

# **Database Management System**

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# Data & Information

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# Knowledge

The information which contains wisdom is known as knowledge.  
Knowledge can be classified as

- Fact-based
- Heuristic knowledge

# **Increasing use of data as a corporate resource**

# DBMS

- A database management system is a collection of interrelated data and a set of programs to access those data.
- The primary goal of a DBMS is to provide a way to store and retrieve database information that is both convenient and efficient.

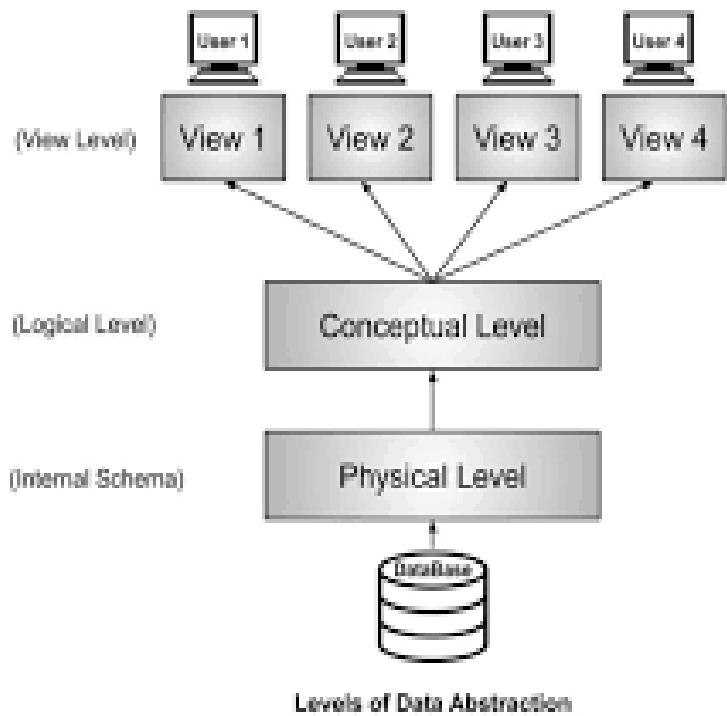
# Data processing vs Data management

- Data processing occurs when data is collected and translated into usable information.
- A database management system is a collection of interrelated data and a set of programs to access those data.
- The collection of data is referred as database.

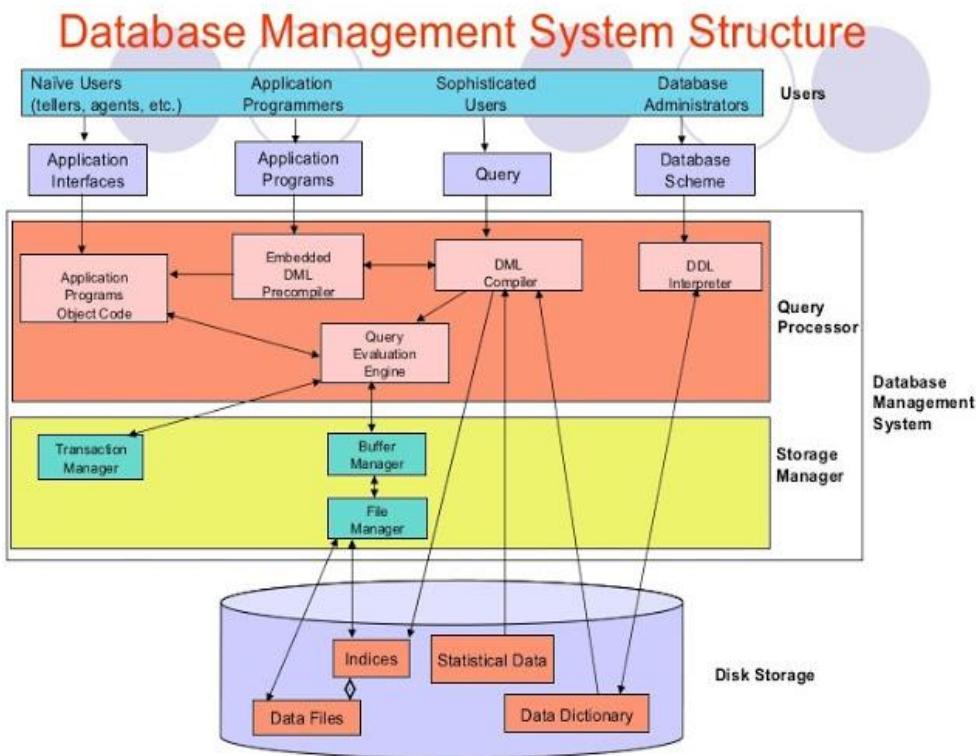
# File oriented approach vs database oriented approach

