# DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

# **BASIC DEFINITIONS**

#### • Database:

- A logical coherent collection of data representing the mini-world such that change in the mini-world brings about change in database collected for a particular purpose and for a group of intended users.
- Data:
  - Meaningful facts, text, graphics, images, sound, video segments that can be recorded and have an implicit meaning.
- Metadata:
  - Data that describes data

#### File Processing System

- A collection of application programs that perform services for the endusers such as production of reports
- Each program defines and manages its own data
- Database Management System (DBMS):
  - A software package/ system to facilitate the creation and maintenance of a computerized database.
- Database System:
  - The DBMS software together with the data itself. Sometimes, the
    - applications are also included. Database + DBMS

#### SIMPLIFIED DATABASE SYSTEM ENVIRONMENT Users/Programmers



## **EVOLUTION OF DB SYSTEMS**

Flat files - 1960s - 1980s

- Hierarchical 1970s 1990s
- Network 1970s 1990s
- Relational 1980s present
- Object-oriented 1990s present
- Object-relational 1990s present
- Data warehousing 1980s present
- Web-enabled 1990s present

#### PURPOSE OF DATABASE SYSTEMS

Database management systems were developed to handle the difficulties of typical file-processing systems supported by conventional operating systems

## **DISADVANTAGES OF FILE PROCESSING**

- Program-Data Dependence
  - File structure is defined in the program code.
  - All programs maintain metadata for each file they use
- Duplication of Data (Data Redundancy)
  - Different systems/programs have separate copies of the same data
  - Same data is held by different programs.
  - Wasted space and potentially different values and/or different formats for the same item.
- Limited Data Sharing
  - No centralized control of data
  - Programs are written in different languages, and so cannot easily access each other's files.
- Lengthy Development Times
  - Programmers must design their own file formats
- Excessive Program Maintenance
  - 80% of of information systems budget
- Vulnerable to Inconsistency

Change in one table need changes in corresponding tables as well otherwise data will be inconsistent

## **ADVANTAGES OF DATABASE APPROACH**

- Data independence and efficient access.
- Data integrity and security.
- Uniform data administration.
- Concurrent access, recovery from crashes.
- Replication control
- Reduced application development time.
- Improved Data Sharing
  - Different users get different views of the data
- Enforcement of Standards
  - All data access is done in the same way
- Improved Data Quality
  - Constraints, data validation rules
- Better Data Accessibility/ Responsiveness
  - Use of standard data query language (SQL)
- Security, Backup/Recovery, Concurrency

Disaster recovery is easier

## COSTS AND RISKS OF THE DATABASE APPROACH

- Up-fro<del>nt costs:</del>
  - Installation Management Cost and Complexity
  - Conversion Costs
- Ongoing Costs
  - Requires New, Specialized Personnel
  - Need for Explicit Backup and Recovery
- Organizational Conflict
  - Old habits die hard

## **DATABASE APPLICATIONS**

- Database Applications:
  - Banking: all transactions
  - Airlines: reservations, schedules
  - Universities: registration, grades
  - Sales: customers, products, purchases
  - Manufacturing: production, inventory, orders, supply chain
  - Human resources: employee records, salaries, tax deductions
- Databases touch all aspects of our lives

## **LEVELS OF ABSTRACTION**

- Many <u>views</u>, single <u>conceptual</u> (logical) schema and <u>physical</u> schema.
  - Views describe how users see the data.
  - Conceptual schema defines logical structure
  - Physical schema describes the files and indexes used.
- View 1 View 2 View 3 Conceptual Schema Physical Schema
- \* Schemas are defined using DDL; data is modified/queried using DML.

## EXAMPLE: UNIVERSITY DATABASE

- Conceptual schema:
  - Students(sid: string, name: string, login: string,

age: integer, gpa:real)

- Courses(cid: string, cname:string, credits:integer)
- Enrolled(sid:string, cid:string, grade:string)
- Physical schema:
  - Relations stored as unordered files.
  - Index on first column of Students.
- External Schema (View):
  - Course\_info(<u>cid:string</u>, enrollment:integer)

## **INSTANCES AND SCHEMAS**

- Similar to types and variables in programming languages
- Schema the logical structure of the database (e.g., set of customers and accounts and the relationship between them)
- Instance the actual content of the database at a particular point in time

## **DATA INDEPENDENCE**

- Ability to modify a schema definition in one level without affecting a schema definition in the other levels.
- The interfaces between the various levels and components should be well defined so that changes in some parts do not seriously influence others.
- Two levels of data independence
  - Physical data independence:- Protection from changes in *logical* structure of data.
  - Logical data independence:- Protection from changes in physical structure of data.

