

# Lecture 7: E-R Diagram

Database Systems

## In the last lecture

### ☐ Join

- ✓ Used to combine rows from two or more tables based on a related column between them

### ☐ Nested query

- ✓ SELECT statement included in the WHERE clause of the outer query again in the form  
SELECT ... FROM ... WHERE

### ☐ The result of a nested query can return

- ✓ A scalar value (single value)
- ✓ A relation with one attribute
- ✓ A relation with multiple attributes

Part 1

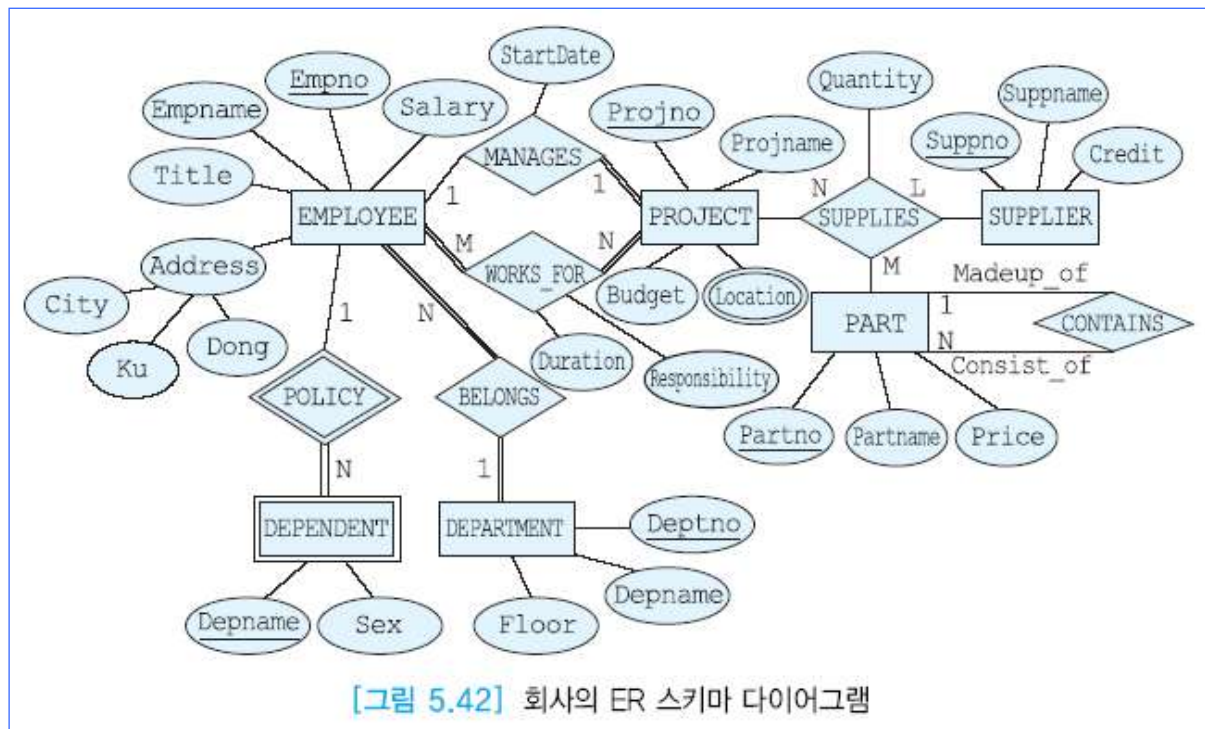
# **WHAT IS E-R DIAGRAM?**

# I. E-R Diagram

## □ Entity-Relationship Diagram (E-R Diagram)

*Design for DB*

- ✓ Expressing the real world as entities, attributes, and relationships between entities



# I. E-R Diagram

## □ E-R diagram

- ✓ To facilitate database design, proposed by **P.P. Chen** in 1976
  - ✓ Currently, Enhanced Entity Relationship (**EER**) models are widely used in the database design process.
- ✓ ER diagrams are transformable into relational tables which allows you to build databases quickly
- ✓ Provide a preview of how all your tables should connect, what fields are going to be on each table
- ✓ Easy to learn with little effort and easy to understand even if you are not an expert

