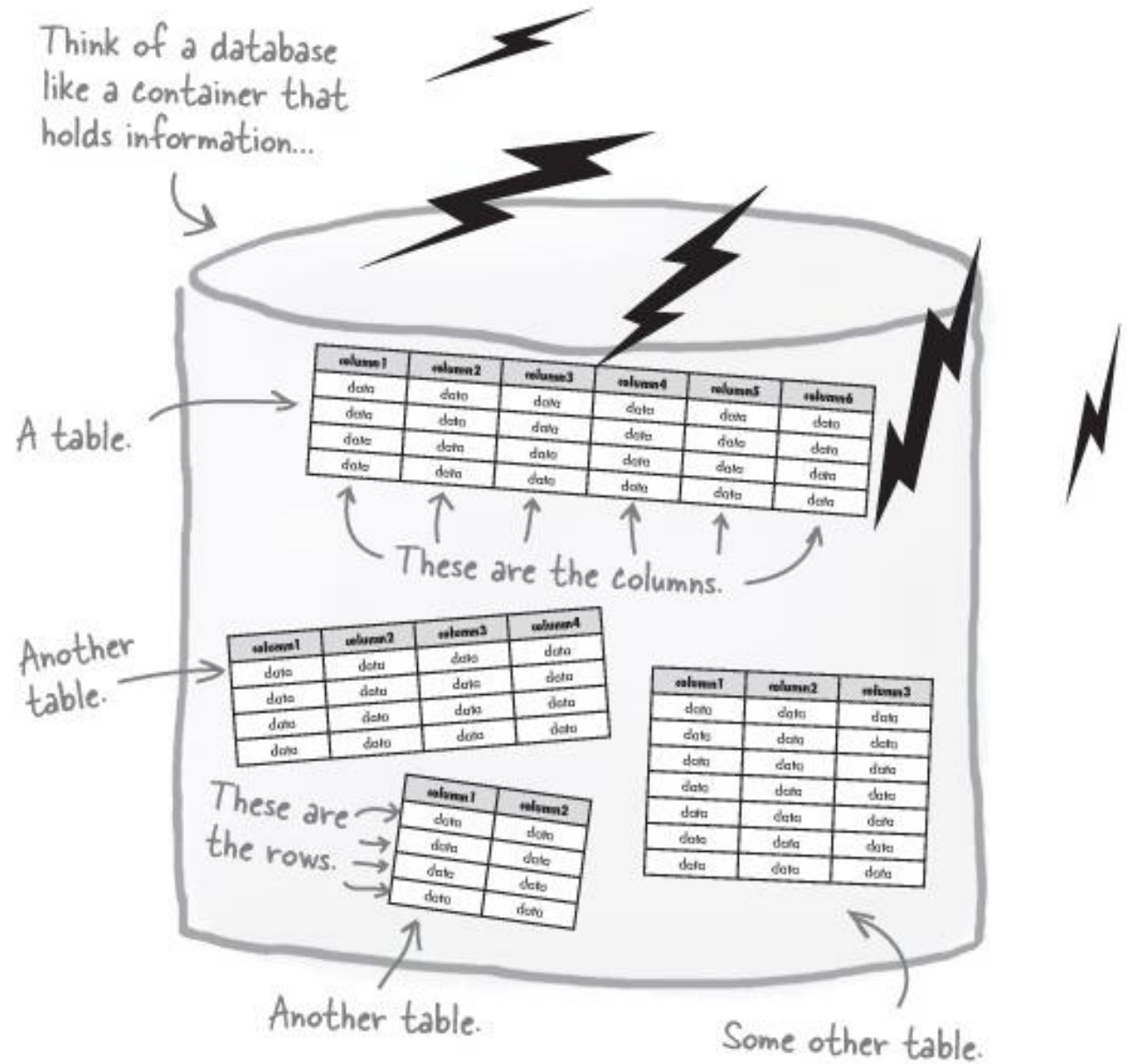
## Hierarchical and network models

- Preceded the relational model

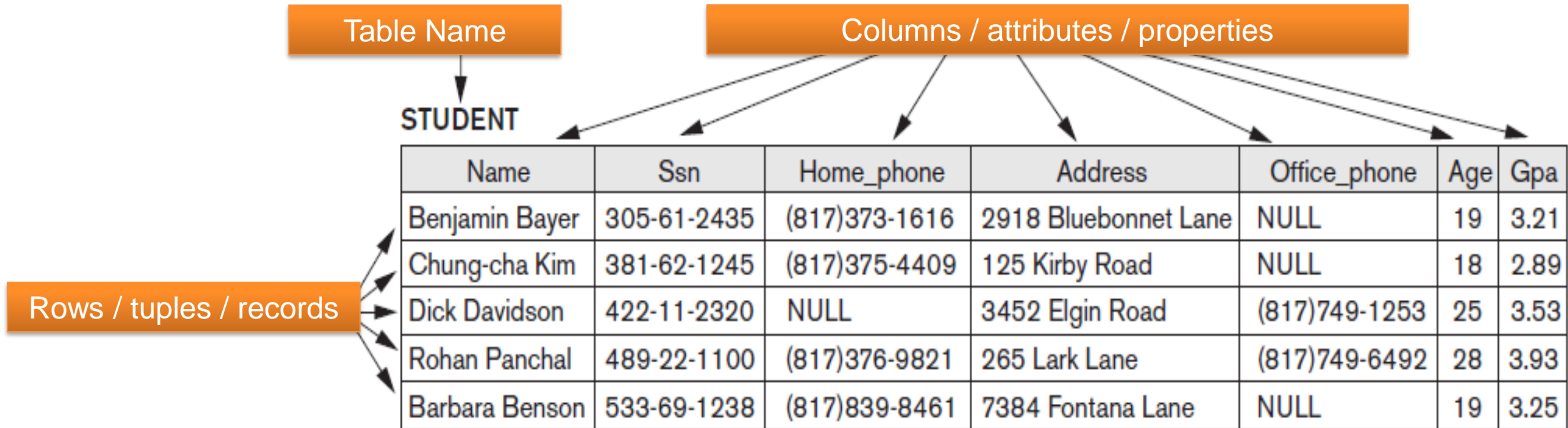
# Anatomy of a Database

# Database = collection of tables

The information inside the database is organized into tables.



# Relational Model Concepts



# Relation Schema

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## Relation schema R

- Denoted by  $R(A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n)$
- Made up of a relation name R and a list of attributes,  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$

## Attribute $A_i$

- Name of a role played by some domain D in the relation schema R

# Example: Relation Schema

## STUDENT

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A relation which stores information about university students, would contain seven attributes describing each student:

- STUDENT(Name, Ssn, Home\_phone, Address, Office\_phone, Age, Gpa)

or (with the data type of each attribute specified)

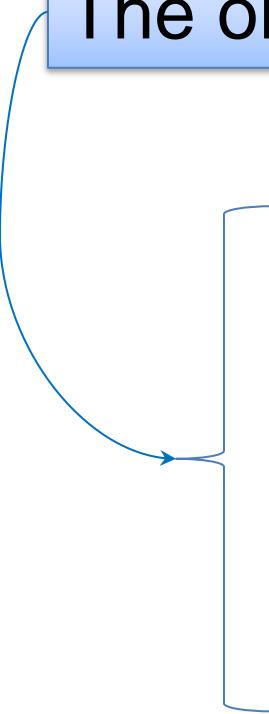
- STUDENT(Name: string, Ssn: string, Home\_phone: string, Address: string, Office\_phone: string, Age: integer, Gpa: real)

# Characteristics of Tables: Order of rows

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The order of rows in a table is not important.

**STUDENT**



Name	Ssn	Home_phone	Address	Office_phone	Age	Gpa