# **INSTANCES AND SCHEMAS**

- Similar to types and variables in programming languages
- Schema the logical structure of the database
  - e.g., the database consists of information about a set of customers and accounts and the relationship between them)
  - Analogous to type information of a variable in a program
  - Physical schema: database design at the physical level
  - Logical schema: database design at the logical level
- Instance the actual content of the database at a particular point in time
  - Analogous to the value of a variable
- Physical Data Independence the ability to modify the physical schema without changing the logical schema
  - Applications depend on the logical schema
  - In general, the interfaces between the various levels and components should be well defined so that changes in some parts do not seriously influence others.

#### **DATABASE LANGUAGES** Data Definition Language (DDL)

- Specification notation for defining the database schema
- DDL compiler generates a set of tables stored in a data dictionary
- Data dictionary contains *metadata* (data about data)
- Data storage and definition language special type of DDL in which the storage structure and access methods used by the database system are specified

#### Data Manipulation Language (DML)

- Language for accessing and manipulating the data organized by the appropriate data model
- Two classes of languages
  - Procedural user specifies what data is required and how to get those data
  - Nonprocedural user specifies what data is required without specifying how to get those data

## **DATABASE USERS**

- Users are differentiated by the way they expect to interact with the system
- Application programmers interact with system through DML calls
- Sophisticated users form requests in a database query language
- Specialized users write specialized database applications that do not fit into the traditional data processing framework
- Naïve users invoke one of the permanent application programs that have been written previously
  - E.g. people accessing database over the web, bank tellers, clerical staff

# **DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR**

- Coordinates all the activities of the database system; the database administrator has a good understanding of the enterprise's information resources and needs.
- Database administrator's duties include:
  - Schema definition
  - Storage structure and access method definition
  - Schema and physical organization modification
  - Granting user authority to access the database
  - Specifying integrity constraints
  - Acting as liaison with users
  - Monitoring performance and responding to changes in requirements

# DATA MODELS

- A collection of tools for describing:
  - <del>Data</del>
  - Data relationships
  - Data semantics
  - Data constraints
- Object-based logical models
  - Entity-relationship model
  - Object-oriented model
  - Semantic model
  - Functional model
- Record-based logical models
  - Relational model (e.g., SQL/DS, DB2)
  - Network model
  - Hierarchical model (e.g., IMS)

# **ENTITY-RELATIONSHIP MODEL**

#### The basics of Entity-Relationship modelling

- Entities (objects)
  - E.g. customers, accounts, bank branch
- Attributes
- Relationships between entities
  - E.g. Account A-101 is held by customer Johnson
  - Relationship set depositor associates customers with accounts
- Widely used for database design
  - Database design in E-R model usually converted to design in the relational model which is used for storage and processing



- <u>Entity</u>: Real-world object distinguishable from other objects. An entity is described using a set of <u>attributes</u>. Each attribute has a domain.
- Entity Set: A collection of similar entities. E.g., all employees.
  - All entities in an entity set have the same set of attributes. (Until we consider ISA hierarchies, anyway!)
  - Each entity set has a key.

<u>Weak Entities:</u> A weak entity can be identified uniquely only by considering the primary key of another (*owner*) entity.



 <u>Relationship</u>: Association among two or more entities. E.g., Attishoo works in Pharmacy department.

- <u>Relationship Set</u>: Collection of similar relationships.
  - An n-ary relationship set R relates n entity sets E1 ... En; each relationship in R involves entities e1 E1, ..., en En

Same entity set could participate in different relationship sets, or in different "oles" in same set.

## **E-R DIAGRAMS**



- n Rectangles represent entity sets.
- n Diamonds represent relationship sets.
- n Lines link attributes to entity sets and entity sets to relationship sets.
- n Ellipses represent attributes
  - Double ellipses represent multivalued attributes.
  - Dashed ellipses denote derived attributes.
- n Underline indicates primary key attributes (will study later)

## **MAPPING CARDINALITY CONSTRAINTS**

- Express the number of entities to which another entity can be associated via a relationship set.
- Most useful in describing binary relationship sets.
- For a binary relationship set the mapping cardinality must be one of the following types:
  - One to one
  - One to many
  - Many to one
  - Many to many

## **MAPPING CARDINALITIES**



One to one

One to many

Many to one

Many to many

## **PARTICIPATION CONSTRAINTS**

- Does every department have a manager?
  - If so, this is a <u>participation constraint</u>: the participation of Departments in Manages is said to be total (vs. partial).
- Every Department entity must appear in an instance of the relationship Works\_In (have an employee) and every Employee must be in a Department
- Both Employees and Departments participate totally in Works\_In



## KEYS

- A super key of an entity set is a set of one or more attributes whose values uniquely determine each entity.
- A candidate key of an entity set is a minimal super key
  - Customer\_id is candidate key of customer
  - account\_number is candidate key of account
- Although several candidate keys may exist, one of the candidate keys is selected to be the primary key.
- Alternate key is the candidate key which are not selected as primary key.
- Foreign key are the attributes of an entity that points to the primary key of another entity. They act as a cross-reference between entities.
- Composite Key consists of two or more attributes that uniquely identify an entity.