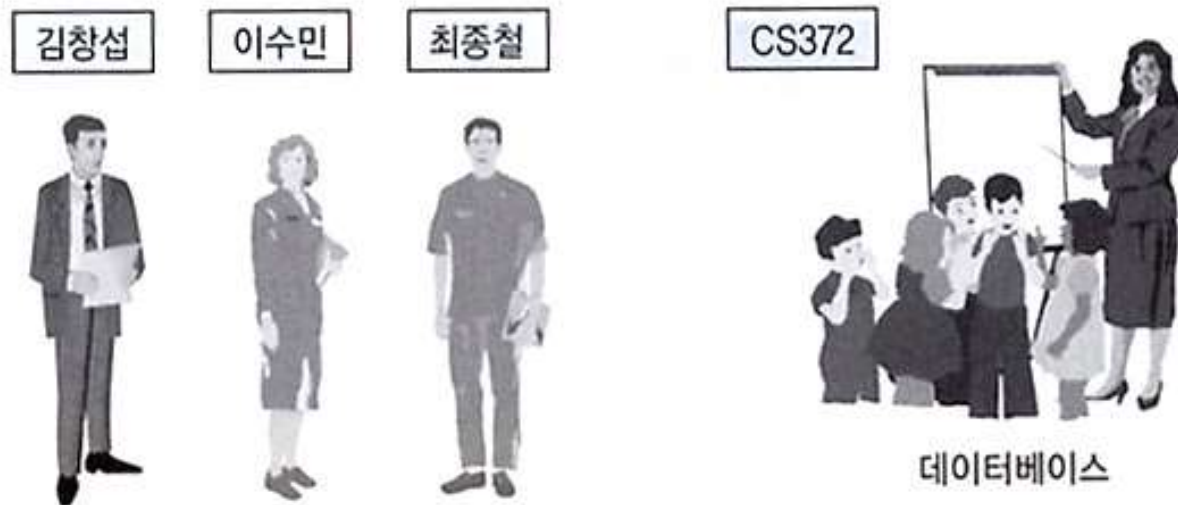
Part 2

# **E-R DIAGRAM COMPONENTS**

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

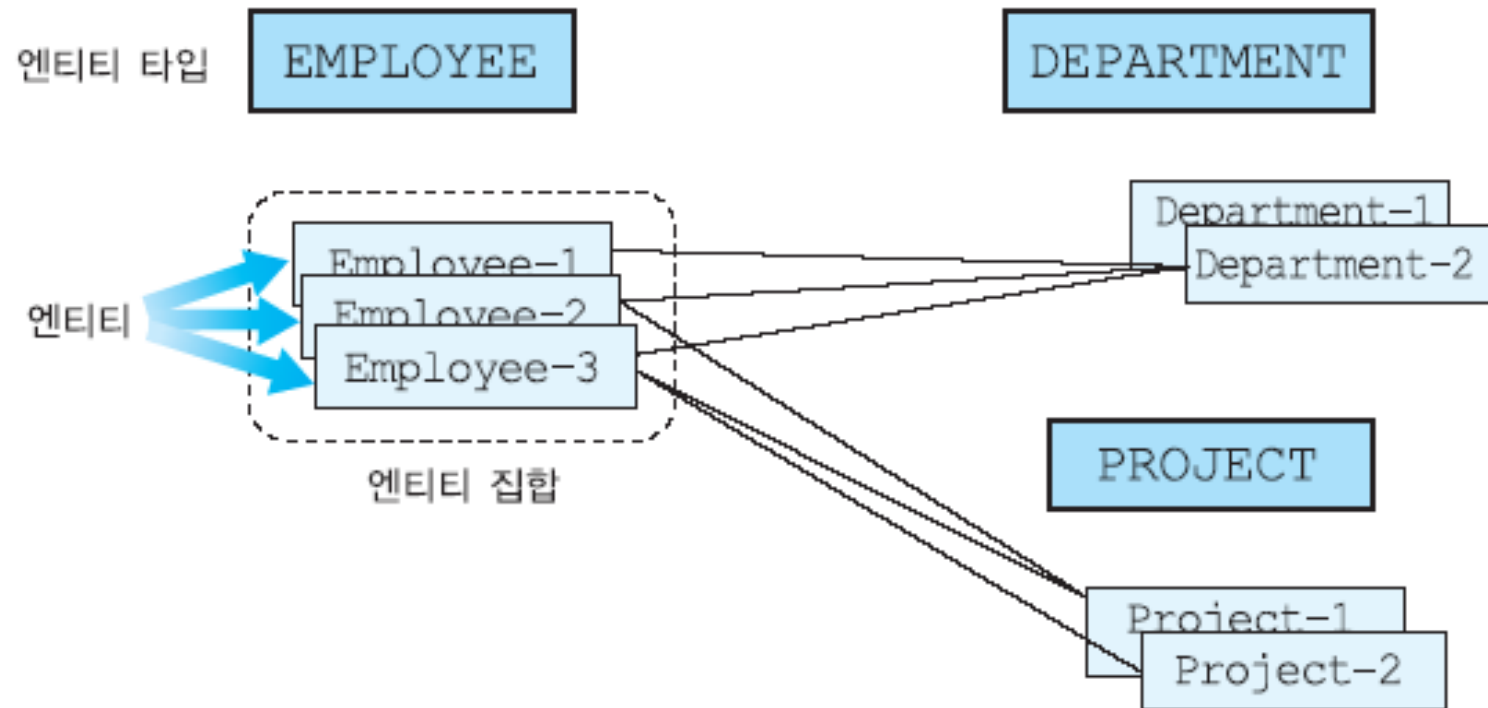
### □ Entity

- ✓ An entity is an object about which you want to store information
- ✓ A set of entities are entity type *instance row table*
- ✓ In E-R diagrams, entity types are represented as rectangles



[그림 5.2] 엔티티의 예

## 2. E-R Diagram Components



[그림 5.3] 엔티티, 엔티티 타입, 엔티티 집합



## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ☐ Strong entity type

- ✓ Strong entity type (regular entity types) can uniquely identify the entity using its own key attribute

### ☐ Weak entity type

- ✓ Weak entity is dependent on strong entity
  - ✓ Cannot exist without a corresponding strong entity
  - ✓ Weak entity type does not have enough attributes to form a key
- ✓ Marked as Double Line Rectangle in E-R Diagram

*primary key가 없기 때문*

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Attributes

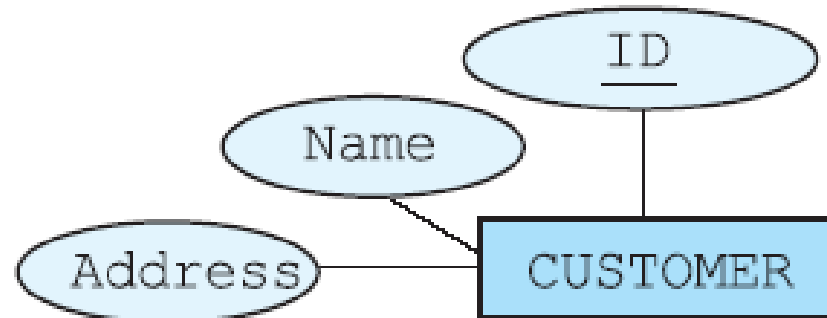
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- ✓ One entity is described as a set of associated attributes
  - ✓ Example: an employee entity has attributes such as Employee Number, Name, Title, and Salary
- ✓ A key attribute is an attribute or collection of attributes that uniquely identifies each entity within an entity type.
  - ✓ Attributes belonging to primary key in ER diagrams are underlined
- ✓ Attributes are represented as Oval in E-R diagram and connected to entity types by solid lines

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Simple attribute

- ✓ Most attributes in ER diagrams are simple attributes
- ✓ Shown as solid oval in ER diagram

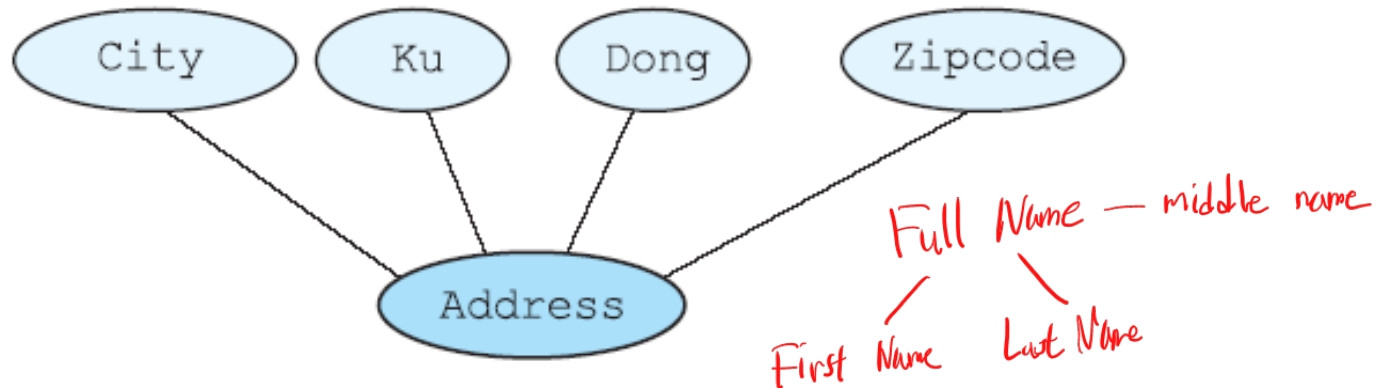


[그림 5.4] 단순 애트리뷰트

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Composite attribute

- ✓ An attribute consisting of two or more attributes
- ✓ A collection of closely related attributes of the same entity type or relationship type



[그림 5.5] 복합 애트리뷰트

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Single-valued attribute

*simple attr*

- ✓ Attribute with exactly one value for each entity
- ✓ Same representation as a simple attribute in an E-R diagram
  - ✓ Example: The employee number attribute of an employee is a single-valued attribute because no employee has more than one employee number.
- ✓ Most attributes in an E-R diagram are single valued attributes.

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Multi-valued attribute

- ✓ An attribute that can have multiple values for each entity
- ✓ Expressed as double line ellipse in E-R diagram



[그림 5.6] 다치 애트리뷰트

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Stored attribute

- ✓ An attribute which are physically stored in the database
- ✓ Same representation as a simple attribute in an E-R diagram
- ✓ Most attributes in an E-R diagram are stored attributes.
- ✓ Example:
  - ✓ Assume a table called as student. There are attributes such as student\_id, student\_name, student\_email. We cannot derive value of these attribute using other attributes.

