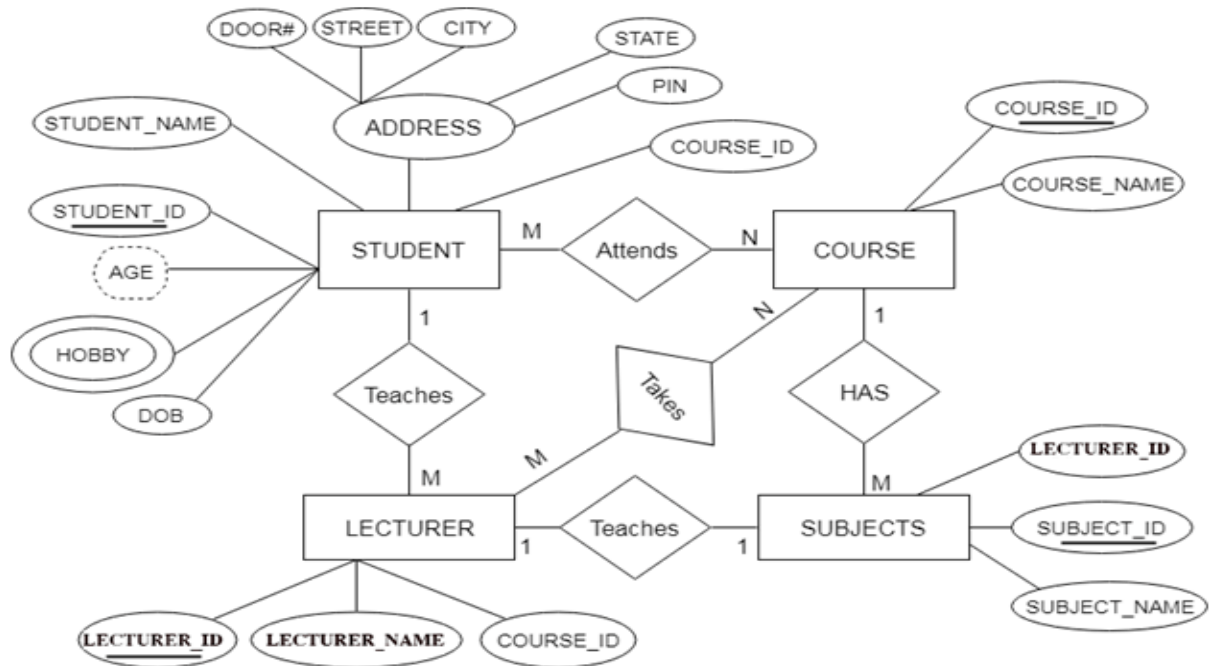


## TASK – 1

### Convert ER Diagram into Relational Model

**AIM:** To convert the given Entity-Relationship (ER) diagram into a relational model following standard database design mapping rules.

**DIAGRAM:**



### Steps for converting the ER diagram to the table

#### 1. Entity type becomes a table

each entity type in the ER diagram becomes a table in the relational model.

From the ER diagram, the main entity types are:

- STUDENT
- LECTURER
- COURSE
- SUBJECTS

Each of these will be represented as a separate table in your relational database design.

For example:

- The STUDENT entity becomes the STUDENT table.
- The LECTURER entity becomes the LECTURER table.
- The COURSE entity becomes the COURSE table.
- The SUBJECTS entity becomes the SUBJECT table.

Each table will then contain columns that represent that entity's attributes (fields such as STUDENT\_ID, STUDENT\_NAME for the STUDENT table, and so on).

#### **STUDENT**

Column Name	Description
STUDENT_ID	Primary Key
STUDENT_NAME	Student name
DOB	Date of birth
DOOR#	Address component
STREET	Address component
CITY	Address component
STATE	Address component
PIN	Address component
COURSE_ID	Foreign Key referencing COURSE

## 2. All single-valued attribute becomes a column for the table.

### Rule:

All single-valued attributes in the ER diagram become columns for the corresponding table in the relational model.