Dick Davidson	422-11-2320	NULL	3452 Elgin Road	(817)749-1253	25	3.53
Barbara Benson	533-69-1238	(817)839-8461	7384 Fontana Lane	NULL	19	3.25
Rohan Panchal	489-22-1100	(817)376-9821	265 Lark Lane	(817)749-6492	28	3.93
Chung-cha Kim	381-62-1245	(817)375-4409	125 Kirby Road	NULL	18	2.89
Benjamin Bayer	305-61-2435	(817)373-1616	2918 Bluebonnet Lane	NULL	19	3.21

# Characteristics of Tables: Values

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Each value in a row is atomic

Flat relational model

- Composite and multivalued attributes not allowed
- First normal form assumption

Multivalued attributes

- Must be represented by separate relations

Composite attributes

- Represented only by simple component attributes in basic relational model

# Characteristics of Tables: NULL values

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Represent the values of attributes that may be unknown or may not apply to a row

## Meanings for NULL values

- *Value unknown*
- *Value exists but is not available*
- *Attribute does not apply to this tuple (aka. value undefined)*



# Characteristics of Tables: Meaning

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## Interpretation (meaning) of a table

- Each row in the table is a **fact** or a particular instance of the assertion



# RELATIONAL MODEL CONSTRAINTS

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# Relational Model Constraints