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Derived attribute

- ✓ Attribute obtained from the value of the other attribute
- ✓ Represented by dotted ellipse in ER diagram



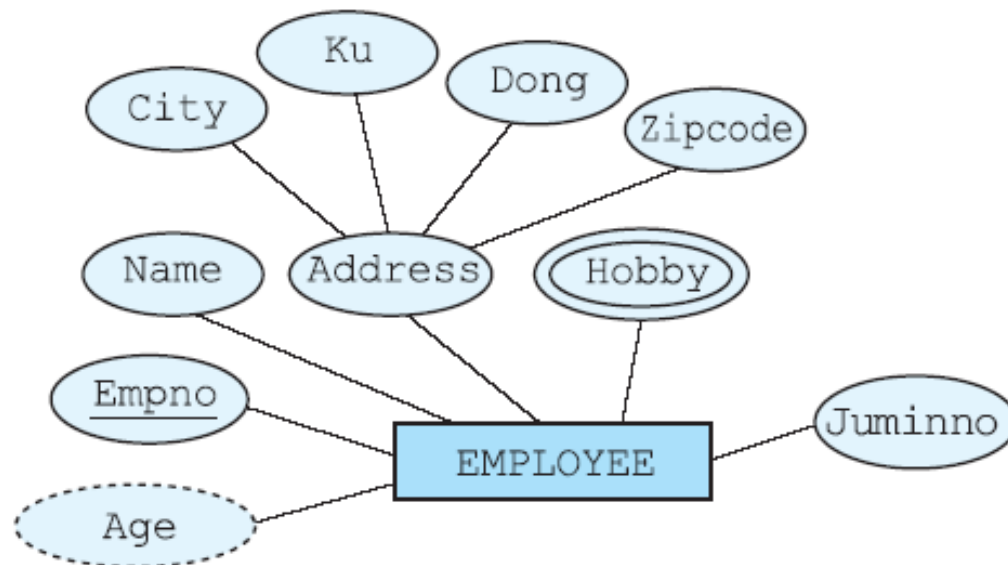
[그림 5.7] 유도된 애트리뷰트



## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### 예 : 애트리뷰트들의 유형

아래 그림 5.8에서 단순 애트리뷰트, 복합 애트리뷰트, 단일 값 애트리뷰트, 다치 애트리뷰트, 키 애트리뷰트, 저장된 애트리뷰트, 유도된 애트리뷰트들을 구분하라.



[그림 5.8] 여러 가지 애트리뷰트의 예

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Relationships and Relationship Types

- ✓ Relationship is a connection between entities that can be thought of as a mapping between two or more entity types.
- ✓ Verbs are often represented as relations in the E-R diagram in the requirements specification.
- ✓ Marked with diamonds in the E-R diagram

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### □ Relationships and Relationship Types



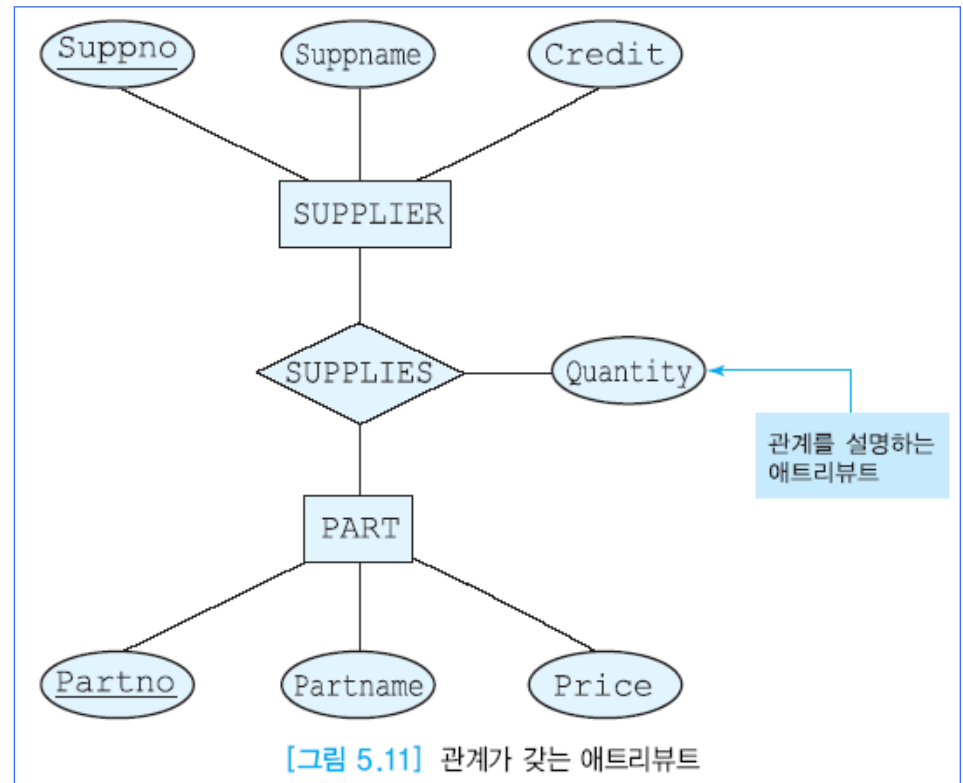
[그림 5.10] 관계 타입 WORKS\_FOR

<표 5.2> 엔티티와 엔티티 간의 관계의 예

엔티티	관계	엔티티
사원(employee)	근무한다(works for)	부서(department)
공급자(supplier)	공급한다(supplies)	부품(part)
학생(student)	수강한다(enrolls)	과목(course)

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

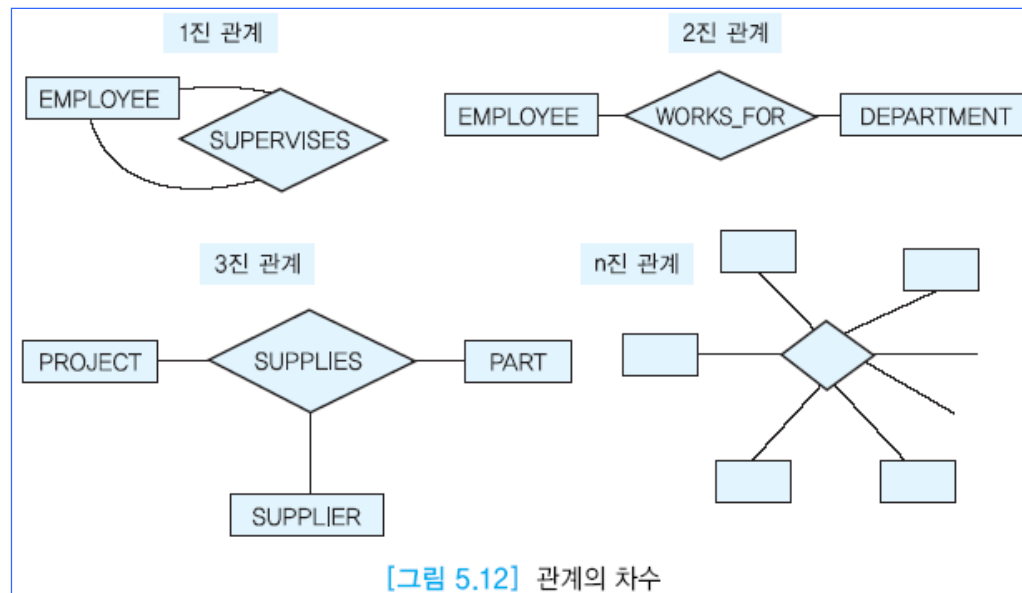
- ❑ Attribute of the relationship
  - ✓ Relationship types can have attributes that describe the characteristics of the relationship
  - ✓ Relationship type does not have a key attribute



## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### □ Degree

- ✓ The number of entity types connected in a relationship
- ✓ The most common relationship in the real world is a binary relationship that connects two entity types.

