

# **CS2102 - Database System**

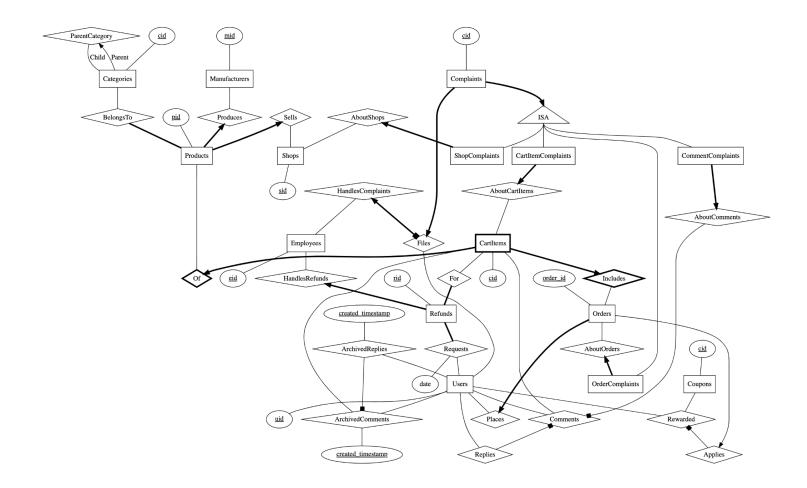
**Project (Part 1) Report** 

# Team 36

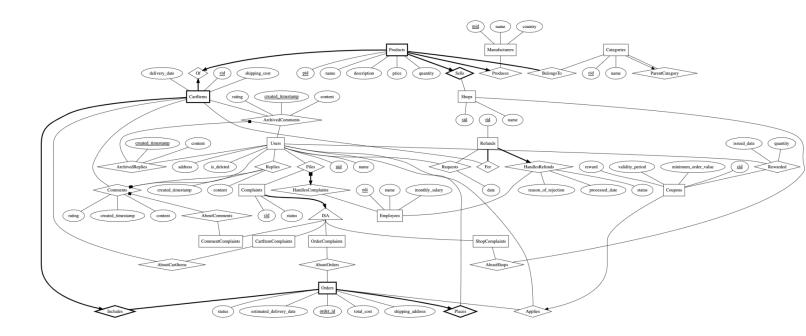
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# 1. ER Model of the application

Below is the simplified ER model (with non-key attributes omitted) of the Adazal application.



The full ER model is attached to the next page.