### Application to Provided ER Diagram:

For each entity type, identify the single-valued attributes (those represented by ovals and directly connected to the entity, not multivalued or composite):

- **STUDENT:**
  - STUDENT\_ID
  - STUDENT\_NAME
  - DOB
  - COURSE\_ID
- **LECTURER:**
  - LECTURER\_ID
  - LECTURER\_NAME

- COURSE\_ID
- **COURSE:**
  - COURSE\_ID
  - COURSE\_NAME
- **SUBJECTS:**
  - SUBJECT\_ID
  - SUBJECT\_NAME
  - LECTURER\_ID
- **ADDRESS (Composite, but components are single-valued):**
  - DOOR#
  - STREET
  - CITY
  - STATE
  - PIN
  - **COURSE**

• Column Name	• Description
• COURSE_ID	• Primary Key
• COURSE_NAME	• Name of the course

#### . LECTURER

Column Name	Description
LECTURER_ID	Primary Key
LECTURER_NAME	Lecturer's name
COURSE_ID	Foreign Key referencing COURSE

**3. A key attribute of the entity type represented by the primary key.**

**Rule:**

A key attribute of each entity type in the ER diagram is represented as the primary key in the corresponding table in the relational model.

**Application to Provided ER Diagram:**

For every entity:

- Identify the attribute that uniquely distinguishes each instance of that entity (usually underlined in the ER diagram).
- This attribute becomes the primary key for the table created for that entity.

**Primary Keys for the Entities:**

- **STUDENT:**
  - STUDENT\_ID (*Primary Key*)
- **LECTURER:**
  - LECTURER\_ID (*Primary Key*)
- **COURSE:**
  - COURSE\_ID (*Primary Key*)
- **SUBJECTS:**
  - SUBJECT\_ID (*Primary Key*)

**SUBJECT**

Column Name	Description
SUBJECT_ID	Primary Key
SUBJECT_NAME	Subject name
LECTURER_ID	Foreign Key referencing LECTURER

**4. The multivalued attribute is represented by a separate table****Rule:**

A multivalued attribute is represented by a separate table in the relational model.

**Application to Provided ER Diagram:**

In your ER diagram, the entity STUDENT has a multivalued attribute: HOBBY.

Implementation:

- You create a new table (e.g., STUD\_HOBBY) to represent the combination of the student and their hobbies.
- Each row in this new table links a student's primary key to one of their hobbies.

**Table Structure Example:**

STUDENT_ID (FK)	HOBBY
1001	Drawing

STUDENT_ID (FK)	HOBBY
1001	Singing
1002	Sports

- **STUDENT\_ID:** Foreign Key referencing the STUDENT table.
- **HOBBY:** One hobby per row.

## 5. Composite attribute represented by components

### Rule:

A composite attribute is represented by its component attributes as individual columns in the table.

### Application to Provided ER Diagram:

In your ER diagram, the ADDRESS attribute for the entity STUDENT is a composite attribute. It consists of the following simple attributes:

- DOOR#
- STREET
- CITY
- STATE
- PIN

### Implementation:

- Instead of creating a single column for ADDRESS, you create separate columns for each of its components in the STUDENT table.

Resulting Columns in the STUDENT Table:

- DOOR#
- STREET
- CITY
- STATE
- PIN

## 6. Derived attributes are not considered in the table

### Rule:

Derived attributes are not considered in the table when converting an ER diagram to a relational model.

### Application to Provided ER Diagram:

In your ER diagram, the attribute AGE for the entity STUDENT is shown as a derived attribute (usually denoted by a dashed oval). Derived attributes can be calculated from other data stored in the database (e.g., AGE can be derived from DOB).

### Implementation:

- Do not create a column for derived attributes (like AGE) in the STUDENT table.
- Instead, derive such values using queries or calculations when needed, based on stored attributes like DOB.

### RESULT:

## Mapping/Relationships:

- STUDENT.COURSE\_ID → COURSE.COURSE\_ID (many students enroll in a course)
- LECTURER.COURSE\_ID → COURSE.COURSE\_ID (lecturers teach courses)
- SUBJECT.LECTURER\_ID → LECTURER.LECTURER\_ID (lecturers teach subject)
- STUD\_HOBBY.STUDENT\_ID → STUDENT.STUDENT\_ID (students have multiple hobbies)