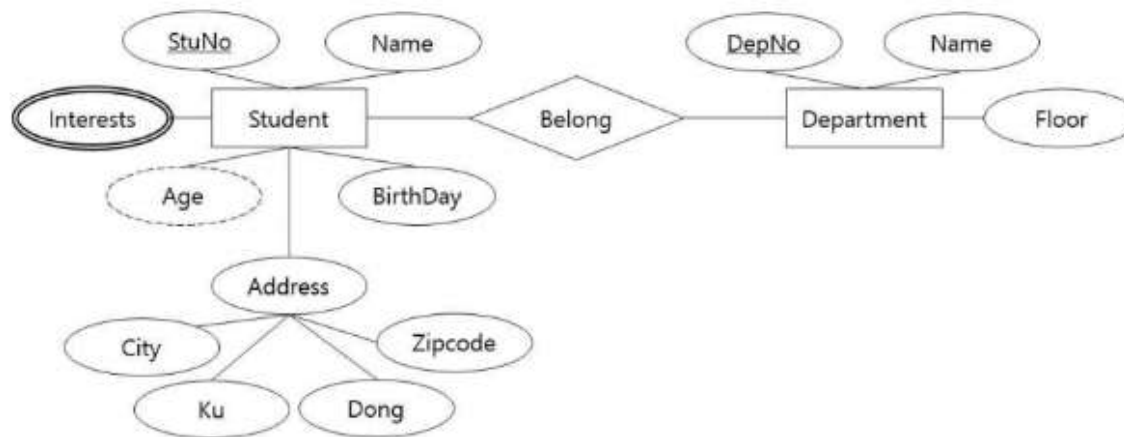


## Quiz

- ✓ Create your own E-R Diagram that contains two entity types and connect them with relationship
  
- ✓ For your entity types, include the following attributes:
  - ✓ Primary key attribute
  - ✓ Simple attribute
  - ✓ Composite attribute
  - ✓ Multi-valued attribute
  - ✓ Derived attribute
  - ✓ Relationship attribute

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

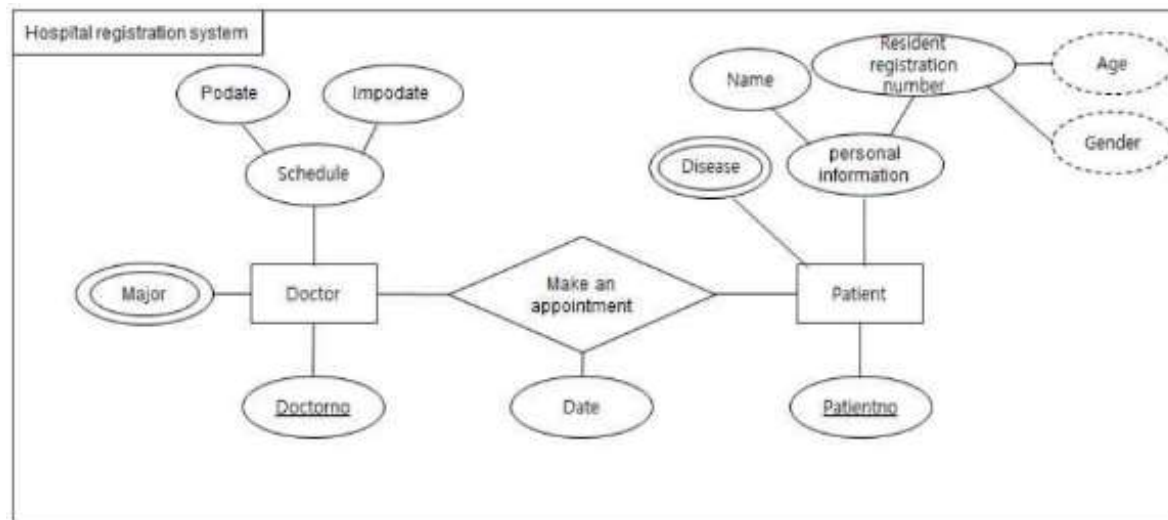
### ❑ Examples



- ❑ Primary Key -> CORRECT
- ❑ Composite Attribute -> CORRECT
- ❑ Multi-valued Attribute -> CORRECT
- ❑ Derived Attributes -> CORRECT
- ❑ Naming -> CORRECT, but incorrect GRAMMAR

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Examples

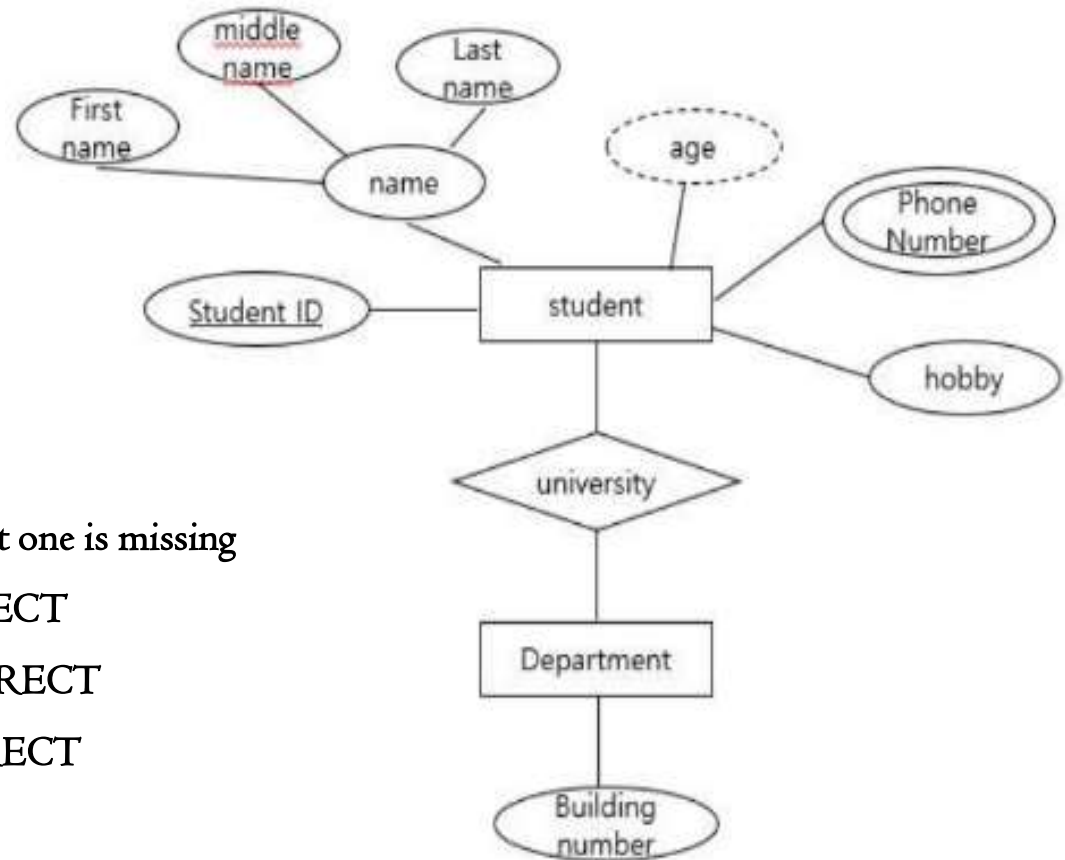


- ❑ Primary Key -> CORRECT
- ❑ Composite Attribute -> CORRECT, but do not use nested composite attributes
- ❑ Multi-valued Attribute -> CORRECT
- ❑ Derived Attributes -> CORRECT, but connect them to entity type
- ❑ Naming -> CORRECT, but incorrect GRAMMAR



