

INTRODUCTION

DATABASE :- Collection of interrelated data.

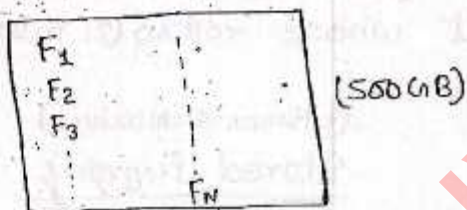
DBMS :- (S/W) used to manage the database and access the DB efficiently. (File system + Operating System)

Limitations of File System:

Efficiency decrease as size of DB increase

(i)

(University Database)



?? Retrieve data from DB i.e. students who scored more than 80%.

Alternatives

Program

Manually

an applⁿ programmer should have knowledge about

Physical details (low-level details)

- Name
- Location of file
- Format
- Permissions

→ Accessing data using physical level details too complex.

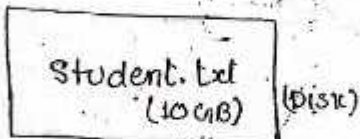
⇒ Database MS provide "Data Independency" i.e. DBMS user can use the data without knowing any physical details.

It is achieved by using querying language.

Select * from Student where marks > 80%

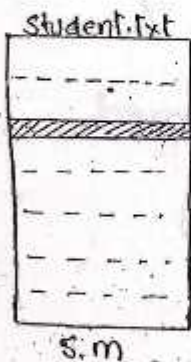
②

500 GB



?? (student whose roll no (21 to 25))

(Just a small access in 10 GB file.)

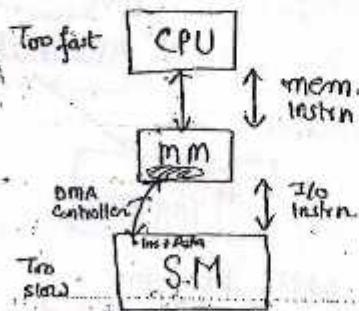


whole 10 GB need to be t/f in MM in worst case ... too much overhead as compared to only 4 records required.

(Human Architecture)
Stored Programming

Ins + data that is required to execute by CPU should be stored in Highspeed Mem

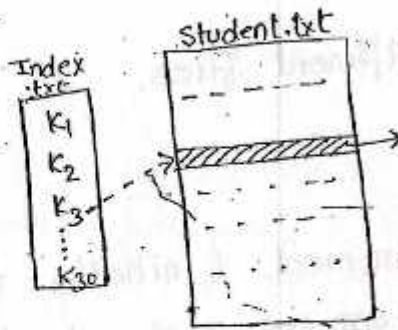
⇒ If DB file is too huge, it take more IO cost to retrieve the data.



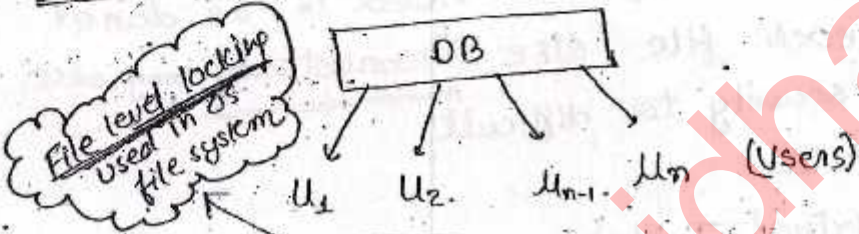
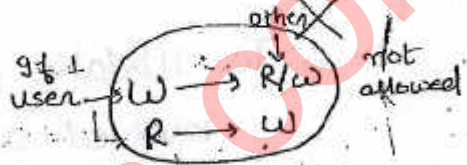
⇒ DBMS solution to it :- "Index to database"

less a page in 1000 page book

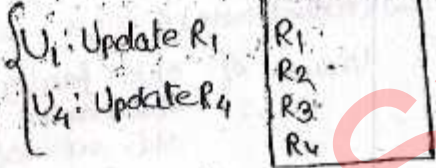
Eg 1000 pg book ... worst case 1000 pg turn.
now 30 pg index file, then to retrieve only (30+1) = 31 access required.



③ Concurrency control :



no conflict even then while R_1 accessed by U_1 , it acquire lock on student.txt thereby preventing U_4 from accessing the file. Thus
(less concurrency level)



DBMS solution $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} U_1: R_1^{*L} \\ U_4: R_4^{*L} \end{array} \right.$

» Allow record level locking, i.e does not allow multiple users to update same record but provide access (read) to different records.
(High concurrency level)

④ Security :

student.txt				
Sid	Sname	DOB	Marks	Address

File System Security

PASSWORD
Security
only

Faculty (Sid, Sname, marks) (multi-level security)
Admin (Sid, Sname, address),
outides (Sname, Sid)
→ This type of security not there in OS. To forcefully provide that ... file. (REDUNDANCY)

⇒ Problems if we maintain different files.

→ Redundancy

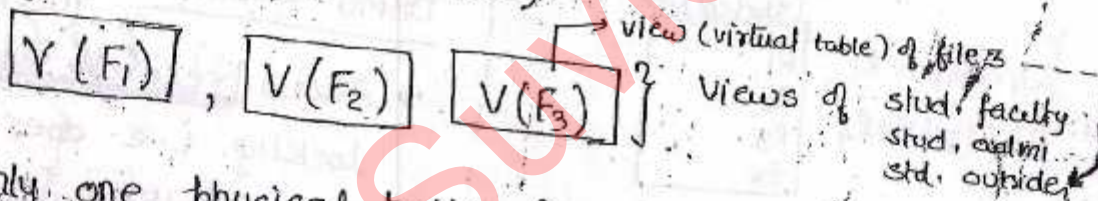
→ Too much space consumed (initially file = 500QB)
now it will be > 500 QB ∴ of redundancy

→ To update any column, too much overhead involved as updation need to be done in each file else inconsistency may arise.

