DBMS - 2 Assignment.

(1) Discuss the different types of update operations on relational database, explain how basic operations deals with constaint violation

→ The Insert operation :-

* The INSERT operation provides a list of attributes values for new tuple 't' that is to be inserted on relation 'R'

* INSERT Command :

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INSERT INTO , EMPLOYEE
VALUES (-'Richard', 'K', 'Marini', '65329853');
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INSERT can violate with 4 types of constraint :-

(i) Domain Constrain :-

* This can be violated if an attribute value is given that does not appear in the corresponding domain.

(ii) Key constraint :-

* This can be violated if a key value in the tuple 't' already exists in another tuple in relation 'R'

(iii) Entity Integrity :-

* This can be violated if any part of the primary key of the new tuple 't' is NULL

(iv) Referencial Intigrity :-

* It can be violated if the value of any foreign key in 't' refers to tuple that does not exit in referencial relation.

Eg:- Insert into EMPLOYEE, here insertion violates entity integrity constraint, so it is rejected.

→ The Delete operation

DELETE command.

DELETE FROM EMPLOYEE WHERE LNAME = Brown;

DELETE may violate only on referencial integrity.

i) If the primary key value of the tuple being deleted is referenced from other tuple in the database

→ This can be remedied by the general actions RESTRICT, CASCADE, SETNULL options.

RESTRICT → reject the deletion.

CASCADE → propagates the new primary key value into foreign keys of the referencing tuples.

SETNULL → set the foregin keys of referencing tuples to null.

Eg:- Delete the Employee tuple with SSN = '123693', not acceptable

The Update operation

→ Used to update set of values in the DATABASE

UPDATE Command :-

UPDATE PROJECT

SET PLOCATION = Bellari, DNUM = 5

where PNUMBER = 10;

(2) Explain Unary relational operations with example

i) Unary relational operations :-

* SELECT (symbol : σ (sigma))

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* PROJECT (symbol : π (pi))
* RENAME (symbol : ρ(alno)).

(2) Relational Adgebra operations from set theory
* UNION (∪), Intersection (∩), Difference (-), CARTESAIN PRODUT (×).

(3) Binary Relational operations :-
* JOIN (several variation of JOIN exist).
* DIVISION.

(4) Additional Relational operations :-
* OUTER JOINS, OUTER UNION
* AGGREGATE Functions

Unary Relational operations

I) SELECT.

1) The select operation (denoted by σ (sigma)) is used to select the subset of tuples from a relation based on selection condition.
* Selection condition acts as filter
* Keeps only those tuples that satisfy the qualifying conditions.
* Tuples satisfying the condition are selected where as the other tuples are discarded.

II) Project.

→ Project operation is denoted by π (pi)
→ This operation keeps certain columns (attributes) from a relation & discard the other columns.
→ Project creates a vertical partitioning.
→ The list of specified colums (attributes) kept in tuple.

→ The other attributes in each tuple are discarded
→ General form of project operation is
π <attribute list> (R)
→ π (Pi) is the symbol used to represent the project operation
→ <attribute list> is the desired list of attributes from relation R.
→ The project operation remove any duplicate tuples.

III Rename :-

. This operator is denoted by ρ(sho)
• In some cases, we may want to rename the attribute of a relation or the relation name or both,
* Useful when a query requires multiple operations.
* Necessary in some cases.
→ The general RENAME operation (P) can be expressed by any of the following forms.
→ $\rho_S(B_1, B_2 \ldots B_n)(R)$ changes both :-
* The relation name to S &
* The column (attribute) names to $B_1, B_2 \ldots B_n$.
→ $\rho_S(R)$ changes :-
* The relation name, only to S.
→ $\rho(B_1, B_2 \ldots B_n)(R)$ changes :-
* The column (attribute) name only to $B_1, B_2 \ldots B_n$
→ For conciences, we also uses a shortland for renaming attributes.

(5) Define the following.
(i) Relation state (ii) Relation schema
(iii) Domain

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→ (i) Relation state :-

→ The relation state is a subset of the cartesian product of the domains of its attributes.