## 2. E-R Diagram Components

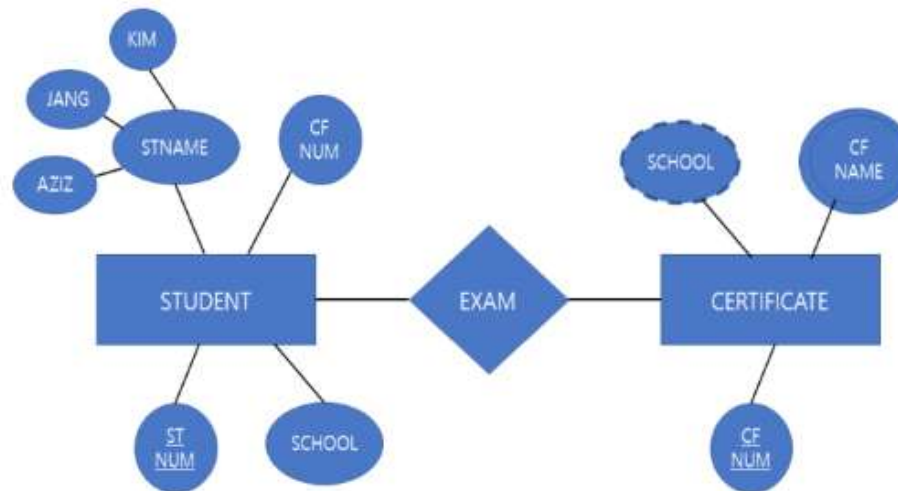
### ❑ Examples



- ❑ Primary Key -> CORRECT, but one is missing
- ❑ Composite Attribute -> CORRECT
- ❑ Multi-valued Attribute -> CORRECT
- ❑ Derived Attributes -> INCORRECT
- ❑ Naming -> INCORRECT

## 2. E-R Diagram Components

### ❑ Examples



No FK

- ❑ Primary Key -> CORRECT
- ❑ Composite Attribute -> INCORRECT
- ❑ Multi-valued Attribute -> STRANGE
- ❑ Derived Attributes -> STRANGE
- ❑ Naming -> INCORRECT

Part 3

# **CARDINALITY**

### 3. Cardinality

#### □ Cardinality

- ✓ Cardinality represents the number of relationships an entity can participate in
- ✓ Relationships are often divided into I:I, I:N, M:N
  - ✓ Cardinality ratio
- ✓ Information on cardinality indicates over trunk of relationship



### 3. Cardinality

#### ☐ I:I relation

- ✓ If each entity in A is correctly associated with one entity in B, and each entity in B is correctly associated with one entity in A

#### ☐ I:N relation

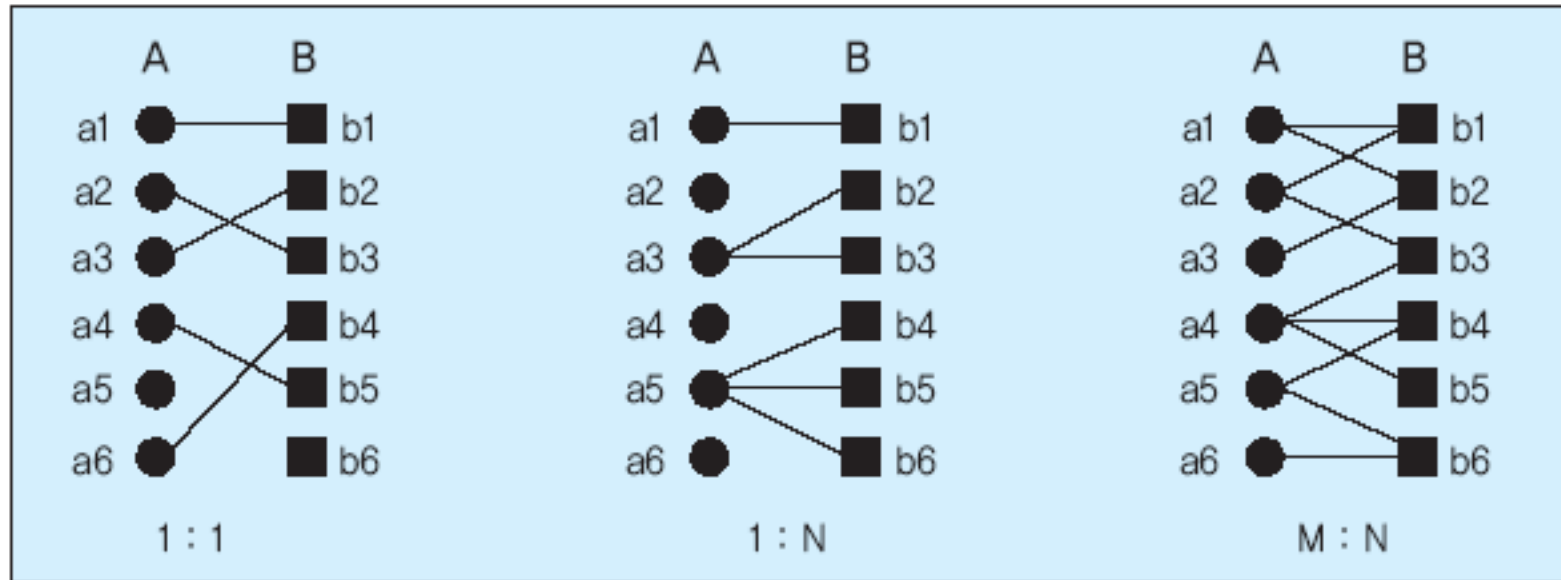
- ✓ If each entity in A is associated with any number of entities in B, and each entity in B is correctly associated with one entity in A

#### ☐ M:M relation

- ✓ Any number of entities belonging to one entity type are associated with any number of entities belonging to another entity type