#### 2. The relational database schema

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ROP TABLE IF EXISTS
  Shops, Manufacturers, Categories, Products, Employees, Users, Orders,
  CartItems, Refunds, HandlesRefunds, Comments, ArchivedComments, Replies,
  ArchivedReplies, Coupons, Rewarded, Applies, Complaints, CartItemComplaints,
  ShopComplaints, OrderComplaints, CommentComplaints, Files, HandlesComplaints
CASCADE;
  name VARCHAR (128)
CREATE TABLE Manufacturers (
CREATE TABLE Categories (
  category id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES Categories ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  price NUMERIC CHECK (price >= 0),
CREATE TABLE Employees (
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is deleted BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE
);
CREATE TABLE Orders (
  order id INTEGER,
  shipping address TEXT,
  PRIMARY KEY (order id),
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY,
  user id INTEGER NOT NULL,
  FOREIGN KEY (product id) REFERENCES Products ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  UNIQUE (order id, product id),
CREATE TABLE Refunds (
  refund id INTEGER REFERENCES Refunds ON UPDATE CASCADE ON DELETE CASCADE,
  employee id INTEGER REFERENCES Employees ON UPDATE CASCADE ON DELETE CASCADE,
  PRIMARY KEY (refund id),
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created timestamp TIMESTAMP WITH TIME ZONE DEFAULT CURRENT TIMESTAMP,
  rating INTEGER CHECK (rating IN (1,2,3,4,5)),
  PRIMARY KEY (user id, product id),
CREATE TABLE ArchivedComments (
  rating INTEGER CHECK (rating IN (1,2,3,4,5)),
  PRIMARY KEY (user id, product id, created timestamp)
      ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  PRIMARY KEY (commenter id, product id, replier id)
CREATE TABLE ArchivedReplies (
  comment timestamp TIMESTAMP WITH TIME ZONE,
  replier id INTEGER REFERENCES Users ON UPDATE CASCADE ON DELETE CASCADE,
  content TEXT,
  created_timestamp TIMESTAMP WITH TIME ZONE,
product id, created timestamp) ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  PRIMARY KEY (commenter id, product id, replier id, created timestamp)
CREATE TABLE Coupons (
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validity period INTERVAL,
);
CREATE TABLE Rewarded (
  user id INTEGER REFERENCES Users ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  PRIMARY KEY (user id, coupon id)
  user id INTEGER,
  FOREIGN KEY (user id, coupon id) REFERENCES Rewarded (user id, coupon id)
      ON UPDATE CASCADE ON DELETE CASCADE,
CREATE TABLE Complaints (
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY,
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES Complaints ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  product id INTEGER NOT NULL,
ON UPDATE CASCADE
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES Complaints ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  shop id INTEGER REFERENCES Shops ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE
);
CREATE TABLE OrderComplaints (
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES Complaints ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
);
  cid INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES Complaints ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE,
  user id INTEGER,
```

### 3. Justification for any non-trivial design decisions made

- User can request multiple Refunds for a CartItems (No constraint stated in problem description), therefore, normal relationship is used instead of key constraint from CartItems to Refunds in ER diagram.
- VARCHAR(128) is used instead of TEXT as the type for the names of some entities as well as the
  country attribute of Manufacturers since those attributes should not be too long and doing so may
  benefit the speed of the system.
- The CartItems entity is used to model the items of 1 product type in Orders, and an Order made by a
  User is composed of many CartItems. The status, quantity, shipping cost, product type, delivery date,
  and estimated delivery date is captured within this entity.
- Refunds entity is connected to CartItems through relation For, while Coupon entity is connected to Order through relation Applies. There is no connection between For and Applies, so the constraint "the effects of coupons are ignored during product refunds" is enforced.
- After an Employee handles a Refund, the Refund may be accepted or rejected. We use the relation
  HandlesRefunds to model this activity. If the status of HandlesRefunds is 'rejected', the
  reason\_of\_rejection must be specified, otherwise (status is either 'processing' or 'accepted')
  it has to be null.
- ArchivedComments and ArchivedReplies are created the same as Comments and Replies with two
  changes, which are ON DELETE CASCADE is not included in the foreign key and created\_timestamp
  being in the primary key. This is to make sure everything is stored even when other tables are deleted
  and if users modify comments or replies, the previous comment are still stored in the table.
- Applies references to Rewarded so that we can enforce Users to can only apply the coupons that are rewarded to them.
- is\_deleted is a boolean attribute of Users with the default value false. When the user deletes his/her account, the corresponding User will not be deleted in the database, instead, its is\_deleted attribute will be set to true, and in the UI, the displayed name of that user will be "A Deleted User" while all the information of the user is not deleted.

## 4. Application's constraints that are not captured by the proposed ER data model

- Refund requests can only be made within 30 days from the delivery date of a product
- Refund quantity <= CartItems quantity
- CartItems quantity <= Shops quantity of the product
- The status of complaint is only changed from "pending" to "being processed" after it is picked up by an Adazal employee.

## 5. Application's constraints that are not captured by the proposed relational database schema

- Refund request can only be made within 30 days from the delivery date of a product
- Refund quantity <= CartItems quantity
- CartItems quantity <= Shops quantity of the product
- When the status of complaint is "pending" the Adazal employee must be NULL (because the status of complaint is only changed from "pending" to "being processed" after it is picked up by an Adazal employee)