



Database Systems

Lecture 1: Course Overview

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Affiliation

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Research Area

- Database/Query Processing
- Big Data Processing and Analysis
- Artificial Intelligence

Professional Experience

- Program Chair of IEEE BIG DATA Congress 2020
- Program Committee of BIGDAS2021, BIGDAS2021
- Reviewer for WWW Journal, Journal of Machine Learning and Cybernetics, IEEE TKDE, AAAI, etc.

Homepage

- <https://dalab.cbnu.ac.kr>

Course Objectives

Objective 1

Database Fundamentals

Key concepts and theories related to the database systems

Objective 2

Database Management

How to create, insert, update and delete data using open source DBMS (MySQL)

Objective 3

Database Design

How to design database using E-R Diagram and map it into relational schema

Objective 4

Database Tuning

Database indexing, view, catalog, normalization

Objective 5

Database Practice

Develop DB-driven applications using various programming languages (PHP and Python)

Course Features

424 systems in ranking, September 2025

| Rank | | | DBMS | Database Model | Score | | |
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| Sep 2025 | Aug 2025 | Sep 2024 | | | Sep 2025 | Aug 2025 | Sep 2024 |
| 1. | 1. | 1. | Oracle | Relational, Multi-model ⓘ | 1170.62 | -50.08 | -115.97 |
| 2. | 2. | 2. | MySQL | Relational, Multi-model ⓘ | 891.77 | -23.69 | -137.72 |
| 3. | 3. | 3. | Microsoft SQL Server | Relational, Multi-model ⓘ | 717.32 | -36.84 | -90.45 |
| 4. | 4. | 4. | PostgreSQL | Relational, Multi-model ⓘ | 657.17 | -14.08 | +12.81 |
| 5. | 5. | 5. | MongoDB + | Document, Multi-model ⓘ | 380.50 | -15.08 | -29.74 |
| 6. | 6. | ↑ 7. | Snowflake | Relational | 190.19 | +11.29 | +56.47 |
| 7. | 7. | ↓ 6. | Redis | Key-value, Multi-model ⓘ | 145.17 | -2.02 | -4.25 |
| 8. | 8. | ↑ 9. | IBM Db2 | Relational, Multi-model ⓘ | 124.19 | -3.12 | +1.14 |
| 9. | 9. | ↑ 14. | Databricks | Multi-model ⓘ | 124.06 | +8.25 | +39.82 |
| 10. | 10. | ↓ 8. | Elasticsearch | Multi-model ⓘ | 118.26 | +3.99 | -10.53 |

Source: <https://db-engines.com/en/ranking>

Course Benefits



English Lectures

Lecture materials, exams
and grading are all in
English



Practice

Practice developing
database applications
using real-life examples



Special Lectures

Lectures from industry
experts
(Kookmin Bank,
Samsung)



Certificate Support

Organize lectures for
SQL Developer, SQL
Professional

Certificate Support

SQL Developer Certification

National certification supported by all major companies.

Price: 50,000 Korean Won



SQL Professional Certification

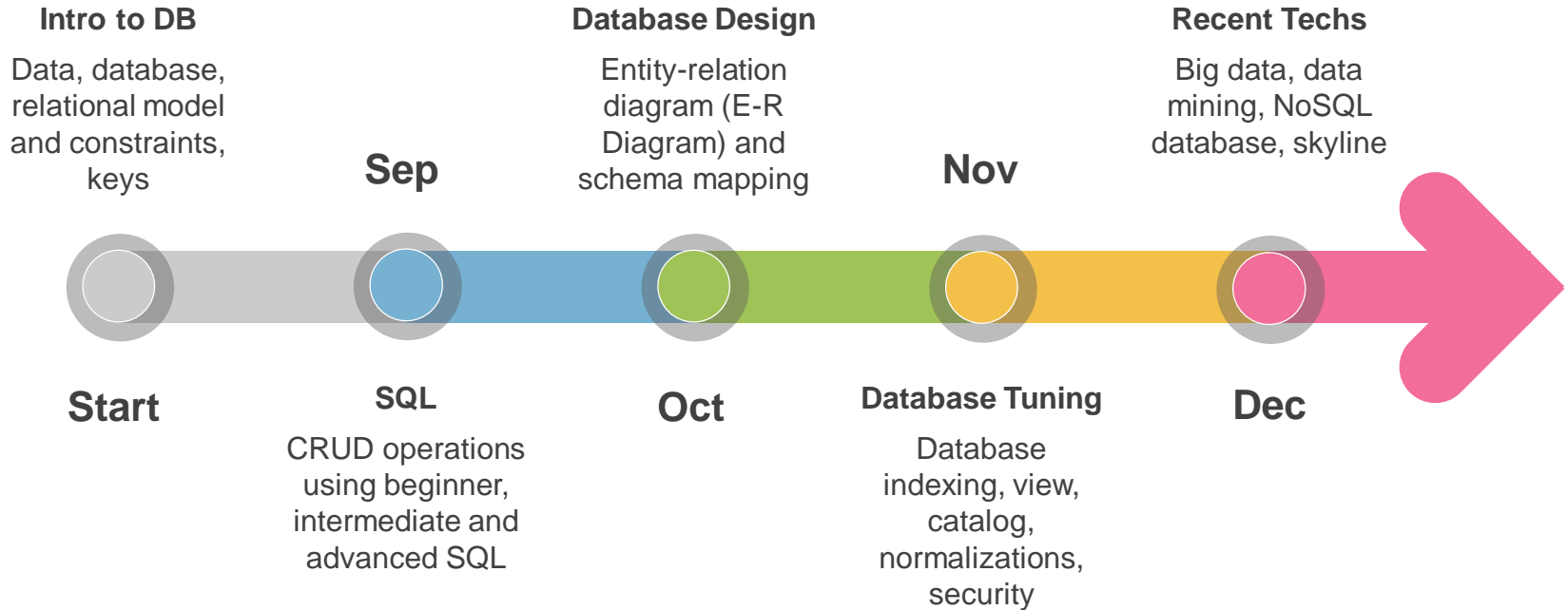
Professional level certification for SQL.