- Data redundancy and inconsistency
- Difficult in accessing data
- Data isolation
- Integrity problem
- Atomicity problem
- Concurrent-access anomalies

# Data independence



# DBMS Structure



# Different kinds of DBMS user

- Database administrator
- Sofisticated user (system analyst)
- Application programmer
- Naive user

# Database Administrator

Role of DBA is -

- Schema definition
- Storage structure and access-method definition
- Schema and physical-organization modification
- Granting of authorization for data access
- Routine maintenance

## ✓ **Importance of data dictionary**

- A data dictionary contains metadata i.e data about the database.
- The data dictionary is very important as it contains information such as what is in the database, who is allowed to access it, where is the database physically stored etc.

## ✓ **Contents of Data dictionary**

- Names of all the database tables and their schemas.
- Details about all the tables in the database, such as their owners, their security constraints, when they were created etc.
- Physical information about the tables such as where they are stored and how.
- Table constraints such as primary key attributes, foreign key information etc.
- Information about the database views that are visible.

# Types of database languages

- DDL (Data Definition Language)
- DML(Dala Manipulation Language)
- DCL (Data Control Language)

# Data Model

Data model (DM) is a collection of conceptual tools for describing data, data relationship, data semantics and consistency constraints.

There are three types of data model-

1. Object-based DM
2. Record-based DM
3. Physical DM

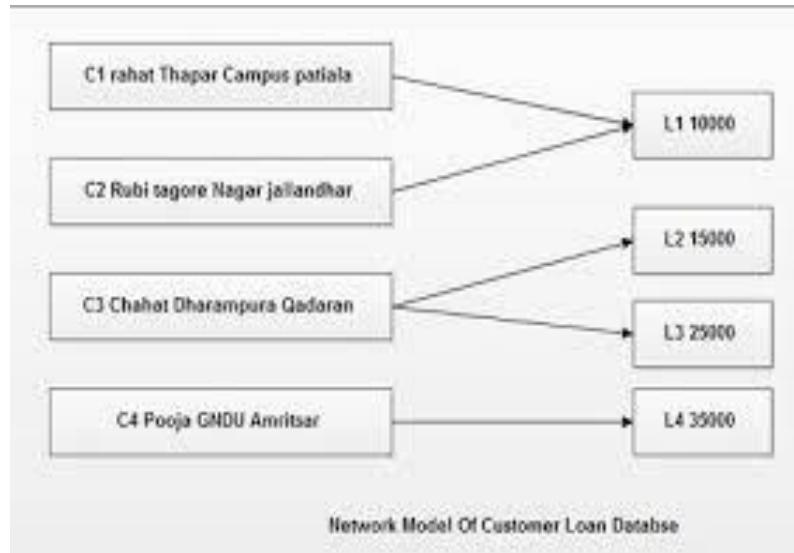
# 1. Object-based Data Model

- ER-Model DM
- Object-oriented DM
- Semantic DM
- Functional DM

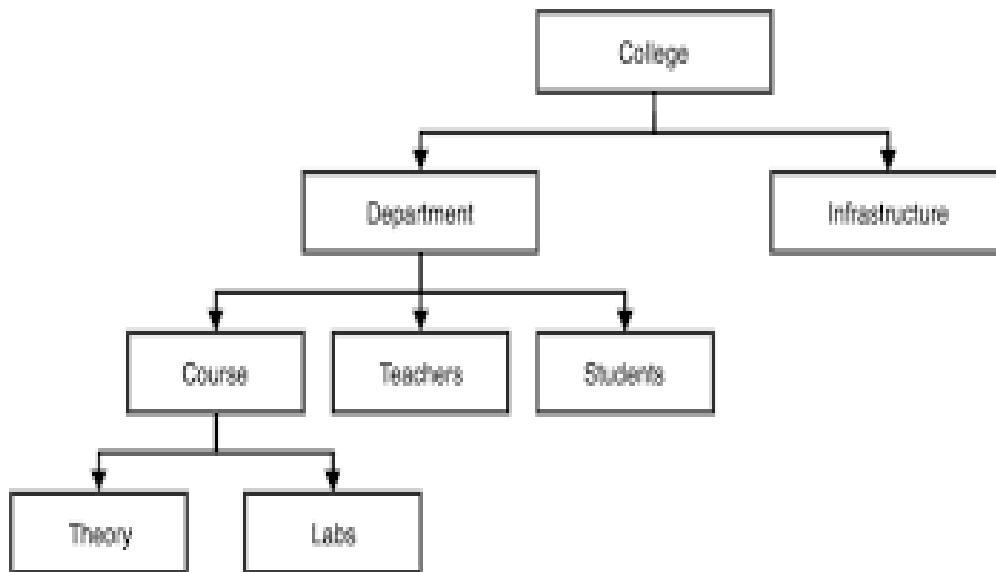
## 2. Record-based Data Model

- Network Model
- Hierarchical Model
- Relational Model

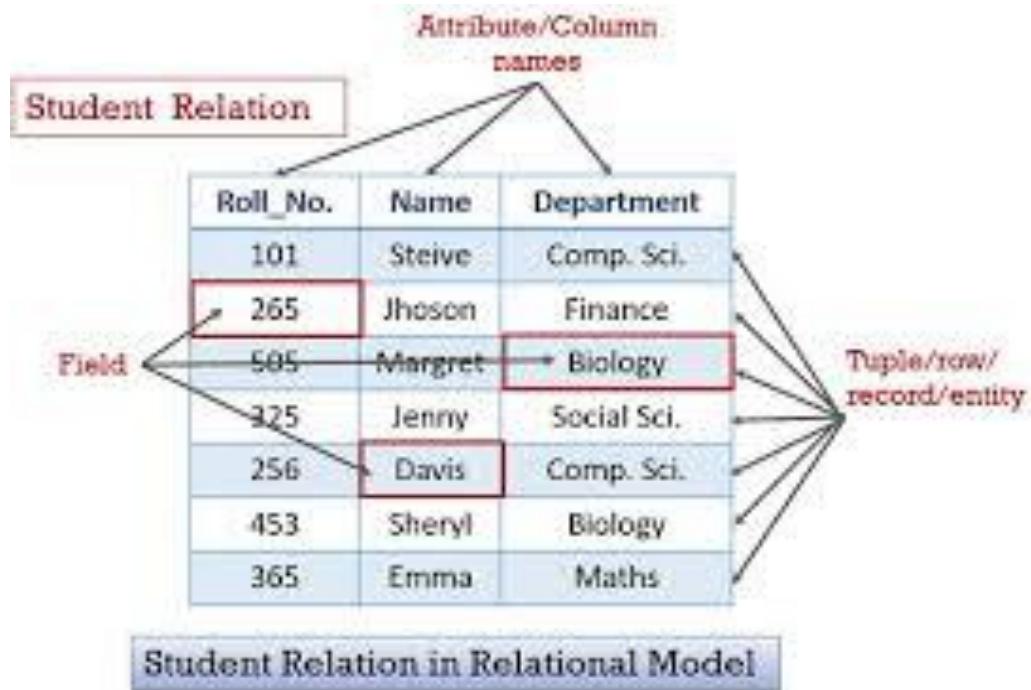
# Network Model



# Hierarchical Model



# Relational Model



### 3. Physical Data Model

- Unifying Data Model
- Frame Data Model