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## Constraints

- Restrictions on the actual values in a database state
- Derived from the rules in the application that the database represents

# Relational Model Constraint Categories

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## Inherent model-based constraints or implicit constraints

- Inherent in the data model
- The characteristics of relations discussed earlier belong to this category
- Ex: The constraint that a relation cannot have duplicate tuples

## Schema-based constraints or explicit constraints

- Can be directly expressed in schemas of the data model
- Ex: Domain constraints, Key constraints, NULL value constraints, etc. (to be discussed next)

## Application-based or semantic constraints or business rules

- Cannot be directly expressed in schemas
- Expressed and enforced by application program

# Domain and Data Type Constraints

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## Domain constraints

- Specify that within each row, the value of each column  $A$  must be an atomic value from the domain  $\text{dom}(A)$ , such as:
  - Numeric data types for integers and real numbers
  - Characters
  - Booleans
  - Fixed-length strings
  - Variable-length strings
  - Date, time, timestamp
  - Money
  - Other special data types

# Key Constraints



Two distinct rows in a table cannot have identical values for (all) attributes in key

**CAR**

<u>License_number</u>	Engine_serial_number	Make	Model	Year
Texas ABC-739	A69352	Ford	Mustang	02
Florida TVP-347	B43696	Oldsmobile	Cutlass	05
New York MPO-22	X83554	Oldsmobile	Delta	01
California 432-TFY	C43742	Mercedes	190-D	99
California RSK-629	Y82935	Toyota	Camry	04
Texas RSK-629	U028365	Jaguar	XJS	04

**Figure 3.4**

The CAR relation, with two candidate keys: License\_number and Engine\_serial\_number.

# Key Constraints (cont'd.)

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## Candidate key

- Relation schema may have more than one key

## Primary key of the relation

- Designated among candidate keys
- Underline attribute

Other candidate keys are designated as unique keys

# Primary Key Constraints

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The primary key is used to uniquely identify each record

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Which means that the data in the primary key column can't be repeated.

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Consider a table with the columns shown below. Do you think any of those would make good primary keys?

<b>SSN</b>	<b>last_name</b>	<b>first_name</b>	<b>phone_number</b>
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# NULL Value Constraint

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A NULL value constraint specifies whether NULL values are or are not permitted.

## Example

- If every STUDENT row must have a valid, not-NULL value for the Name attribute, then Name of STUDENT is constrained to be NOT NULL.

# Referential Integrity / Foreign Key Constraint

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## Referential integrity (or Foreign Key) constraint

- Connecting two tables
- Specified between two tables
- Maintains consistency among rows in two tables
- The FOREIGN KEY (FK) is a column in a table that references the PRIMARY KEY of another table.



# SQL: Basics

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STRUCTURED QUERY LANGUAGE

# SQL: Structured Query Language

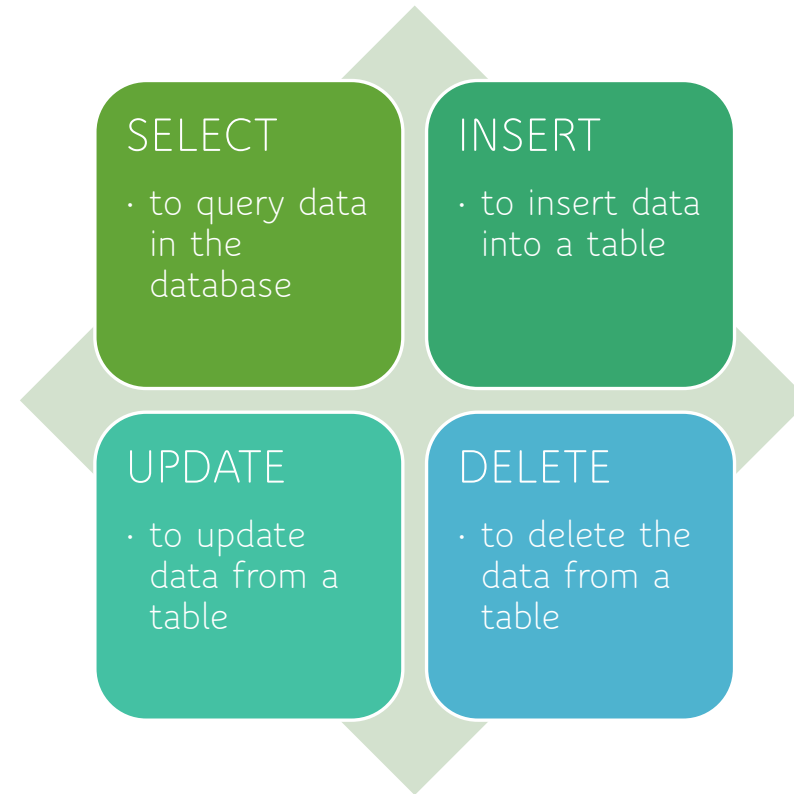
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- SQL became a standard of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) in 1986, and of the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) in 1987.
- SQL standard has two main components:
  - Data Definition Language (DDL): to define the structure of the database and control data access.
  - Data Manipulation Language (DML): for data retrieval and updating.

