

Assignment5_Theory_Part

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part 1:

Notation:

Student \rightarrow S

Book \rightarrow B

Enroll \rightarrow E

Buys \rightarrow T

Major \rightarrow M

Note:

- Temporary views are given abbreviated names indicated by arrow " \rightarrow " in front of the name of temporary views.

Question 1.a

All-but-two: To formulate this, we can find at-least-2 condition then subtract at-least-3 condition from it. The idea is to select all those values which has a count of 2 in the right ear (NOT ALL condition) of the two set venn diagram. Once we have the expression for right ear (NOT ALL condition) of the venn diagram, we can use the following generalised SQL query from a target relation E would be:

right ear of the venn diagram is calculated as:

For any relation P, Q and R, we can calculate the right ear as $E \rightarrow e_1, e_2, e_3 : R \ominus P$

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SELECT q.*
FROM (SELECT e1.*
      FROM E e1 JOIN E e2 ON (e1.A_1 theta e2.A_1 AND ... AND e1.A_n theta e2.A_n)
      EXCEPT
      select e3.*
      FROM E e1 JOIN E e2
            ON (e1.A_1 theta e2.A_1 AND ... AND e1.A_n theta e2.A_n) JOIN E e3
            ON (e1.A_1 theta e3.A_1 AND... AND e1.A_n theta e3.A_n)) q;
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Theta denotes any operator.

Generalized RA expression:

$E \rightarrow E_1, E_2, E_3$: represents the right ear of the two set venn diagram.

$$\pi_{e_1}(\pi_{e_1}(E_1 \bowtie_{e_1.A_1 \theta e_2.A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge e_1.A_n \theta e_2.A_n} E_2) - \pi_{e_3}(E_1 \bowtie_{e_1.A_1 \theta e_2.A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge e_1.A_n \theta e_2.A_n} E_2 \bowtie_{e_1.A_1 \theta e_3.A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge e_2.A_1 \theta e_3.A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge e_2.A_n \theta e_3.A_n \wedge \dots \wedge e_1.A_n \theta e_3.A_n} E_3))$$

Question 1.b

$E \rightarrow E_1, E_2, E_3$: $\pi_{sid,bookno}((\pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='CS'} M) \times \pi_{bookno} B) - \pi_{sid,bookno}(T))$

RA: $\pi_{bookno,title}(B \bowtie (\pi_{e_1.bookno}(E_1 \bowtie_{e_1.sid \neq e_2.sid \wedge e_1.bookno = e_2.bookno} E_2) -$

$\pi_{e_3.bookno}(E_1 \bowtie_{e_1.sid \neq e_2.sid \wedge e_1.bookno = e_2.bookno} E_2 \bowtie_{e_1.sid \neq e_3.sid \wedge e_2.sid \neq e_3.sid \wedge e_1.bookno = e_3.bookno} E_3))$

Question 1.c

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with
E as (select sid, bookno
      from (select sid
            from major
            where major = 'CS') t cross join (select bookno from book) b
      except
      select sid, bookno
      from buys)
select bookno, title
from book natural join (select distinct e1.bookno
                        from e e1 join e e2 on
                        (e1.sid <> e2.sid and e1.bookno = e2.bookno)
                        except
                        select distinct e3.bookno
                        from e e1 join e e2 on (e1.sid <> e2.sid and
                        e1.bookno = e2.bookno) join e e3 on
                        (e1.sid <> e3.sid and
                        e2.sid <> e3.sid and
                        e1.bookno = e3.bookno))q;
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Question 2.a.i

RA: $\pi_{e_1}(E_1 \times F) \cup \pi_{e_2}(E_2 - \pi_{e_2}(E_2 \times F))$

Question 2.a.ii

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SELECT e1.*
FROM E1 e1 cross join F
UNION
(select e2.*
from E2 e2
EXCEPT
select e2.*
from E2 e2 cross join F);
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Question 2.b.i

RA:

$\pi_{AisNotEmpty}(((AisNotEmpty : true) \times \pi_{()A}) \cup ((AisNotEmpty : false) - \pi_{AisNotEmpty}((AisNotEmpty : false) \times \pi_{()A))))$

Question 2.b.ii

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Select q.AisNotEmpty
from ((select true as AisNotEmpty) q cross join (select distinct row() from A) a
      UNION
      (select q.AisNotEmpty
      from (select false as AisNotEmpty) q
      EXCEPT
      select q.AisNotEmpty
      from (select false as AisNotEmpty) q cross join (select distinct row() from A) a)) q;
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Question 3.a

For the given schema:

F(A,B)

G(B,C)