⇒ Different levels of security too difficult.

DBMS Solution

(VIEW) (Virtual Table)



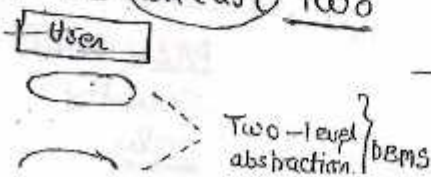
⇒ Only one physical table is there from which different virtual table (view) are created.

DATA INDEPENDENCY : [DATA MODEL] given by CODD

Hiding the low level (physical) details from the external user.

Codd [Relational DBMS] : To provide data independency there should be at least two

levels of abstraction



⇒ 3-levels of Abstraction : [DBMS Architecture]

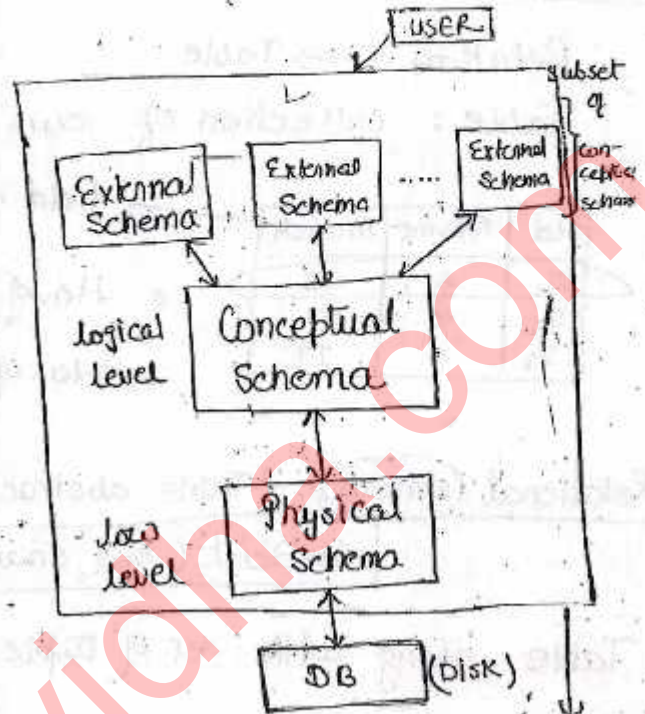
Physical Schema :-

- metadata
- Location
- Name
- Format
- [student] ↔ .std.frm

"define how data physically stored in database."

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⇒ CREATE TABLE STUDENT
(
    ...
);
```

⇒ If users wish to store a file of its own format, it can't be achieved because of the format not defined in physical schema.



DBMS act as interface b/w user & DB

Interface b/w User & DB

Conceptual Schema :- Don't know how and where the data is stored, but knows

Hiding physical details.

"WHAT DATA IS STORED"

Know student (sid, sname, marks, ph no, add)
there is a student table with so < so fields.

External schema : it is the subset of conceptual schema.

RELATIONAL DBMS

Relation \rightarrow Table

Table: collection of rows and column

record or tuple

sid	sname	Branch
S ₁	A	CS
S ₂	B	IT
S ₃	A	IT

field or attribute

- No. of attributes: Arity: set of attributes R
- No. of tuples: Cardinality: set of tuples r

» Relational (schema): (Table abstraction)

Student (sid, sname, Branch)

Table along with set of tuple: Relational Instance

Schema: R (sid, sname, Branch)

Instance: r

Codd rules for Relational DBMS:

① No two tuples of the relation should be same or

- There should be set of attributes in relation R such that all tuples of R can be differentiated.

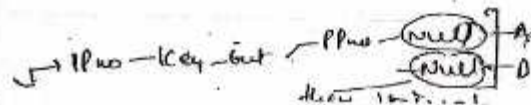
Key :- minimum no. of attributes used to differentiate all the tuples of the relation. (non null tuples) *

mini. no. of attributes used to differentiate

Sid = Key

(Sid, sname) : not Key \because it is not minimum

ALL the NON NULL tuples of a relation.



Enrolled (Sid, Counceid, fee)

S ₁	C ₁	...
S ₁	C ₂	..
S ₂	C ₂	..

(Sid, Cid) : Key

Employee (Eid, Ename, Ppno, DOB, Fname)

Let Constraint: "No two employees same DOB & Fname"

Eid	Ename	Ppno	DOB	Fname
			10/10	x
			10/10	y
			11/12	y

Keys: { Eid, Ppno, {DOB, Fname} }

» Simple Key: (Keys with single attribute)

{Eid}, {Ppno}

» Compound Key: (Keys with two or more attributes)

{DOB, Fname}

Prime attribute set : set of attributes that belong to any Key
or (Key attribute set)

{Eid, Ppno, DOB, Fname}

Non Prime / Non-Key Attributes: set of attributes not belonging to any key.

{Ename}

Candidate keys : set of keys in a Relation \equiv Key

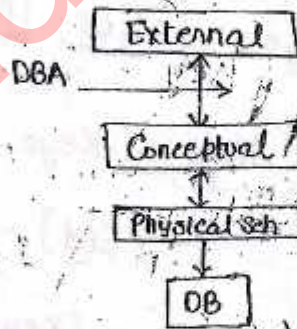
{Eid, Ppno, {DOB, Fname}} \rightarrow mini no of attribute used to differentiate each tuple

at least one C/A should be non-null

Database Administrator: person who grants security to every user.

- ① Design the tables
- ② Design key constraints
- ③ Monitors database to improve performance
- ④ Continuously take the backup of DB to avoid failures.
- ⑤ Can do indexing, i.e. choosing an attribute as index.

DBA is a person existing b/w physical or operate b/w the conceptual and external schema, or external user.



PRIMARY Key :- one of the candidate key.
Can't be null.

Candidate keys: {Eid, Ppno, (DOB, Fname)}

Primary Key (let): {Eid} → (at most) only one primary key per table allowed.

ALTERNATIVE / SECONDARY KEYS: All candidate keys except primary keys.

{Eid} = Primary Key

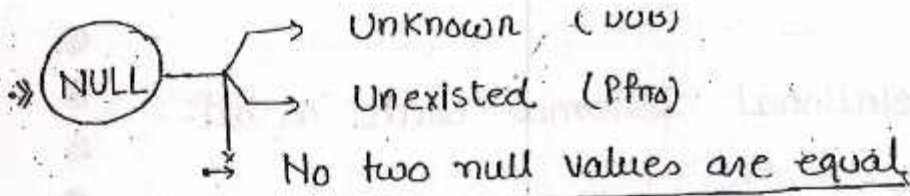
{Ppno, (DOB, Fname)} = Alternative key

PRIMARY KEY

- ① At most one PK per table
- ② Not null
- ③ PRIMARY KEY

ALTERNATE CANDIDATE KEY

- ① More than one AK possible
- ② can be null
- ③ UNIQUE ← Key word



→ All NULL are non-zero

→ DBMS assigns random ASCII values to every NULL such that no two NULL's are equal.

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# CREATE TABLE Employee (
  Eid varchar(30) PRIMARY KEY,
  Ename varchar(30) NOT NULL,
  Ppno varchar(20) UNIQUE,
  DOB date,
  Fname varchar(30),
  Unique (DOB, Fname);

