Query Optimization Exercise 3

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1 Exercise 1

Selections:

Select * from day d where d.weather = 'sunny'

Assuming that we're in the Ecuador the and the two possible options would be sunny or cloudy. We'll get far more than the 50% of the sunny tuples.

Joins:

 $Select * from \ car \ c, \ Ferrari \ f \ where \ c.color = f.color$

Most of the Ferrari are red therefore we're going to get a super high-selectivity.

2 Exercise 2

 $Select * from interior_color crossjoin exterior_color, carcar, company compwhere car.$

This execution plan will generate all possible combinations of interior and exterior colors for all car models from all companies. Since we want to generate a result that contains all possible combinations of different values it makes sense to use a cross product. If instead of using a bushy tree we would use a left tree in the worst case scenario the cost function would be the same, but in that case it could not be parallelled.

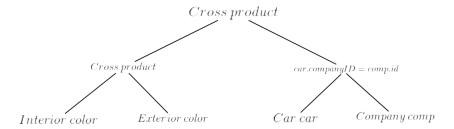


Figure 1: The optimal bushy tree with a cross product