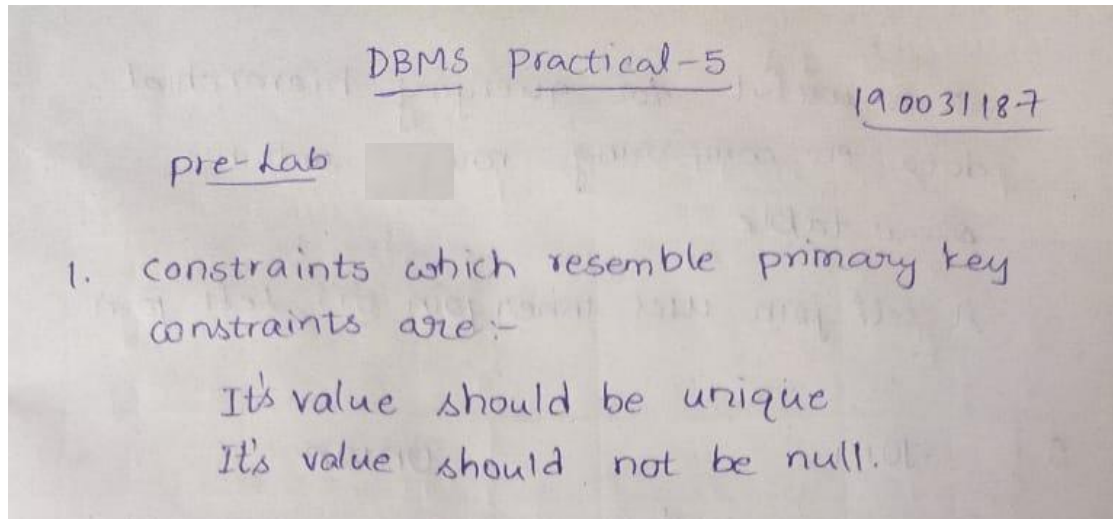


**DBMS SKILL-5****PRE-LAB**

1. The properties of a primary key are already known. A combination of which individual constraints resembles "Primary Key" constraint?



2. Consider a database table T containing two columns X and Y each of type integer. After the creation of the table, one record (X=1, Y=1) is inserted in the table. Let  $M_X$  and  $M_Y$  denote the respective maximum values of X and Y among all records in the table at any point in time. Using  $M_X$  and  $M_Y$ , new records are inserted in the table 128 times with X and Y values being  $M_X+1$ ,  $2*M_Y+1$  respectively. It may be noted that each time after the insertion, values of  $M_X$  and  $M_Y$  change. What will be the output of the following SQL query after the steps mentioned above are carried out? Explain.

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X	Y
1	1
2	3
3	7
4	15
5	31
6	63
7	127
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After performing the operations the output pattern will be of this form

3. Consider the set of relations shown below and the SQL query that follows. Students: (Roll\_number, Name, Date\_of\_birth)

Courses: (Course number, Course\_name, Instructor) Grades: (Roll\_number, Course\_number, Grade) What is the output of the given SQL query?

**select** distinct Name **from** Students, Courses, Grades **where** Students.  
Roll\_number = Grades.Roll\_number **and** Courses.Instructor = 'Korth' **and**  
Courses.Course\_number = Grades.Course\_number **and** Grades.grade = 'A'

3. The output will be the name of students who have got an A grade in atleast one of the course taught by korth.

4. What self join and why it is required?

4. A self join is a regular join, which joins data from the same table (or) it joins a table with itself.

It is useful for querying hierarchical data on comparing row within same table

A self join uses inner join (or) left join

5. State the difference between UNION clause and JOIN ?

5	Join	Union
	Join combines data from many tables based on a matched condition b/w them	SQL combines the result set of two or more select statements
	It combines data into new columns	It combines data into new rows
	No of columns selected from each table may not be same	No of columns selected from each tables should be same
	Datatypes of corresponding columns selected from each table can be different	Datatypes of corresponding columns selected from each table should be same
	It may not return distinct values	It returns distinct values.



6. Classify Outer join operations and explain briefly.

6. The outer join is classified into 3 types :-

- a) Left outer join
- b) Right outer join
- c) Full outer join

#### Left outer join

It contains the set of tuples of all combinations in R and S that are equal on their common attribute names

In the left outer join, tuples in R have no matching tuples in S

It is denoted by  $\bowtie$

#### Right outer join

It contains the set of tuples of all combinations in R and S that are equal on their common attributes names

In right outer join, tuples in S have no matching tuples in R.

