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SQL 02: KEYS

AGENDA Superkeys

- ① Candidate keys
- ② Primary keys
- ③ Composite keys
- ④ Foreign keys
- ⑤ Intro to SQL (CRUD)

SUPER KEY

A col(s) that can be used to identify a row uniquely.

Table: Students

name	email	batch	phone-no	psp
			SK	<u>CK</u> (minimal)
name			X	X
email			✓	✓
psp			X	X
name, batch			X	X
name, email			✓	X
email, psp			✓	X
phone-no			✓	✓
phone-no, batch			✓	X
phone-no, batch, psp				

CANDIDATE KEY

Minimal set of col(s) that can be used to identify a row uniquely.

PRIMARY KEY

It is a candidate key chosen to uniquely identify a row in a table.

Note: ① DB sorts the data based on PK.

② DB creates an index on PK (indexes are stored on disk)

(4 bytes)
int

(20 bytes)
string.

GOOD PK (since, used as index)

- ① Easy / Fast to sort.
- ② Should be small in size.
- ③ Rarely changes.

(PK) C1	C2				
123	101				
124	302				
125					
126	205				
127	301				
128	407				

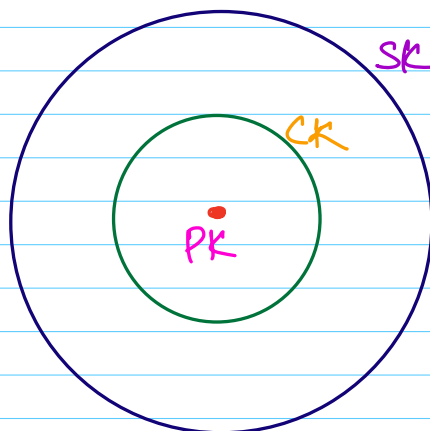
(4) COMPOSITE KEY (combination)

key with multiple columns is a composite key.

student-classes

stud-id	class-id
1	101
1	102
2	101
2	102
?	
.	

(Candidate key) PK :- (stud-id, class-id)



Emp-id, Dept
Email

Assume: (FName, LName) → UNIQUE

NOT a Candidate Key.

- A. Employee-id ✓
- B. Email ✓
- C. (FName, LName) ✓
- D. (LName, Dept) ✗

LName, Email
LName, Email

FOREIGN KEY

~~(PL)~~/SQL → Structured Query Language.

Note: CASE INSENSITIVE

Assignments: Case Sensitive (upper/lower case)
A
a

CREATE TABLE

CREATE TABLE <table-name> (

col-name data-type CONSTRAINTS

— — —
— — —
— — —

);

e.g.
 CREATE TABLE STUDENTS (
 stud_id INT PRIMARY KEY
 stud_name VARCHAR(50)
 ;
);

CONSTRAINT (Restrictions, Validation, Limitation)

- ① PRIMARY KEY (UNIQUE + NOT NULL)
- ② NOT NULL
- ③ UNIQUE
- ④ AUTO-INCR
- ⑤ CHECK e.g. salary INT CHECK salary > 0
- ⑥ DEFAULT
- ⑦ FOREIGN KEY
- ⑧ CREATE INDEX

BREAK TILL → 8:23 Am.

table: students (FK)

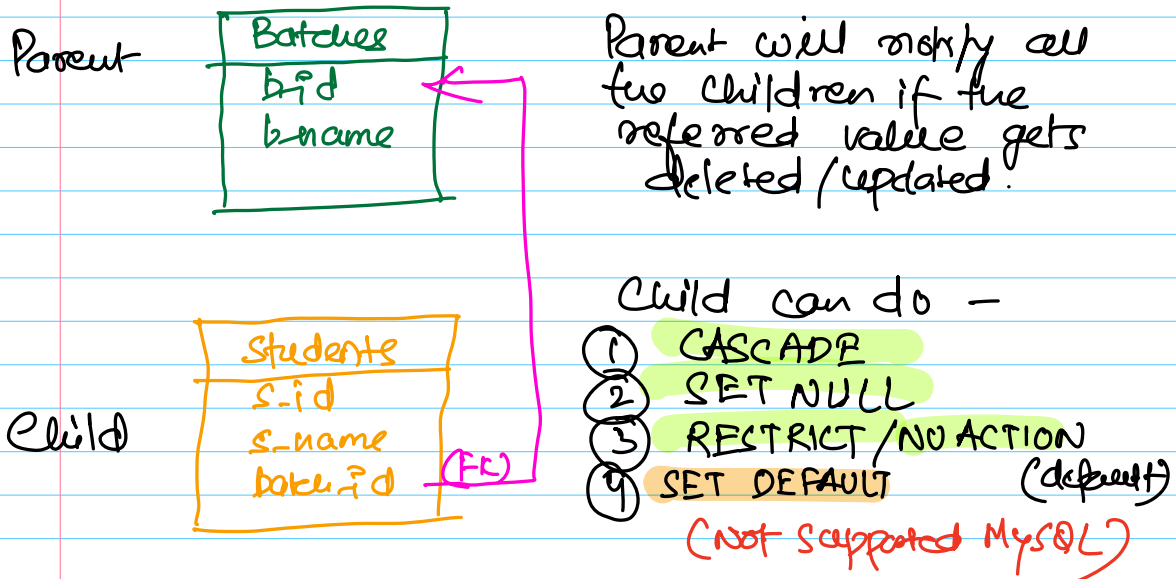
sid	s-name	batch_id
1	Arman	1
2	Chandanyan	2
3	Rashan	2
4	Ajay	3
5	Shubham	1
6	Mahendra	4

table: batches

b_id	b-name
1	X
2	Y
3	Z

FOREIGN KEY

UNIQUE (Need NOT be PK)



QUERIES

```
CREATE DATABASE SQL_030524;  
use SQL_030524;
```

```
CREATE TABLE BATCHES (  
  B_ID INT UNIQUE,  
  b_name VARCHAR(50)  
);
```

```
INSERT INTO BATCHES(B_ID, B_NAME)  
VALUES (1, 'MORNING'),  
(2, 'EVENING');
```

```
CREATE TABLE STUDENTS (  
  STUD_ID INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
  STUD_NAME VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
  BATCH_ID INT,  
  FOREIGN KEY (BATCH_ID) REFERENCES BATCHES(B_ID)  
  ON DELETE CASCADE ON UPDATE CASCADE  
);
```

```
INSERT INTO STUDENTS (STUD_NAME, BATCH_ID)  
VALUES ('KAUSHIK', 1),
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('SHUBHAM', 2),  
('ALIZAIN', 2);
```

```
-- Error Code: 1452. Cannot add or update a child row:  
-- a foreign key constraint fails  
-- (sql_030524`.`students`, CONSTRAINT `students_ibfk_1`  
-- FOREIGN KEY (BATCH_ID) REFERENCES `batches` (B_ID))
```

```
UPDATE BATCHES  
SET B_ID = 99  
WHERE B_ID = 2;
```

```
-- Error Code: 1451. Cannot delete or update a parent row:  
-- a foreign key constraint fails (sql_030524`.`students`,  
-- CONSTRAINT `students_ibfk_1` FOREIGN KEY (BATCH_ID)  
-- REFERENCES `batches` (B_ID))
```

```
DELETE FROM BATCHES WHERE B_ID = 1;
```

```
-- Error Code: 1451. Cannot delete or update a parent row: a foreign key constraint fails  
(sql_030524`.`students`, CONSTRAINT `students_ibfk_1` FOREIGN KEY (BATCH_ID) REFERENCES  
`batches` (B_ID))
```

```
DROP TABLE STUDENTS;
```