→ Each domain contains the set of all possible values the attribute can take

Eg :- Attribute cust name is defined over domains of character string of maximum length 25

→ dom (cust - name) is varchar (25)

→ The role of these string play in the CUSTOMER relation is that of the name of a customer.

(ii) Relation schema.

→ The schema (or description) of relation :-

* Denoted by $(A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_n)$

* R is the name of relation.

* The attributes of the relation are $A_1, A_2 \ldots A_n$.

Eg :- CUSTOMER is the relation name defined over the four attributes:

cust_id, cust_name, Address, Phone #

→ Each attributes has domain

(iii) Domain :-

* A domain has logical definition.

Eg :- "USA - phon - numbers" are set of 10 digits phone numbers valid in US.

→ A domain also has a data type or the format :-

(ddd) ddd - dddd where each 'd' is a decimal digit

* Dates have various formats such as year, month, date formatted as yyyy-mm-dd or dd-mm-yyyy.

(4) Discuss the characteristics of relations.

→ → Ordering of tuples in a relation r(R):

* The tuples are not considered to be ordered, even though they appear to be in the tabular form

→ ordering of attributes in a relation schema R. (and of values within each tuple):

* We will consider the attributes in R(A1, A2 ... An) and the values in t < v1, v2, ... vn > to be ordered.

* Values in a tuple:

→ All values are considered atomic (indivisible).

→ Each value in a tuple must be from the domain of the attribute for that column.

* If tuple t < v1, v2, ... vn > is a tuple (row) in the relation state r of R(A1, A2 .... An)

* Then each vi must be a value from dom(Ai)

→ A special null value is used to represent values that are unknown or not available or inapplicable in certain tuples.

Notation:

→ A relation schema R of degree n is denoted by R(A1, A2, ... An)

→ The uppercase letters Q, R & S, denote relation names.

Notation:-

→ We refer to component values of a tuple t by:

- t[Ai] or t.Ai
- This is the value vi of attribute Ai for tuple t

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(5) What is meant by integrity constraint? Explain the importance of referential integrity constraint. How referential integrity constraint constraint is implemented in SQL

→ The entity integrity constraint states that no primary key value can be null

→ Referential integrity constraint is specified b/w 2 relations and is used to maintain the consistency among tuples of 2 relations.

→ Referential integrity constraint states that a tuple in one relation that refers to another relation must refer to an existing tuple in that relation

→ Foreign key. - The set of attributes FR in relation schema R_1 is a foreign key of R_1 that references relation R_2 if it satisfies the rules