It is denoted by  $\bowtie$

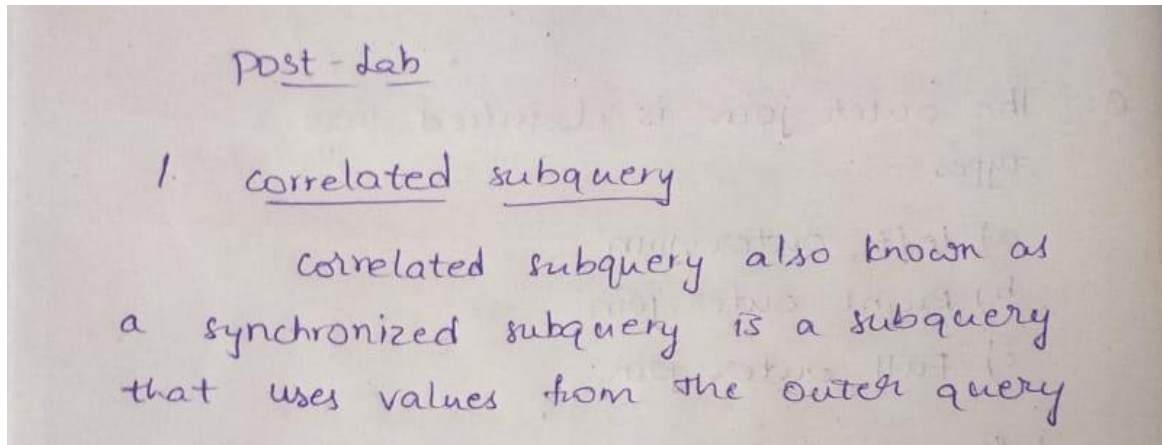
#### Full outer join

It is like a left (or) right join except that it contains all rows from both tables.

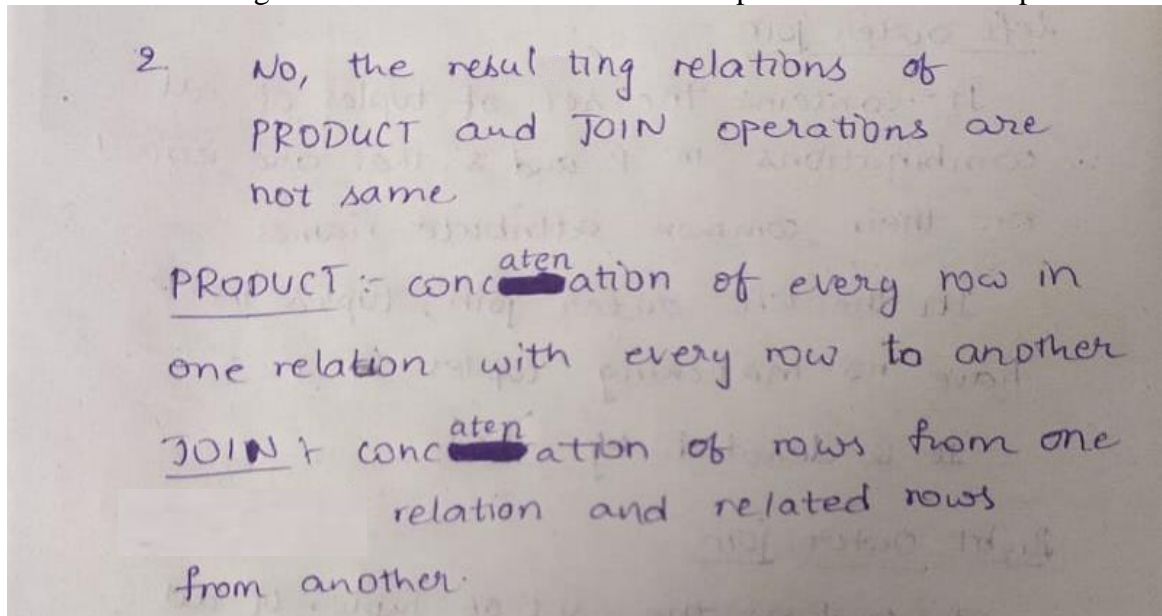
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**POST LAB**

1. What do you mean by Correlated subquery?



2. Are the resulting relations of PRODUCT and JOIN operation the same? Explain.



3. Explain a join between tables

3. An SQL join clause - corresponding to a join operation in relational algebra combines columns from one or more tables in a relational database. It creates a set that can be saved as a table or used as it is. A JOIN is meant for combining columns from one or more tables by using values common to each.

4. Describe the difference between embedded and dynamic SQL.

4. Embedded SQL  
are SQL statements in an application that do not change at runtime and there fans can be hard-coded into the application

Dynamic SQL  
is SQL statements that are constructed at runtime. For example, the application may allow users to enter their own queries.



5. How does Tuple-oriented relational calculus differ from domain-oriented relational calculus?

5. A Tuple relational calculus is a non procedural query language which specifies to select the tuples in a relation. It can select the tuples with range of values or tuples for certain attribute values etc. The resulting relation can have one or more tuples.