The binary relation $\{(x, g(f(x))) | x \in A\}$ can be calculated with given RA expression:

RA: $\pi_{A,C}(F \bowtie G)$

Question 3.b

For the given schema:

F(A,B)

G(B,C)

Given that y be a value in C, then $\{(x \in A | g(f(x)) = y)\}$ with $y \in C$ can be calculated with given RA expression:

RA: $\pi_A(F \bowtie_{f.b=g.b \wedge g.c=y} G)$

Question 4

F denotes function $f: A \rightarrow B$ with schema F(A,B)

condition for one-one-one function:

E $\rightarrow E : F_1 \bowtie_{f_1.A \neq f_2.A \wedge f_1.B = f_2.B} F_2$

RA : $\pi_C((C : false) \times \pi_{\emptyset}(E) \cup ((C : true) - \pi_C((C : true) \times \pi_{\emptyset}(E))))$

Question 5

F denotes function $f: A \rightarrow B$ with schema F(A,B)

condition for onto function:

E $\rightarrow E : \pi_{f_1.b}(F) - \pi_{f_1.b}(F_1 \bowtie_{f_1.A = f_2.A} F_2)$

RA : $\pi_C((C : false) \times \pi_{\emptyset}(E) \cup ((C : true) - \pi_C((C : true) \times \pi_{\emptyset}(E))))$

Question 6

given a relation **E(source, target)** satisfying the condition to be a path. This can be calculated by observing the pattern in which the source and target by incrementally finding (s,t) pairs for $N = 1, 2, 3 \dots N$

For path length of 1, the expression would be

$$E_1 : \pi_{source, target} E$$

for calculating all (s,t) pairs for at most $N = 2$, we can first find all (s,t) pairs with path length of 2 and then take a union with all (s,t) pairs of path length 1 i.e. E_1

$$RA_{N=2} : \pi_{e_1.source, e_2.target}(E_1 \bowtie_{e_1.target = e_2.source} E_2)$$

To find all (s,t) pairs up to path length of 2, we will take the union with E_1 as below

$$E_1 \cup RA_{N=2}$$

In similar fashion, for calculating the (s,t) pairs for $N = 3$. Using the value of $RA_{N=2}$, we can find all the pairs (s,t) for path length of 3 as

$$RA_{N=3} : \pi_{n_2.source, e_1.target}(RA_{N=2} \bowtie_{n_2.target = e_1.source} E_1)$$

Then for all the (s,t) pairs up to length of 3 we will take the union with $RA_{N=2}$ as

$$RA_{N=2} \cup RA_{N=3}$$

The above expression will give all the points (s,t) for path length of up to 3. This pattern can be generalized for any value of N. For finding the (s,t) pairs of path length N, where all (s,t) pairs of path length N-1 is known we can use the expression:

$$RA_{N=N} : \pi_{n-1.source, e.target}(RA_{N=n-1} \bowtie_{n-1.target=e.source} E_1))$$

and to find all the (s,t) pairs for path length of up to $N = N$, we will take

$$RA_{N=N} \cup RA_{N=N-1}$$

where,

$$RA_{N=N-1} = E_1 \cup RA_{N=2} \cup RA_{N=3} \cup RA_{N=4} \dots \cup RA_{N=n-1}$$

Part 2: RA expressions

Notation:

Student $\rightarrow S$

Book $\rightarrow B$

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Note:

- Expressions are written to mimic solution query with same names of temporary views, but only those temporary views written in **bold** are used in RA expression here.
- Temporary views are given abbreviated names indicated by arrow " \rightarrow " in front of the name of temporary views.

Question 7

csStudent : $\pi_{sid, sname}(S \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='CS'}(M)))$

BooksMoreThan10 : $\pi_{sid}(T \bowtie \pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price>10}(B)))$

RA: $\pi_{sid, sname}(S \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='CS'}(M)) \bowtie \pi_{sid}(T \bowtie \pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price>10}(B))))$

Question 8

LessThan60 : $\pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price<60}(B))$

citedBookLessThan60 $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{bookno, citedbookno}(C \bowtie_{citedbookno=bookno} (\pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price<60}(B))))$

RA: $\pi_{bookno, title, price}(B \bowtie \pi_{q_1, bookno}(Q_1 \bowtie_{q_1.bookno=q_2.bookno \wedge q_1.citedbookno \neq q_2.citedbookno} (Q_2)))$

Question 9

MathStudent : $\pi_{sid}(S \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='Math'}(M)))$

boughtByMathStudent $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{bookno}(T \bowtie \pi_{sid}(S \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='Math'}(M))))$