```

PK
 AK
 LAK

» SUPER KEY :- set of attributes used to differentiate tuples of the relation.

- Eno
 - Eno, Ename
 - Ppno
 - Ppno, Eno
- } Super Key

(Ename, Fname) : X not a super key

Candidate Key = minimal super key #

Ans →

Q:- Let R be the Relational Schema with n attributes, $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$.

- How many super keys are possible?

- (i) with only candidate key A_1
- (ii) " " " " Keys A_1, A_2
- (iii) " " " " Keys A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4
- (iv) " " " " " A_1, A_2, A_3
- (v) " " " " " A_1, A_2, A_3

(i) Super keys = ? = ~~2^n~~

Candidate key = A_1

n elements = no. of subsets = 2^n

Any combination with A_1 is a super key

- A_1
- A_1, A_2
- A_1, A_2, A_3
- A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots
- $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$

2^{n-1} super keys

there are some keys counted twice.

A_1	A_2
A_1, A_2	A_2, A_1
A_1, A_2, A_3	A_2, A_1, A_3
A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4	A_2, A_1, A_3, A_4
A	A_2, A_3, A_4
\vdots	\vdots
$A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$	A_2, A_1, \dots, A_n

All such keys are repeated.

i.e any combination of (A_1, A_2) is repetitive.

(ii)

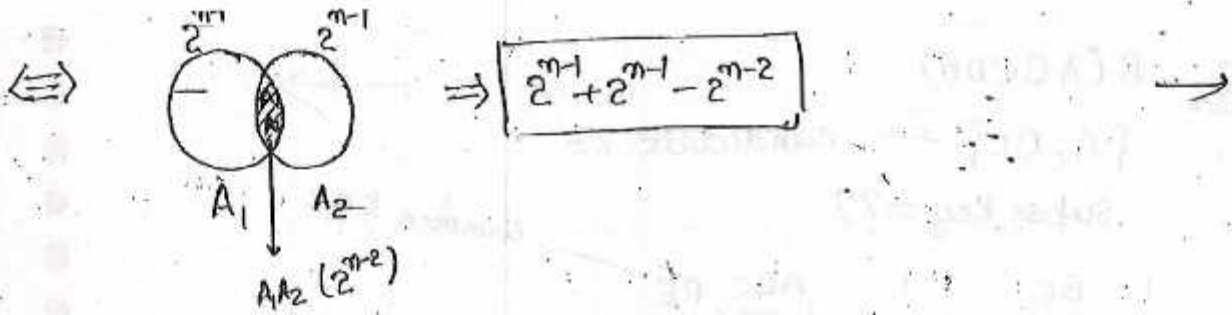
A_1	A_2
A_1, A_2	A_2, A_1
A_1, A_2, A_3	A_2, A_3
\vdots	A_2, A_3, A_1
\vdots	\vdots
$A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$	$A_2, A_3, A_1, A_4, \dots, A_n$
2^{n-1}	2^{n-1}
2^{n-1}	2^{n-1}

$= 2 \cdot 2^{n-1}$

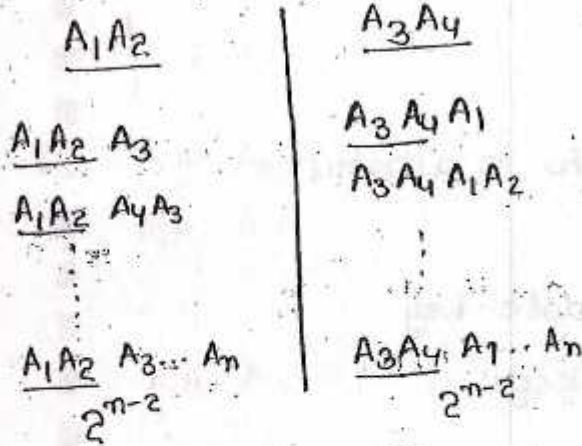
$A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$
 \downarrow
 2^{n-2} — duplicated