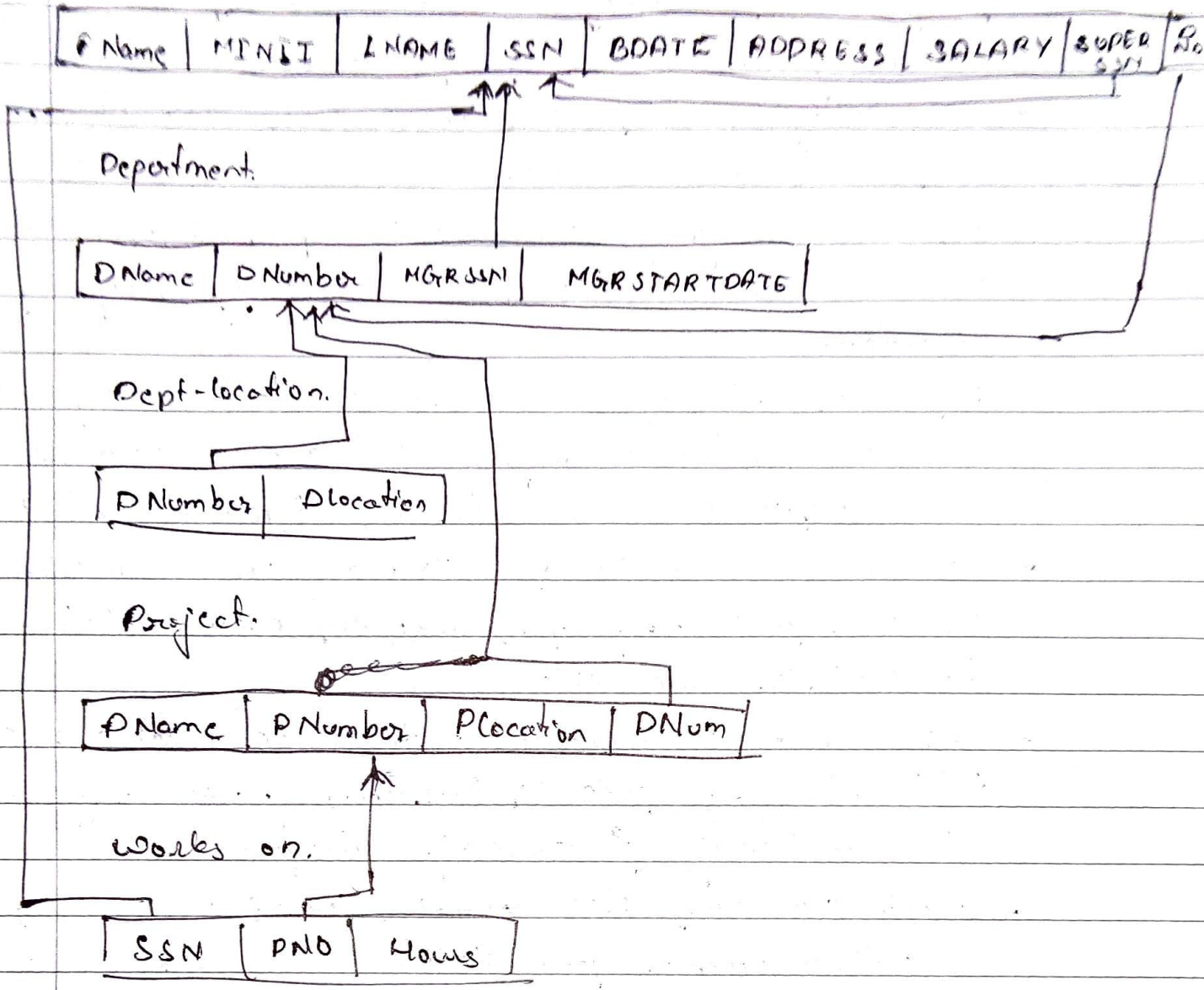
→ The goal of normalization is to create a set of relational tables that are free of redundant data and that can be consistently & correctly modified.

→ Most commonly used normal forms:-

* First normal form (1NF)
* Second normal form (2NF)
* Third normal form (3NF)
* Boyce - Codd normal

→ Form other normal forms

* Fourth normal forms
* Fifty normal forms
* Fifth normal forms.
* Domain key normal form.



(5). Explain the data types available for attribute specification in SQL.

Data type.

→ Bit string data type.

- Fixed length
- Character string or bit string.
- varying length : BIT varying (n).
- BLOB (Binary long object), specified using kilobits (k), megabits (M), or gigabits (G).

↳ Boolean data types :-

• values of TRUE or FALSE or NULL.

→ Data data type:-

* Ten positions
* Multiple mapping functions available in RDBMS's to change data formats.
* Components are Year, month & Day in the form YYYY-MM-DD.

→ TIME DATA Type-

Has atleast 8 positions with the components HOUR MINUTE & SECOND in the forms HH:MM:SS.

→ Attribute Data types & Domain in SQL.

* Additional data types
* Timestamp data types.

Includes the DATE & TIME fields.

- Plus a minimum of six positions for decimal ~~fonsec~~ functions of seconds
- Optional with time zone qualifier.
- Literal : TIME STAMP '2004-08-27' 10:13:50.

· Data, time, time stamp, INTERVAL data type can be cast or converted to string formats for comp.