RA: $\pi_{bookno, title, price}(B - \pi_{bookno, title, price}(B \bowtie Q))$

Question 10

NameBookPrice $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{sid,sname,bookno,title,price}(S \bowtie T \bowtie B)$

RA: $\pi_{sid,sname,title,price}(Q - \pi_{q_1.sid,q_1.sname,q_1.title,price}(Q_1 \bowtie_{q_1.sid=q_2.sid \wedge q_1.price < q_2.price} Q_2))$

Question 11

ExceptHighest $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{b_1.bookno,b_1.title,b_1.price}(B_1 \bowtie_{b_1.price < b_2.price} B_2)$

RA: $\pi_{bookno,title}(Q - \pi_{q_1.bookno,q_1.title}(Q_1 \bowtie_{q_1.price < q_2.price} Q_2))$

Question 12

MostExpensiveBook $\rightarrow P : \pi_{bookno}(B - \pi_{b_1.bookno}(B_1 \bowtie_{b_1.price < b_2.price} B_2))$

DontCitesMostExpensiveBook : $\pi_{bookno}(C - \pi_{bookno,citedbookno}(C \bowtie_{citedbookno=bookno} P))$

RA: $\pi_{bookno,title,price}(B \bowtie \pi_{bookno}(C - \pi_{bookno,citedbookno}(C \bowtie_{citedbookno=bookno} P)))$

Question 13

SingleMajor $\rightarrow P : \pi_{sid}(\pi_{sid}(M) - \pi_{sid}(M_1 \bowtie_{m_1.sid=m_2.sid \wedge m_1.major \neq m_2.major} M_2))$

AllCombinationLessThan40 $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{sid}(T \bowtie \pi_{sid,bookno}(S \times \pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price < 40} B)))$

BoughtAllMoreThan40 : $\pi_{sid}(\pi_{sid}(S) - Q)$

RA : $\pi_{sid,sname}(S \bowtie P \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\pi_{sid}(S) - Q))$

Question 14

mathAndCS $\rightarrow P : \pi_{sid}(\pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='Math'} M_1) \bowtie \pi_{sid}(\sigma_{major='CS'} M_2))$

AllBookCombination $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{sid,bookno}(P \times \pi_{bookno}(B))$

ByMathandCSOnly : $\pi_{bookno}(\pi_{bookno}(B) - \pi_{bookno}(Q - (T \bowtie P)))$

RA: $\pi_{bookno,title}(B \bowtie (\pi_{bookno}(B) - \pi_{bookno}(Q - (T \bowtie P))))$

Question 15

AtLeast70 : $\pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price \geq 70} B)$

LessThan30 : $\pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price < 30} B)$

F $\rightarrow F : \pi_{sid,bookno}(T \bowtie \pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price \geq 70} B))$

E $\rightarrow E_1, E_2 : \pi_{sid}(T \bowtie \pi_{bookno}(\sigma_{price < 30} B) \cup \pi_{sid}(\pi_{sid}(S) - \pi_{sid}(S \bowtie T)))$

RA: $\pi_{sid,sname}(S \bowtie \pi_{sid}((E_1 \times \pi_{()} F) \cup (\pi_{sid}(E_2 - \pi_{sid}(E_2 \times \pi_{()} F))))))$

Question 16

sameMajor $\rightarrow P : \pi_{m_1.sid_1,m_2.sid_2}(M_1 \bowtie_{m_1.major=m_2.major \wedge m_1.sid \neq m_2.sid} M_2)$

In above expression two attributes of Sid has been give name sid1 and sid2.

SameMajorBuys $\rightarrow Q : \pi_{sid,bookno}(T \bowtie \pi_{sid_1}(P))$

E1 : $\pi_{sid_1,bookno,sid_2}(Q \times \pi_{sid_1}(P))$

sid from Q is chosen as sid1 in above expression.

E2: $\pi_{sid_1,bookno,sid_2}(\pi_{sid_1}(P) \times Q)$

sid from Q is chosen as sid2 in above expression.

$$\mathbf{E1MinusE2} \rightarrow J : \pi_{sid_1, sid_2}(\pi_{sid_1, bookno, sid_2}(Q \times \pi_{sid_1}(P)) - \pi_{sid_1, bookno, sid_2}(\pi_{sid_1}(P) \times Q))$$

$$\mathbf{E2MinusE1} \rightarrow K : \pi_{sid_1, sid_2}(\pi_{sid_1, bookno, sid_2}(\pi_{sid_1}(P) \times Q) - \pi_{sid_1, bookno, sid_2}(Q \times \pi_{sid_1}(P)))$$

$$\mathbf{RA}: \pi_{sid_1, sid_2}((J \bowtie P) \cup (K \bowtie P))$$