Thus need to be subtracted,

$2 \cdot 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} \#$



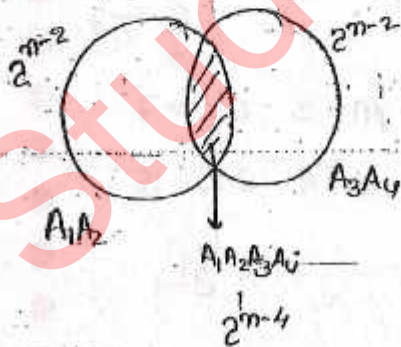
(iii) Cand key



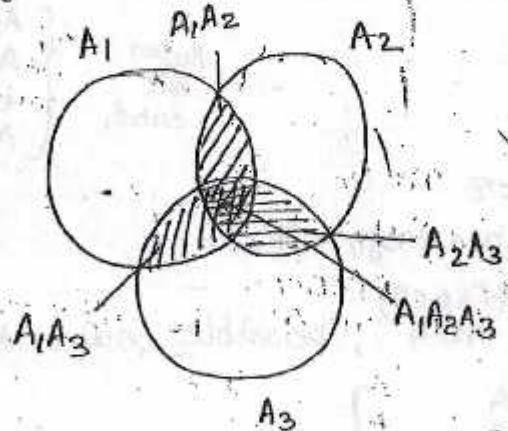
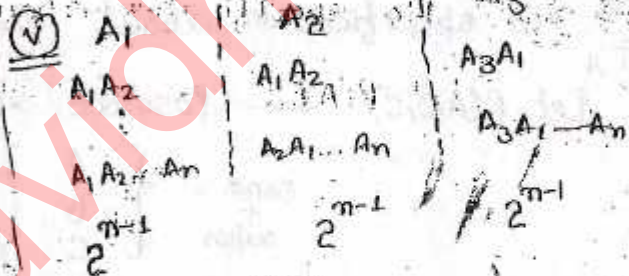
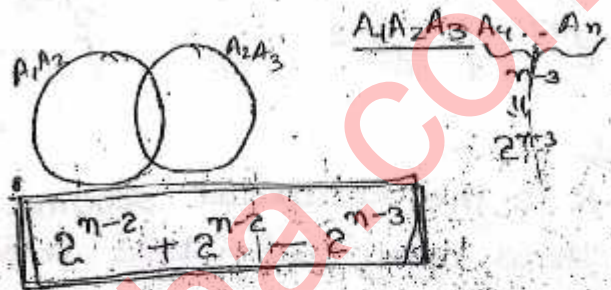
$A_1 A_2 A_3 A_4 A_5 \dots A_n$ } Repetitive keys

2^{n-4}
 Thus total no. of keys

$\boxed{= 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-2} - 2^{n-4}}$



(iv) $A_1 A_2 \quad A_2 A_3$



$= 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} - [2^{n-2} + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-2}] + 2^{n-3}$

$A_1 A_2 \quad A_2 A_3 \quad A_3 A_1 \quad A_1 A_2 A_3$

Q GATE

R(ABCDE)

{A, BC} — candidate ke

super key = ??

A	BC
AB	BCA
	BCAD

ABC DE

Common keys

$$= 2^{5-1} + 2^{5-2} - 2^{5-3}$$

Q DRDO

R is the Relational schema with n attributes

How many super keys possible?

⇒ Sol^m No specification about candidate key

Let R(A,B,C) — possible super keys

- | | | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Cand + super | { A
B
C } | } Super Keys |
| Super not cand. | { AB
AC
BC
ABC } | |

n=3

super keys = 7

R(ABCD)

Let n=4, possible super keys =

- | | |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|
| C.K + S.K | { A
B
C
D } |
| | { AB
AC
AD
BC
BD
CD } |
| | { ABC
ABD
ACD
BCD
ABCD } |
| | |

15 super keys

Possible only when each key is candidate key

Thus $m=3$ SK = 7
 $n=4$ SK = 15

n=n

$$\sum_{i=1}^n 2^i - 1$$

PARENT RELATION

CHILD RELATION

FOREIGN KEY :- avoid inconsistency due to insert/delete.

Student		
Sid	Sname	login
S1	A	@
S2	A	@
S3	B	@
S4	C	@

Enrolled		
Sid	Cid	fee
S1	C1	---
S1	C2	---
S2	C2	---
S3	C1	---
S4	C2	---

[Sid = PRIMARY KEY]

[(Sid, cid) : PRIMARY KEY]

{ All student of the organization }

{ student who are enrolled for some course }

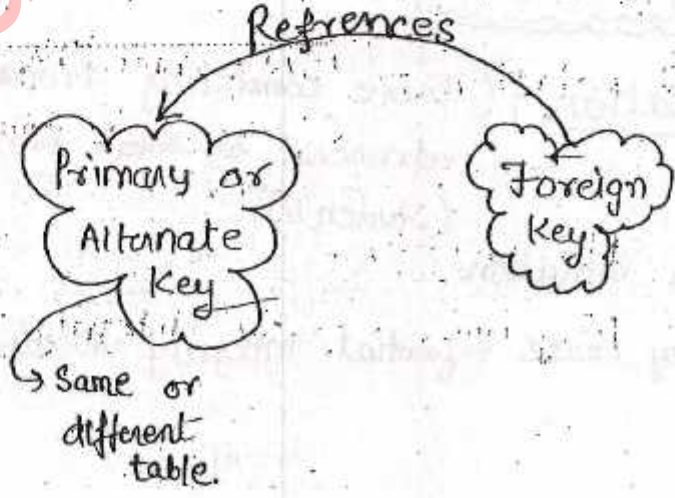
Deletion

if S4 deleted, no problem — allowed.

if S1 is deleted then enrolled table become inconsistent Hence S1 deletion not allowed. — Restricted

Sid of Enrolled table is the foreign key referring to the primary key of student table.