# Data Manipulation Language (DML)

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Data Manipulation  
Language (DML):  
for data retrieval  
and updating.



# Demo Database and SQL Playground

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[https://www.w3schools.com/sql/trysql.asp?filename=trysql\\_select\\_all](https://www.w3schools.com/sql/trysql.asp?filename=trysql_select_all)



## Your Database:

<b>Tablename</b>	<b>Records</b>
<u>Customers</u>	91
<u>Categories</u>	8
<u>Employees</u>	10
<u>OrderDetails</u>	518
<u>Orders</u>	196
<u>Products</u>	77
<u>Shippers</u>	3
<u>Suppliers</u>	29

## SQL SELECT Statement

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The SELECT statement is used to select data from a database.

## SELECT Syntax

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name;
```

# SELECT

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## Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers;
```

## Example

```
SELECT Country FROM Customers;
```



## SQL SELECT DISTINCT Statement

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The SELECT DISTINCT statement is used to return only distinct (different) values.

Inside a table, a column often contains many duplicate values; and sometimes you only want to list the different (distinct) values.

## SELECT DISTINCT Syntax

```
SELECT DISTINCT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name;
```



# SELECT DISTINCT Examples

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The following SQL statement selects only the DISTINCT values from the "Country" column in the "Customers" table:

## Example

```
SELECT DISTINCT Country FROM Customers;
```

The following SQL statement lists the number of different (distinct) customer countries:

## Example

```
SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT Country) FROM Customers;
```

## SQL WHERE Clause

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The **WHERE** clause is used to filter records.

It is used to extract only those records that fulfill a specified condition.

### WHERE Syntax

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name  
WHERE condition;
```



## Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE Country='Mexico';
```

## Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE CustomerID=1;
```

# SQL WHERE Clause

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# Operators in The WHERE Clause

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Operator	Description
=	Equal
>	Greater than
<	Less than
>=	Greater than or equal
<=	Less than or equal
<>	Not equal. <b>Note:</b> In some versions of SQL this operator may be written as !=
BETWEEN	Between a certain range
LIKE	Search for a pattern
IN	To specify multiple possible values for a column



SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM Products  
WHERE Price >= 30;
```

SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM Products  
WHERE Price <> 18;
```

SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM Products  
WHERE Price BETWEEN 50 AND 60;
```

SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE City LIKE 's%';
```

Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE City LIKE '_ondon';
```

SQL Statement:

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE City IN ('Paris', 'London');
```

# SQL WHERE Clause

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### AND Syntax

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name  
WHERE condition1 AND condition2 AND condition3 ...;
```

### OR Syntax

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name  
WHERE condition1 OR condition2 OR condition3 ...;
```

### NOT Syntax

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name  
WHERE NOT condition;
```

# SQL AND, OR and NOT Operators

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### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE Country='Germany' AND City='Berlin';
```

### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE City='Berlin' OR City='München';
```

### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
WHERE NOT Country='Germany';
```

# SQL AND, OR and NOT Operators

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1 List names of customers who are from Germany and the city must be Berlin OR Aachen (use parenthesis to form complex expressions).

1.1 Write SQL statement

1.2 What are the answers?

2 List names of customers who are NOT from Norway and from Denmark.

2.1 Write SQL statement

2.2 How many records are the answers?

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YOUR TURN.

# SQL ORDER BY Keyword

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The ORDER BY keyword is used to sort the result-set in ascending or descending order.

The ORDER BY keyword sorts the records in ascending order by default. To sort the records in descending order, use the DESC keyword.

```
SELECT column1, column2, ...  
FROM table_name  
ORDER BY column1, column2, ... ASC|DESC;
```



### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
ORDER BY Country;
```

### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
ORDER BY Country DESC;
```

### Example

```
SELECT * FROM Customers  
ORDER BY Country, CustomerName;
```

# SQL ORDER BY Keyword

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Selects all customers, sorted ascending by Country and descending by the CustomerName.

3.1 Write SQL statement

3.2 Who is listed as the first customer. Give the customer name.

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Questions?

