



Database Management Systems [CSE2007 - 142]

Marks: 50

Duration: 90 mins.

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Answer all the questions.

- 1) Consider the following relations with the condition that a person can live in and own multiple houses: (2)
- a) HOUSE(house-id, h-address, h-age),
PERSON(person-id, p-name, p-age),
OWNS(house-id, person-id),
LIVES-IN(house-id, person-id)},

Write SQL queries for the following tasks.

Find the names of persons who are either part or full owner of at least one of the houses in which they live.

- b) Find the name of the person who owns the most houses. (2)
- c) Find the names of the persons who do not live anywhere. (3)
- d) Find the names of all persons who live in a house which is the same age as the person's age. (3)
- 2) Consider the relational schemas Student(S_id, S_name), Course(C_id, C_name), and Enrolls(S_id, C_id). (5)
- a) Write down an SQL query that returns, for each student present in the database, the student identity S_id and the number of courses she/he is enrolled in. This may mean that for some values of S_id the count is 0.
- b) Write down an SQL query that returns all pairs of students (S_id₁; S_id₂) such that S_id₁ has taken (at least) all the courses that S_id₂ has taken. (5)
- 3) Consider the relation R(A B C D E F G) with the following set of functional dependencies: (4)
- a) $AD \rightarrow F$, $AE \rightarrow G$, $DF \rightarrow BC$, $E \rightarrow C$, $G \rightarrow E$
List all the candidate keys (not superkeys).
- b) Consider the decomposition of relation R into 4 relations: R1(ADF), R2(CE), R3(EG), and R4(ABDG). What is the highest normal form of this decomposition? Is this decomposition dependency preserving? Is it lossless? Justify your answer. (6)
- 4) The following functional dependencies hold for relations R(A,B,C) and S(B,D,E): $B \rightarrow A$, and $A \rightarrow C$. The relation R contains 200 tuples and the relation S contains 100 tuples. What is the maximum number of tuples possible in the natural join $R \bowtie S$? Explain. (3)
- a)
- b) Following is the set of functional dependencies on the relational schema (P,Q,R):
 $P \twoheadrightarrow QR$, $PQ \twoheadrightarrow R$, $Q \twoheadrightarrow R$, $P \twoheadrightarrow Q$
Find its minimal cover. (3)
- c) Consider the following two set of functional dependencies:
 $F = \{ A \rightarrow B, AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow AC, D \rightarrow E \}$ and $G = \{ A \rightarrow BC, D \rightarrow AB \}$
Are they equivalent to one another? Justify. (4)
- 5) Consider the following SQL query on the given set of schemas: (5)
- a) Student (sid, name, age, address)
Book (bid, title, author)
Checkout (sid, bid, date)

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SELECT S.name FROM Student S, Book B, Checkout C
WHERE S.sid = C.sid AND B.bid = C.bid AND
B.author = 'Olden Fames' AND S.age > 12 AND S.age < 20
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Show an expression tree for this query, assuming there are no indexes and data is not sorted on any attribute.

- b) Consider the following SQL query on the schema `branch(branch_name, branch_city, assets)`: (5)

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select t.branch_name from branch t, branch s where t.assets > s.assets and s.branch_city = 'Burnaby';
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Write an efficient relational algebra expression that is equivalent to this query and JUSTIFY your choice with an explanation.

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