Foreign Key is a set of attributes, references to the primary key or alternative key of the same table or some other table.



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FOREIGN KEY

Student

(Sid)	Sname	login
S1	A	-
S2	A	-
S3	B	-
S4	C	-

primary key
foreign attribute

Sid = Primary Key

Enrolled

(Sid)	Cid	fee
S1	C1	-
S1	C2	-
S2	C1	-

(Sid, cid = PK)

Referencing relation

Foreign key (Sid) attribute are Referencing Attribute

CREATE TABLE Enrolled

Sid varchar (10),
Cid varchar (10),
fee integer (20),

Primary key (Sid, cid),

Foreign key (Sid) References student.

If Sid not primary (let login PK) then to refer to sid in student table use:

By default F.K references to Primary Key

FOREIGN KEY (Sid) References Student (Sid)

When Sid = PK of student

Sometimes Foreign key references to the Primary Key of same table.

⇒ Supervisor is one of the employee only.

PK FK

Eid	Ename	Sup_id
E1		E2
E2		Null
E3		E2
E4		E6
E5		E4

Referential Integrity Constraints:-

① Referenced Relation: (Table consisting Primary key referenced by some foreign key) (student)

① Insertion: No violation

② Deletion: May cause referential integrity violation.

Constraints: (what to do in case of violation of Ref. integrity)

(a) ON DELETE NO ACTION (default)

⇒ Deletion is prohibited if it cause Referential Integrity violation.

⇒ FOREIGN KEY (sid) References student (sid)
ON DELETE NO ACTION;

(b) ON DELETE CASCADE:

⇒ Deletion happen in both referencing and referenced relation if referential integrity violation occur.

⇒ FOREIGN KEY (sid) References Student (sid) ON DELETE CASCADE;

⇒ Whenever primary key deleted, corresponding tuple in referencing relation also deleted.

⇒ Not suggestable for one table PK & FK system. deletion of one item may result in deletion of full table

Cascaded deletion leading to deletion of all tuples

Eid	Ename	Supid
E1		E2
E2		Null
E3		E2
E4		E2

(c) ON DELETE SET NULL:

If violation occur then foreign key field values tried to set NULL, if success then deletion allowed in the referenced relation.

Eid	Ename	Supid
E1		E2
E2		Null
E3		E2
E4		E2

delete →

student		
Sid	Sname	
S1		
S2		

(sid)

Enroll		
Sid	Eid	E
S1	E1	
S2		

(sid, eid)

tries to set it to null, in Enrolled table, but that not possible
∵ Sid [Enrolled] is a part of primary key. So deletion prohibited.

• If Foreign Key = NOT NULL attribute then -

ON DELETE NO ACTION = ON DELETE SET NULL

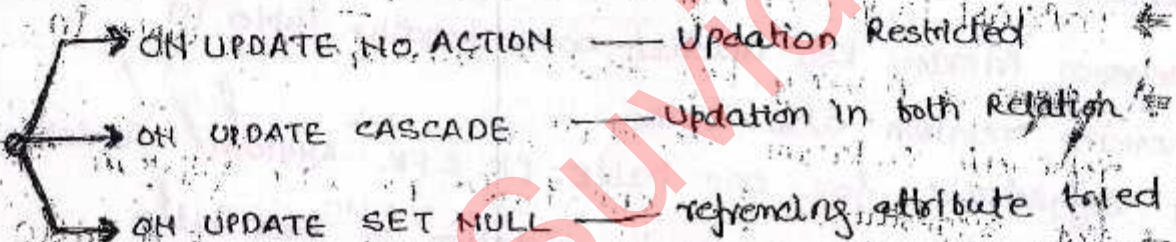
• FOREIGN KEY can be NULL, But if it is the primary key of referencing relation then NULL not allowed.

← refer
insert
table
↓
table
3.16

Eid	Ename	Sup
E1		NULL
E2		NULL
E3		NULL
E4		E2

Foreign Key

iii) UPDATION: (may cause integrity violation)



cascade

Eid	Ename	Supid
E1		E2
E2		NULL
E3		E2

E20 ← E2 → E20

SET NULL

Eid	Ename	Supid
E1		E2 → NULL
E2		NULL
E3		E2 → NULL

E20 ← E2 → NULL

iv) Referencing Relation: (Enrolled)

(a) INSERTION — violation may occur, if violation occur then insertion restricted.

(b) DELETION — No violation

(c) Update (Referable) may cause violation, if occur, update restricted.

Parent Relation modification can lead to modification in child relation, but vice versa not possible.

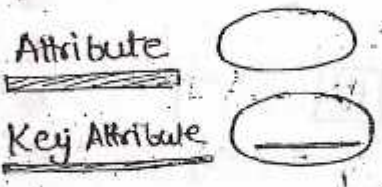
A	C
2	4
3	4
5	3
7	2
9	5

A = Primary key
 C = Foreign key references A with ON DELETE CASCADE.
 - What are other tuples deleted to preserve ref. integrity constraint when [2,4] tuple deleted?
 => [5,2] [7,2] and [9,5] Ans

ENTITY - RELATIONSHIP DIAGRAM: { High Level Database Design }

Entity :- An object that can be differentiated from other objects.