Non-key attributes are the attributes or fields of a table, other than candidate key attributes/fields in a table.

Non-prime Attributes are attributes other than Primary Key attribute(s).

## **RELATIONAL MODEL**

Example of tabular data in the relational model:

name	ssn	street	city	account-number
Johnson	192-83-7465	Alma	Palo Alto	A-101
Smith	019-28-3746	North	Rye	A-215
Johnson	192-83-7465	Alma	Palo Alto	A-201
Jones	321-12-3123	Main	Harrison	A-217
Smith	019-28-3746	North	Rye	A-201

account-number	balance
A-101	500
A-201	900
A-215	700
A-217	750

# **RELATIONAL MODEL (BASIC)**

The **relational model** used the basic **concept** of a relation or table.

- Tuple:- A tuple is a row in a table.
- Attribute:- An attribute is the named column of a relation.

Domain:- A domain is the set of allowable values for one or more attributes.

Degree:- The number of columns in a table is called the degree of relation.

Cardinality:- The number of rows in a relation, is called the cardinality of the relation.

# **INTEGRITY CONSTRAINTS**

Integrity constraints guard against accidental damage to the database, by ensuring that authorized changes

to the database do not result in a loss of data consistency.

- Domain Constraints:- It specifies that the value of each attribute x must be an atomic value from the domain of x.
- Key Constraints:- Primary Key must have unique value in the relational table.
- Referential Integrity:-It states that if a foreign key in table A refers to the primary key of table B then, every value of the foreign key in table A must be null or be available in table B.
- Entity Integrity:- It states that no attribute of a primary key can have a null value.

# A SAMPLE RELATIONAL DATABASE

customer-id	customer-name	customer-street	customer-city	
192-83-7465	Johnson	12 Alma St.	Palo Alto	
019-28-3746	Smith	4 North St.	Rye	
677-89-9011	Hayes	3 Main St.	Harrison	
182-73-6091	Turner	123 Putnam Ave.	Stamford	
321-12-3123	Jones	100 Main St.	Harrison	
336-66-9999	Lindsay	175 Park Ave.	Pittsfield	
019-28-3746	Smith	72 North St.	Rye	

(a) The customer table

account-number	balance
A-101	500
A-215	700
A-102	400
A-305	350
A-201	900
A-217	750
A-222	700

(b) The account table

customer-id	account-number
192-83-7465	A-101
192-83-7465	A-201
019-28-3746	A-215
677-89-9011	A-102
182-73-6091	A-305
321-12-3123	A-217
336-66-9999	A-222
019-28-3746	A-201

(c) The *depositor* table

## SQL INTRODUCTION

Standard language for querying and manipulating data

Structured Query Language

Many standards out there:

- ANSI SQL, SQL92 (a.k.a. SQL2), SQL99 (a.k.a. SQL3), ....
- Vendors support various subsets: watch for fun discussions in class !

## SQL

- Data Definition Language (DDL)
  - Create/alter/delete tables and their attributes
  - Following lectures...
- Data Manipulation Language (DML)
  - Query one or more tables discussed next !
  - Insert/delete/modify tuples in tables

Prod	TABLES IN SQL		At	tribute names
	PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
	Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
	Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
	SingleTouch	\$149.99	Photography	Canon
	MultiTouch	\$203.99	Household	Hitachi

Tuples or rows

#### TABLES EXPLAINED

• The schema of a table is the table name and its attributes:

Product(PName, Price, Category, Manfacturer)

 A key is an attribute whose values are unique; we underline a key

Product(PName, Price, Category, Manfacturer)

## DATA TYPES IN SQL

- Atomic types:
  - Characters: CHAR(20), VARCHAR(50)
  - Numbers: INT, BIGINT, SMALLINT, FLOAT
  - Others: MONEY, DATETIME, ...
- Every attribute must have an atomic type
  - Hence tables are flat
  - Why ?

#### TABLES EXPLAINED

- A tuple = a record
  - Restriction: all attributes are of atomic type

- A table = a set of tuples
  - Like a list...
  - ...but it is unorderd:
     no first(), no next(), no last().