### 3. Cardinality

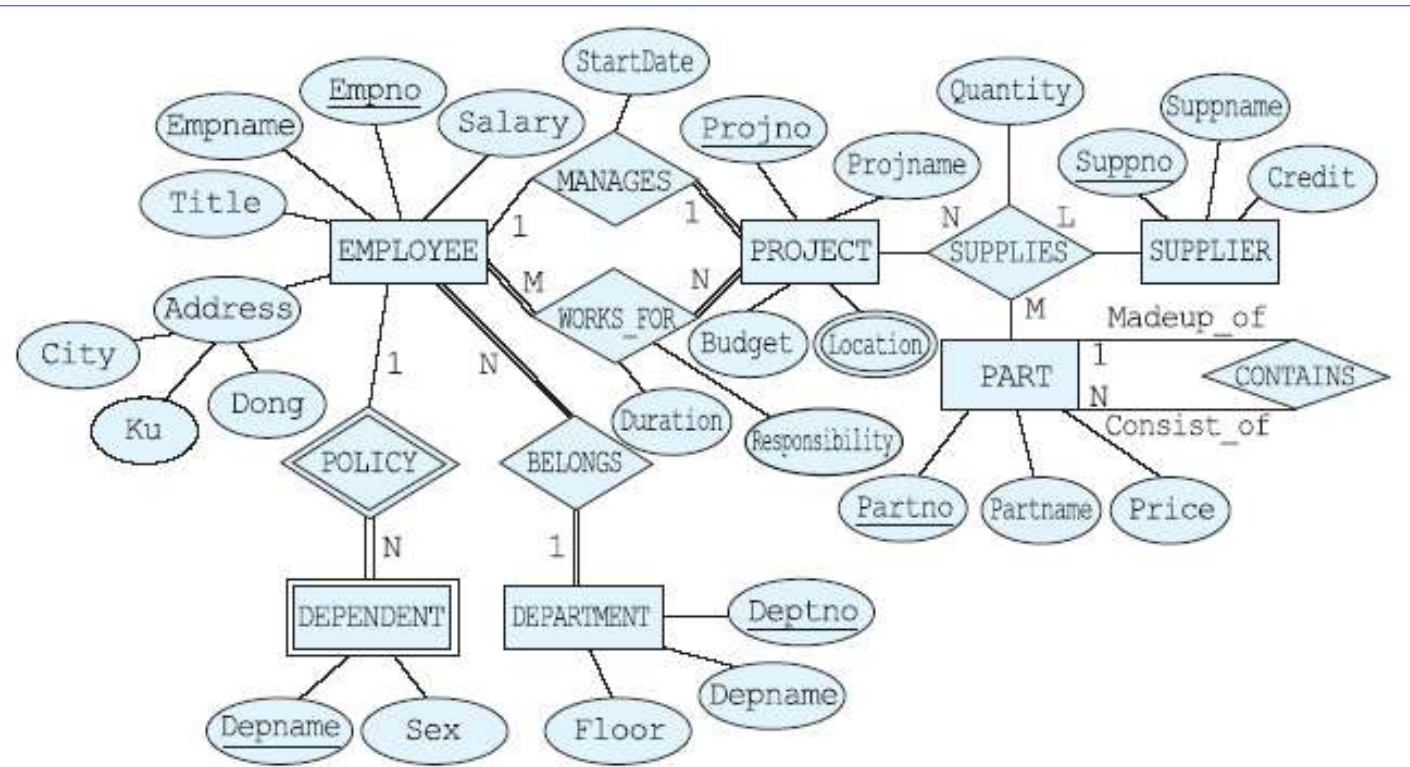
#### □ Cardinality ratios



[그림 5.14] 카디날리티 비율

### 3. Cardinality

#### □ Example

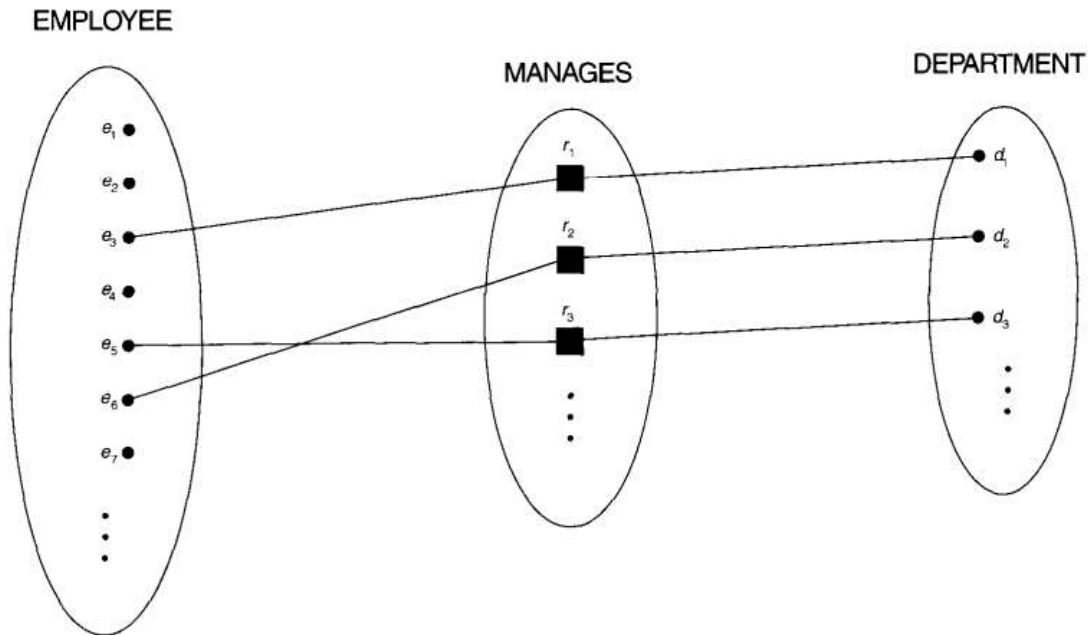


[그림 5.42] 회사의 ER 스키마 다이어그램

### 3. Cardinality

#### □ Example of 1:1 relationship

- One employee can manage only one department and one department can be managed by only one person (i.e., employee)

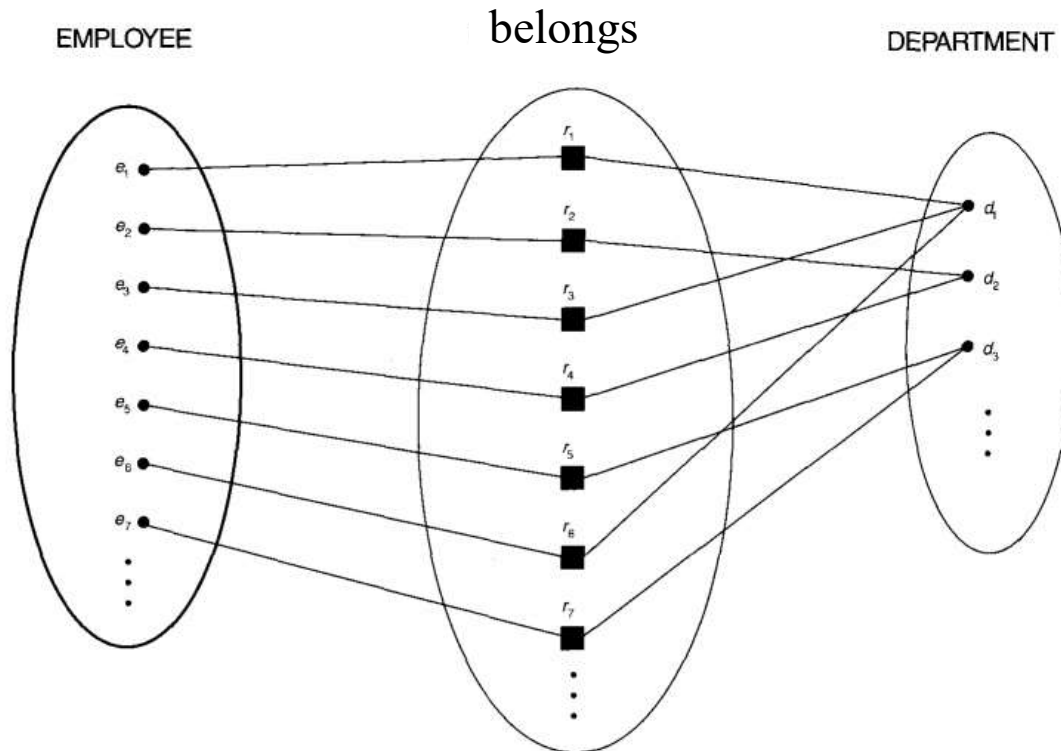




### 3. Cardinality

#### □ Example of I:M relationship

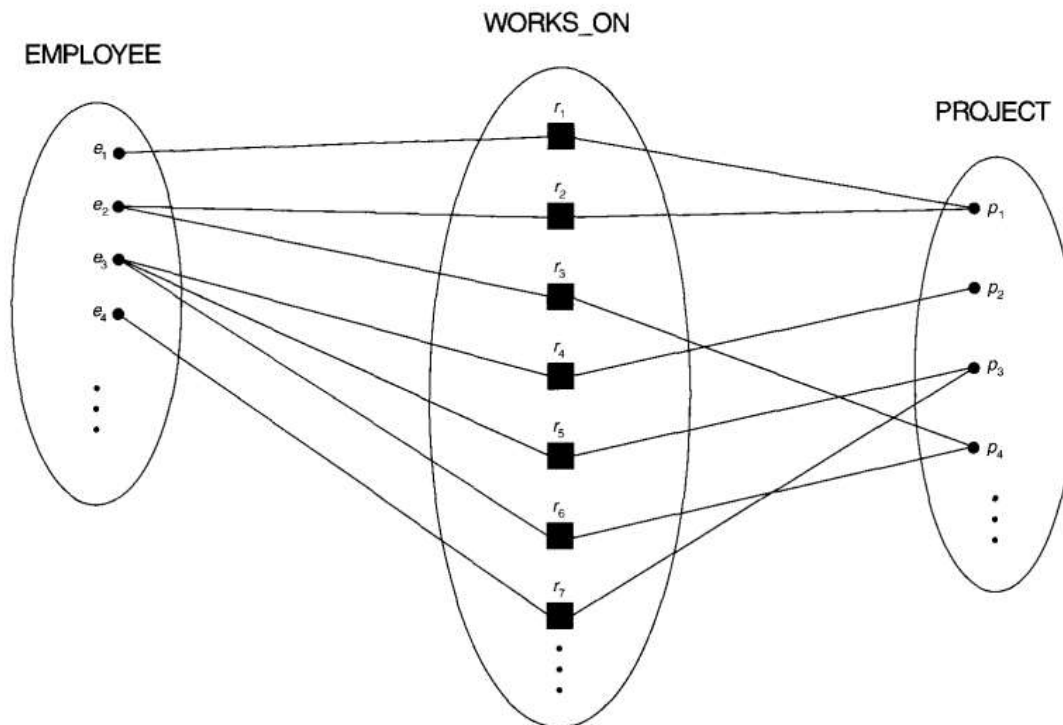
- One employee can belong to only one department but a department can have many employees



### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Example of M:M relationship

- One employee can work on several projects and a project can have many employees



### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Example of I:I relationship

- A person has only one passport and a passport is given to one person



#### ❑ Example of I:M relationship

- A customer can place many orders but an order cannot be placed by many customers



### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Example of M:M relationship

- A student can be assigned to many projects and a project can be assigned to many students

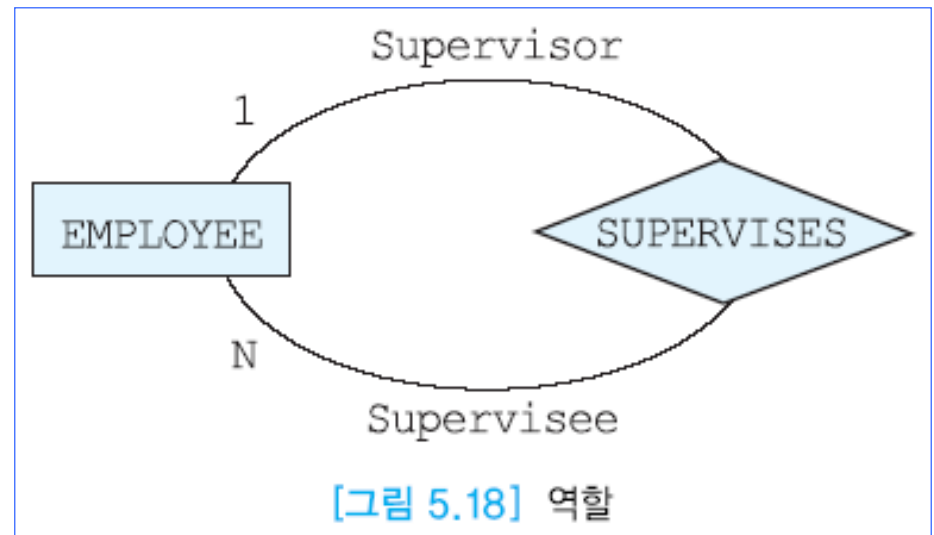


### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Role

- ✓ Used to clarify the meaning of the relationship type
- ✓ In particular, if an entity type appears multiple times in a relationship type, the role must be indicated.
- ✓ Display above edges of relationship type

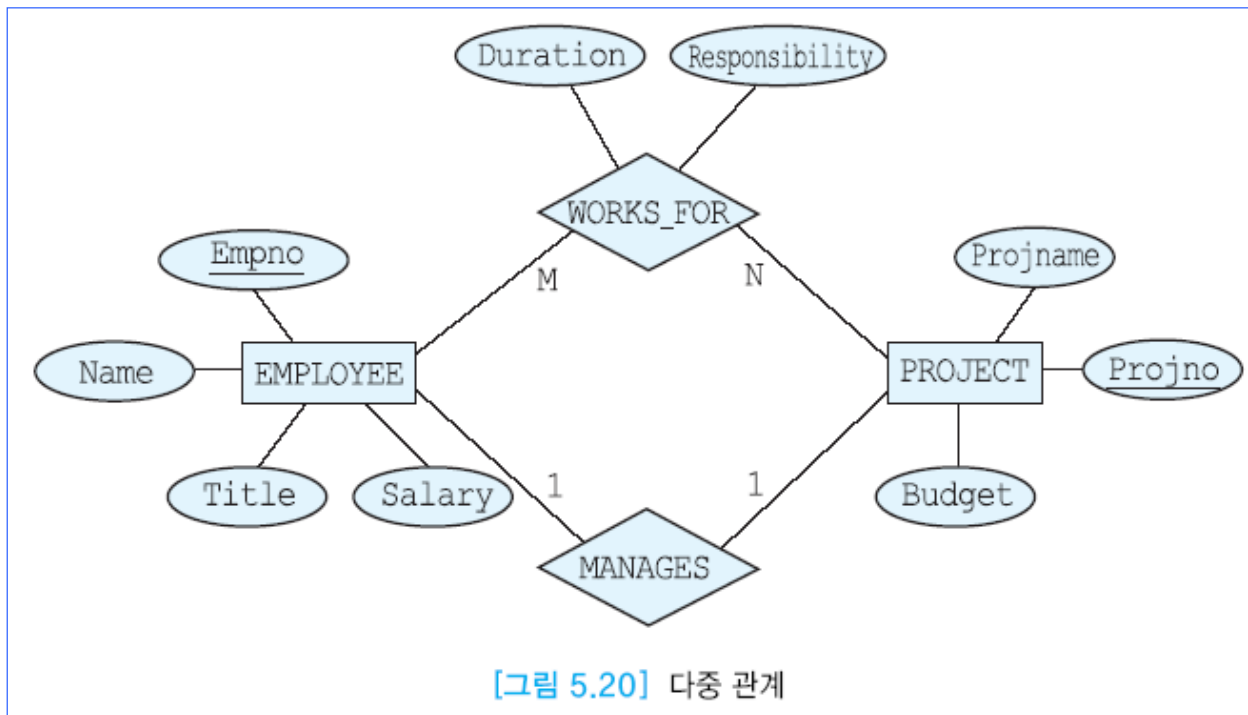
role



### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Multiple relations

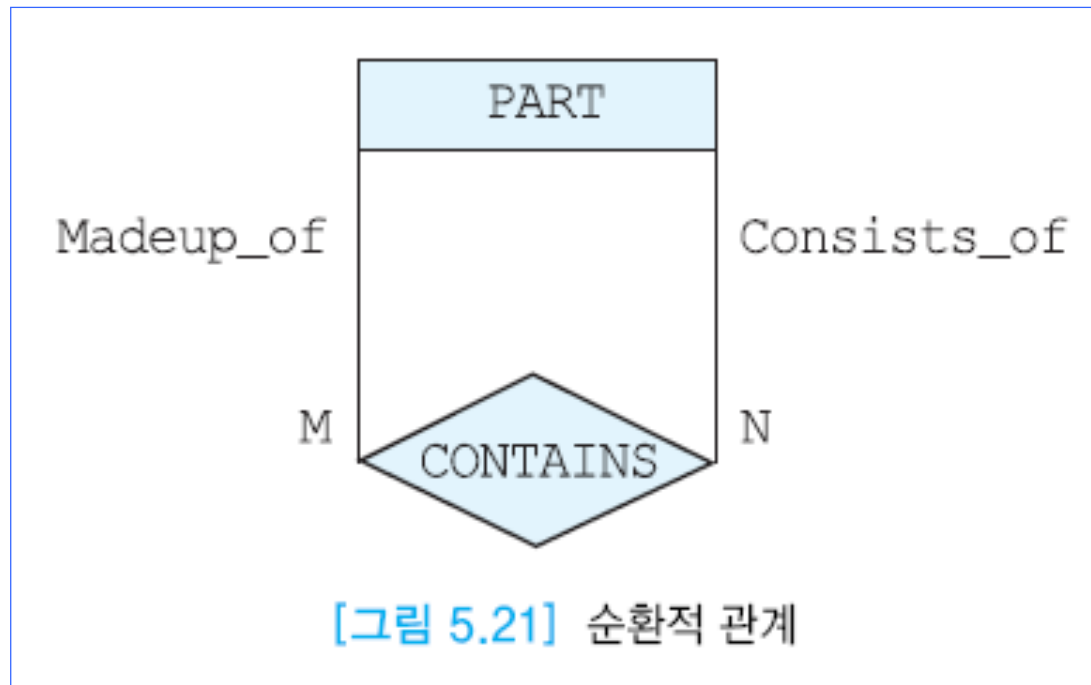
- ✓ More than one relation type can exist between two entity types



### 3. Cardinality

#### ❑ Circular relation

- ✓ An entity type participates more than once in the same relational type



Part 4

# **PARTICIPATION**



## 4. Participation

### ❑ Full and partial participation

- ✓ Full participation

- ✓ In a relationship all entities of entity type are involved in the relationship.