Entity set :- collection of similar entities

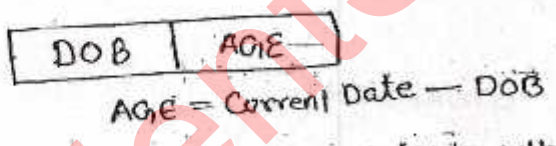


Multivalued Attribute
 => one or more values for any attribute of a given record.

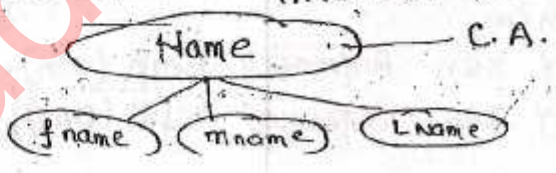
Sid	Sname	Cname	Pno
A1	x	C/ctt	99/98

denoted by:

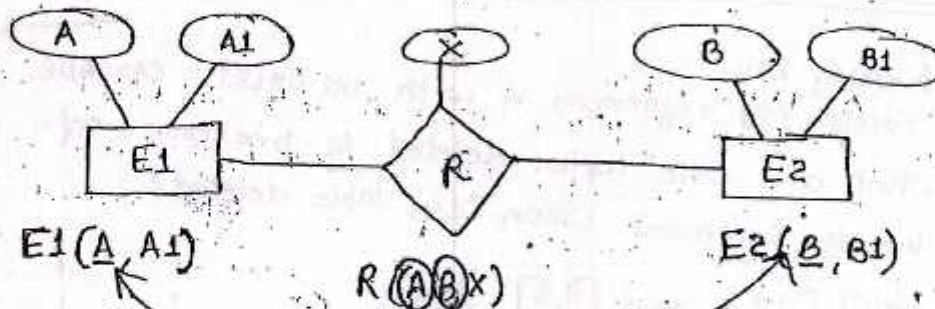
Derived Attribute: value of the attribute that can be derived from other attributes.
 Not stored in DB.
 Age calculated on the fly.



Compound Attributes: Attribute that can be further subdivided into one or more other attributes.



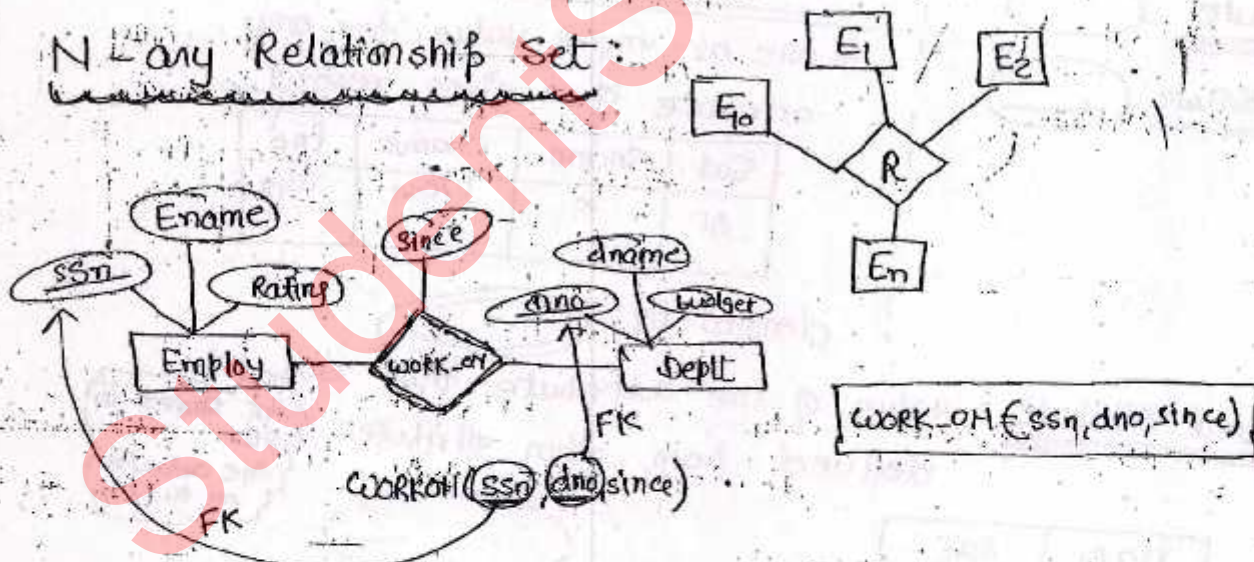
⇒ Relationship Set :- used to relate two or more entity sets.



⇒ Attribute set R: Primary keys of the entities that are relating to the relationship set, and descriptive attribute of R.

⇒ The related attributes of E1 and E2 are kept in relation set R while independent attributes of E1 or E2 do not contribute to R.