## SQL QUERY

Basic form: (plus many many more bells and whistles)

SELECT <attributes>

FROM <one or more relations>

WHERE <conditions>

## SIMPLE SQL QUERY

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oduct	PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
	Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
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SELECT \* FROM Product WHERE category='Gadgets'



Gizmo \$19.99 Gadgets GizmoWork		PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer
		Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks
"selection" Powergizmo \$29.99 Gadgets CizmoWork	"selection"	Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks

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	MultiTouch	\$203.99	Household	Hitachi



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	PName	Price	Manufacturer
"selection" and	SingleTouch	\$149.99	Canon
"projection"	MultiTouch	\$203.99	Hitachi
	initial initia	φ205.55	Antaon



### **KEYS AND FOREIGN KEYS**

_	Company					
//	<u>CName</u>	StockPrice	Country			
Кеу	GizmoWorks	25	USA			
	Canon	65	Japan			
	Hitachi	15	Japan			

#### Product

<u>PName</u>	Price	Category	Manufacturer <del>–</del>	Foreign
Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks	key
Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks	
SingleTouch	\$149.99	Photography	Canon	
Multi/Fouch /	./.\$203.99	- Household	Hitachi	

## JOINS

Product (<u>pname</u>, price, category, manufacturer) Company (<u>cname</u>, stockPrice, country)

Find all products under \$200 manufactured in Japan; return their names and prices.





# JOINS

Product		Company					
PName	Price	Category	Manufacturer		Cname	StockPrice	Country
Gizmo	\$19.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks		GizmoWorks	25	LISA
Powergizmo	\$29.99	Gadgets	GizmoWorks		Canon	65	Japan
SingleTouch	\$149.99	Photography	Canon		Hitachi	15	Japan
MultiTouch	\$203.99	Household	Hitachi				

SELECT	PName, Price
FROM	Product, Company
WHERE	Manufacturer=CName AND Country='Japan'
	AND Price <= 200



PName	Price
SingleTouch	\$149.99

## **MORE JOINS**

Product (<u>pname</u>, price, category, manufacturer) Company (<u>cname</u>, stockPrice, country)

Find all Chinese companies that manufacture products both in the 'electronic' and 'toy' categories

ELECT cname	
ROM	
VHERE	

## NULLS IN SQL

- Whenever we don't have a value, we can put a NULL
- Can mean many things:
  - Value does not exists
  - Value exists but is unknown
  - Value not applicable
  - Etc.
- The schema specifies for each attribute if can be null (nullable attribute) or not
- How does SQL cope with tables that have NULLs ?

## **OUTER JOINS**

- Left outer join:
  - Include the left tuple even if there's no match
- Right outer join:
  - Include the right tuple even if there's no match
- Full outer join:
  - Include the both left and right tuples even if there's no match

#### MODIFYING THE DATABASE

Three kinds of modifications

- Insertions
- Deletions
- Updates

Sometimes they are all called "updates"

### INSERTIONS

General form:

Example: Insert a new purchase to the database:

INSERT INTO Purchase(buyer, seller, product, store) VALUES ('Joe', 'Fred', 'wakeup-clock-espresso-machine', 'The Sharper Image')

Missing attribute  $\rightarrow$  NULL.

May drop attribute names if give them in order.

#### INSERTIONS

INSERT INTO PRODUCT(name)

SELECT DISTINCT Purchase.product

FROM Purchase

WHERE Purchase.date > "10/26/01"

The query replaces the VALUES keyword. Here we insert *many* tuples into PRODUCT

### **INSERTION: AN EXAMPLE**

Product(name, listPrice, category)
Purchase(prodName, buyerName, price)

prodName is foreign key in Product.name

Suppose database got corrupted and we need to fix it:

#### Product

name	listPrice	category
gizmo	100	gadgets

#### Purchase

prodName	buyerName	price	
camera	John	200	
gizmo	Smith	80	
camera	Smith	225	

Task: insert in Product all prod Names from Purchase

name	listPrice	category
gizmo	100	Gadgets
camera	_	

## INSERTION: AN EXAMPLE

- INSERT INTO Product(name)
- SELECT DISTINCT prodName
- FROM Purchase

• WHERE prodName NOT IN (SELECT name FROM Product)

#### **INSERTION: AN EXAMPLE**

**INSERT INTO** Product(name, listPrice)

SELECT DISTINCT prodName, price FROM Purchase WHERE prodName NOT IN (SELECT name FROM Product)

Depends on the implementation

name	listPrice	category
gizmo	100	Gadgets
camera	200	-

225

camera ??

#### DELETIONS

Example:

DELETE FROM PURCHASE

WHERE seller = 'Joe' AND product = 'Brooklyn Bridge'

Factoid about SQL: there is no way to delete only a single occurrence of a tuple that appears twice in a relation.



#### UPDATES

Example:

UPDATE PRODUCT SET price = price/2 WHERE Product.name IN (SELECT product FROM Purchase WHERE Date ='Oct, 25, 1999');