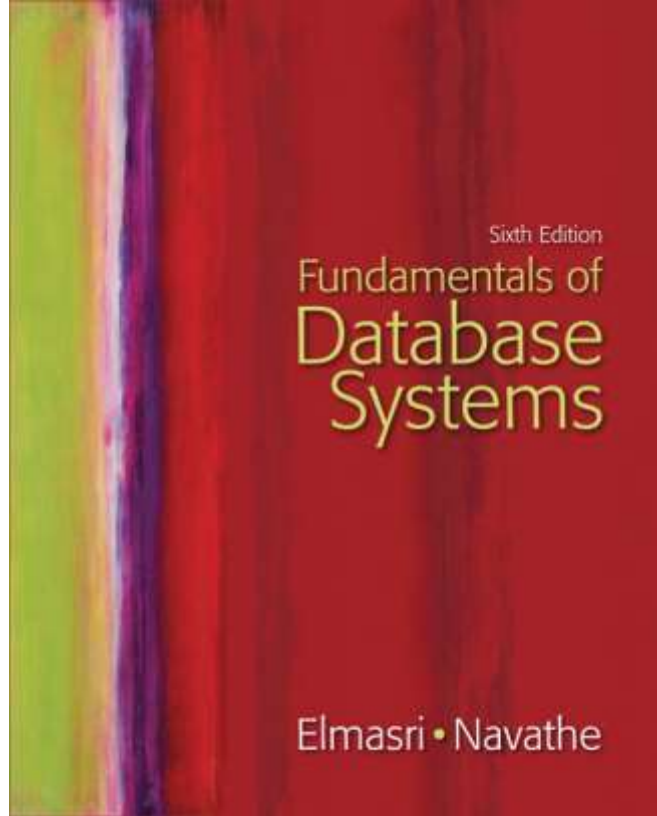
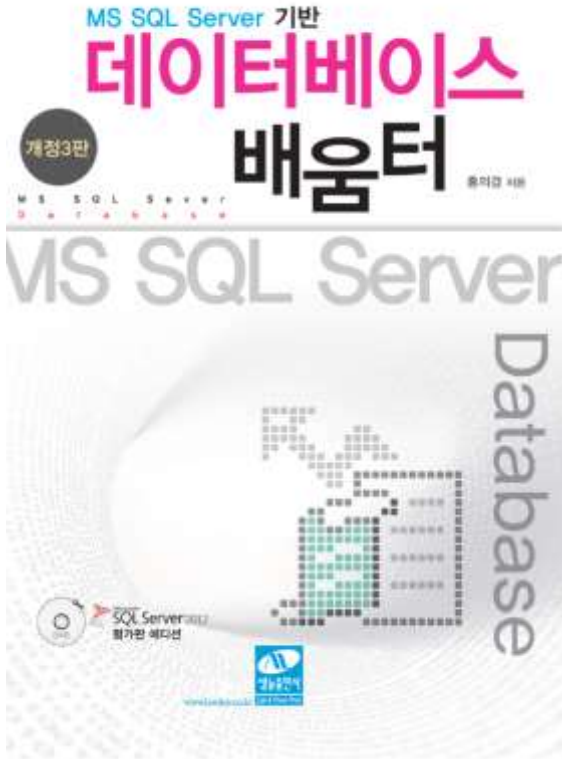
Price: 50,000 Korean Won



Course Schedule

- Note that the schedule is subject to changes





Textbook and References

MS-SQL Server Based Database Learner **01**

홍의경, 생능출판사,
2015

Fundamentals of Database Systems **02**

R. Elmasri, B. Navathe
Pearson, 2016

Database System Concepts **03**

Avi Silberschatz
McGraw-Hill, 2017

Course Evaluation



30%

Mid-Term Examination

Mid semester and related to relational database and E-R Diagram

30%

Final Examination

Related to database optimization techniques

30%

Homework

Six tasks 5 points each that will be used to check your progress

10%

Attendance and Attitude

Course Policies

Lecture Style

Lecture 50% and practice 50%

Lecture Notes

Lecture notes will be available via CBNU
Blackboard 10 minutes before the
lecture



Attendance

Missing the class without any reason
will result in point reduction (-2), for
being late (-1)

AI

You are NOT allowed to use ChatGPT or
any other AI generators during the practices



Questions?

See you next time!