N-ary Relationship Set:



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Schema for WORKSON
# CREATE TABLE WORKSON (
    Ssn varchar(20),
    Dno  varchar(20),
    Since integer(10),
    FOREIGN KEY Ssn References Emp (ssn),
    FOREIGN KEY Dno References Deptt (Dno),
    ON DELETE CASCADE
)
    
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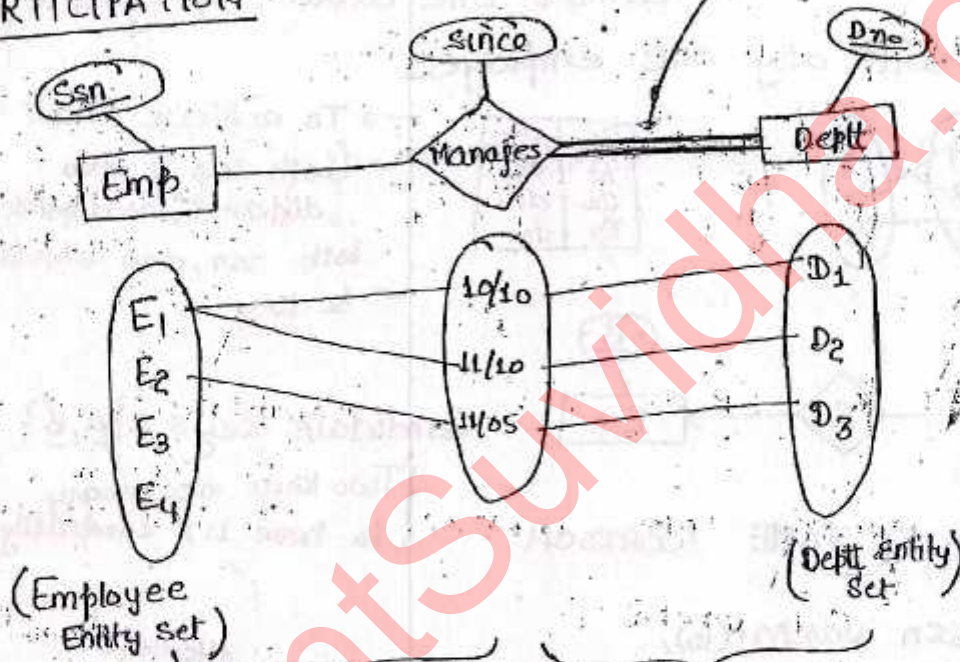

⇒ In N-ary Relationship set, minimum n foreign keys are necessary corresponding to mini. one key per entity set.

RELATIONSHIP SET:

Integrity Constraints:-

Employee can manage multiple dept. Each dept. managed by only one Emp.

(i) PARTICIPATION:



PARTIAL PARTICIPATION
When some of the entities do not participate in relationship set.

TOTAL PARTICIPATION
↳ Every entity of entity set relating with the Relationship set.

Denoted by: $\{ \text{=} \}$

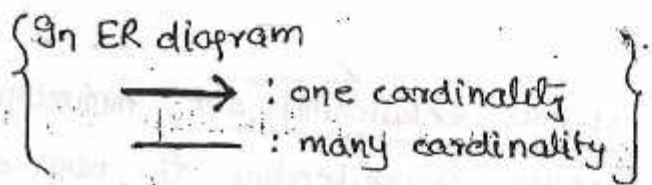
(ii) CARDINALITY :- How entity of an Entity set is related with entities of other Entity sets.

Eg in above diagram there exist one to many cardinality.

∴ an employee can manage more than one department.

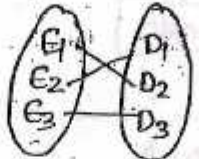
Types of Cardinality:-

- (i) One to one (1:1)
- (ii) One to Many (1:m)
- (iii) Many to one (m:1)
- (iv) Many to Many (m:m)



⇒ Primary key may be based on cardinality, Foreign key remain same.

One to One Cardinality - One emp can relate with almost one dept. One dept co-relate with only one employee.



Ssn	Dno
E1	d2
E2	d1
E3	d3

→ To achieve that (both ssn & dno different, no duplicate) both ssn, dno should be key.



Candidate keys = {A, B} {Two keys necessary to have 1:1 cardinality}

Schema:

CREATE TABLE WORKSON

ssn varchar(10),
 dno varchar(10) UNIQUE NOT NULL Alternate key
PRIMARY KEY (SSN)
 FOREIGN KEY (SSN references Employee
 " Dno " Dept);

One to Many Cardinality

can be duplicate

SSN	dno
E1	d1
E1	d2
E2	d3

dno unique (P.K)

Candidate key

B

one many side wali

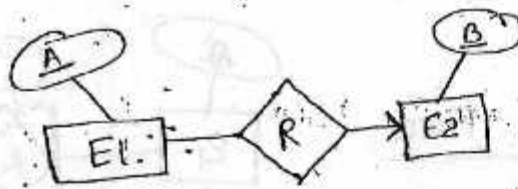


Schema:
PRIMARY KEY Dno

⇒ Relation is opp as compared to ER-diagram. B/w emp i.e. Emp can associate with many deptt. But each not managed by

Many to One Cardinality:

Candidate key = A



Many to many cardinality

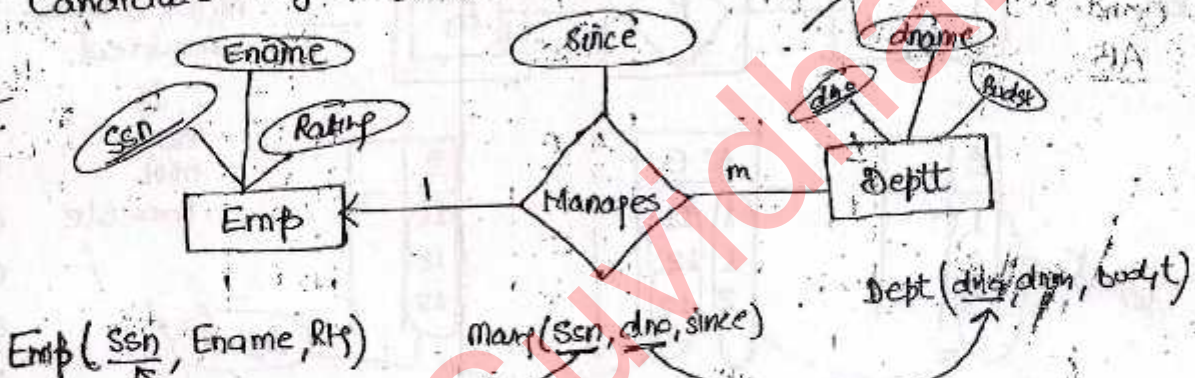
(1:m) && (m:1)



Ssn	dno
E ₁	d ₁
E ₁	d ₂
E ₃	d ₂
E ₂	d ₃

Cardinality 1:m
 m:1
 E₁ m ≠ m
 opp.