- ✓ Partial participation

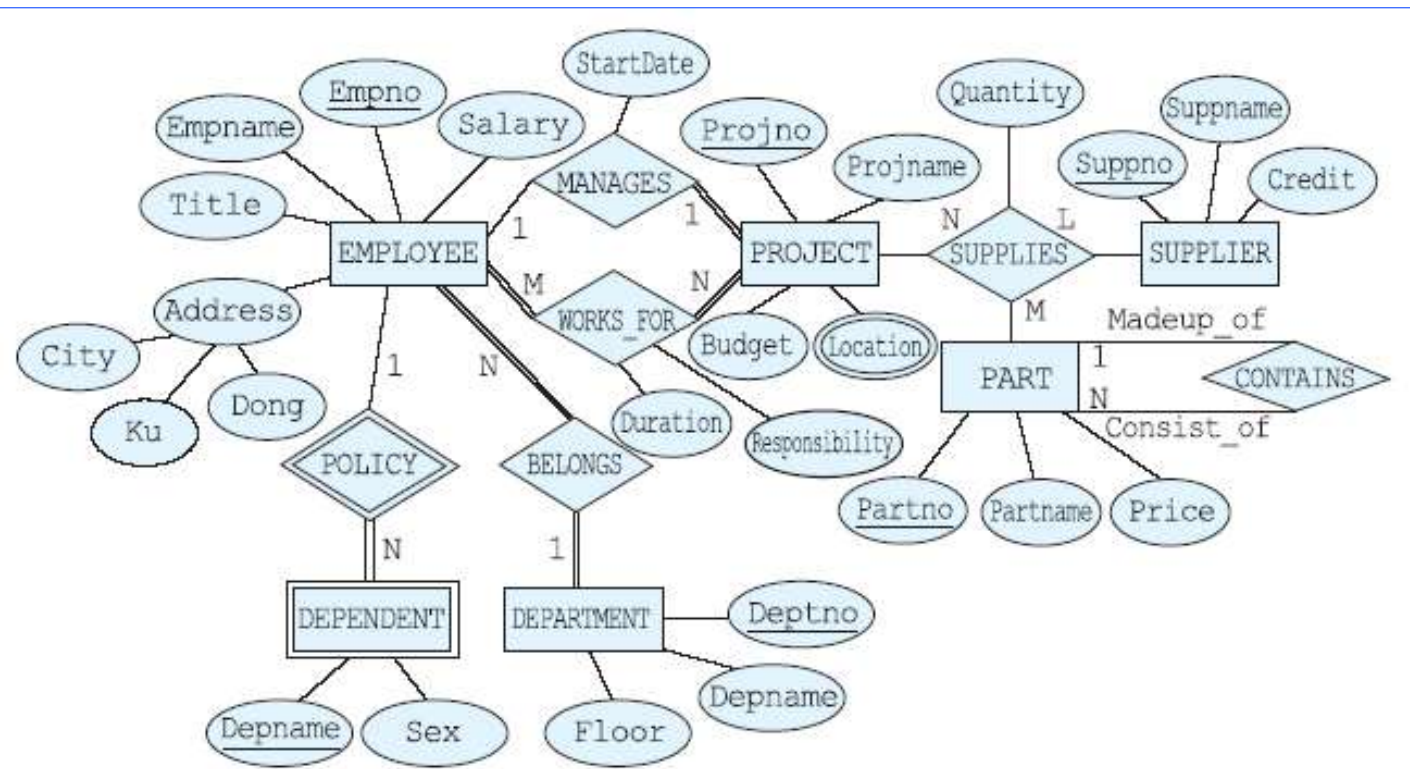
- ✓ Only some entities of entity type participate in a relationship

- ✓ Full participation is represented by double solid lines in the ER diagram



## 4. Participation

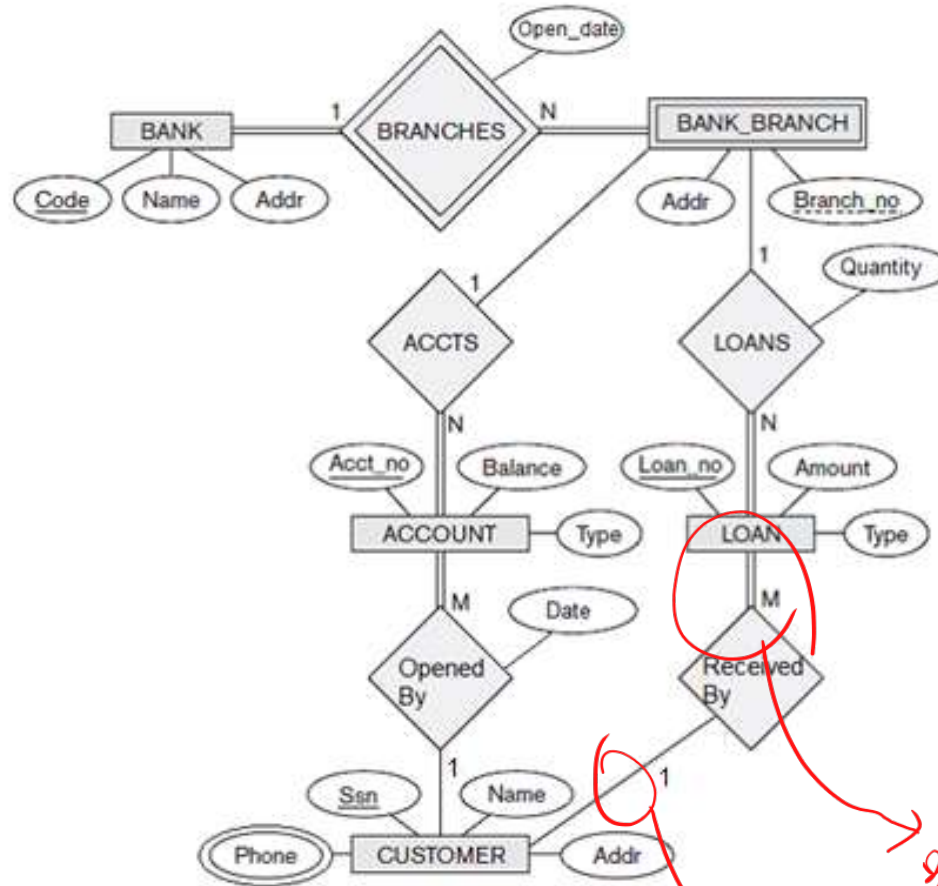
### □ Example



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# Summary

## □ Example



participate:  
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 모든 사람 손쉽게 계좌 개설  
 가능  
 모든 다 사람 받을  
 필요 X.

Questions?

**SEE YOU NEXT TIME!**