Candidate key = (A, B) - combined.



Emp (Ssn, Ename, Rating)

Manages (Ssn, dno, since)

Dept (dno, dname, Budget)

Primary Key : dno

Foreign Key : Ssn
dno

Mang. Dept (dno, dname, Budget, Ssn, since)

Ssn Foreign Key References Employee

Primary Criteria

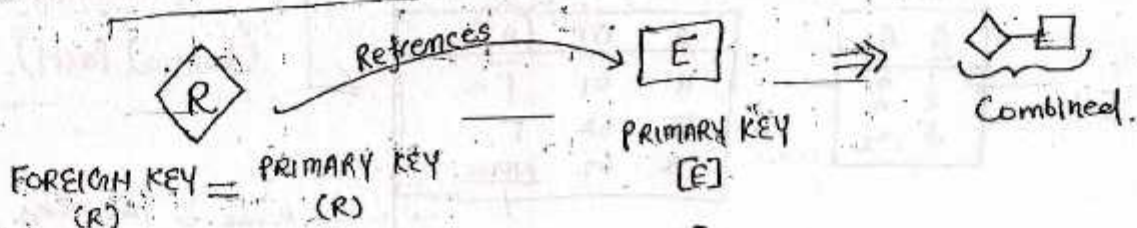
of FOREIGN KEY of

Relationship Set R

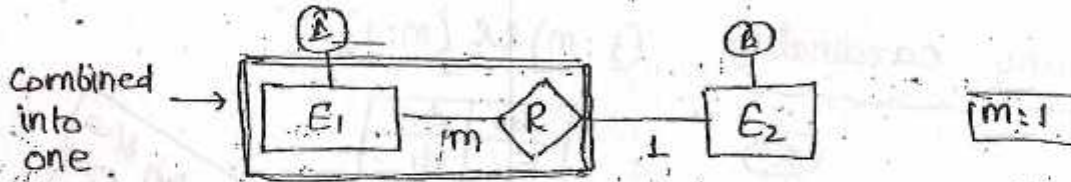
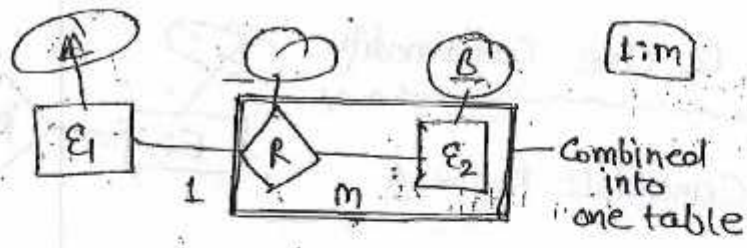
is also PRIMARY KEY of R

and referencing to the Primary key of Entity Set E,

then R & E can be join into a single table.

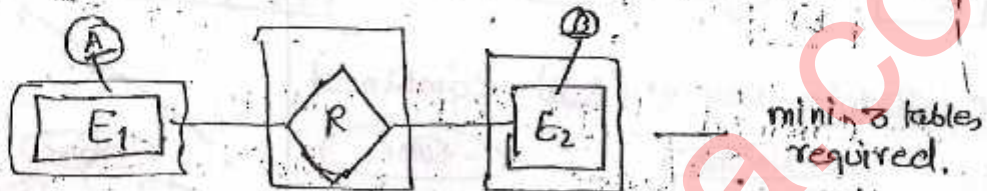


⇒ MINIMIZED Form



m:m

Cand. key AB



no min. possible

A	
1	
2	
3	

distinct

A	B
1	11
1	12
2	12

not distinct

B	
11	
12	
13	

distinct

RE₁ can't be combined

RE₂ → can't be combined

⇒ Partial Participation in R



A	A1
1	a1
2	a1
3	a2

A	B
1	11
1	12

B	B1
11	b1
12	b2
13	b2

A	A1
1	a1
2	a1
3	a2

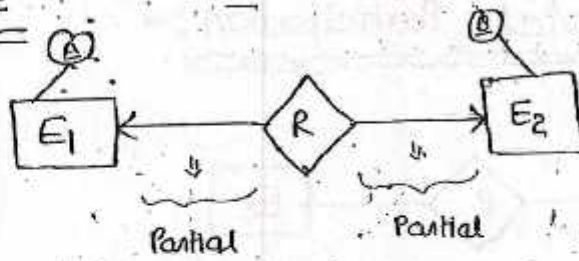
B	B1	A
11	b1	1
12	b2	1
13	b2	NONE

two tables merged into 1 (Partial part)

R. Abb is there then

One to One

Q)



Mini. no. of tables required = ?
one to one cardinality.

Take some data satisfying all conditions

A	A ₁
1	a ₁
2	a ₁
3	a ₂

A	B
1	13
2	11

B	B ₁
11	b ₂
12	b ₂
13	b ₁

(E1R)

A	A ₁	B
1	a ₁	13
2	a ₁	11
3	a ₂	NULL

E1R	R	E2	
A	A ₁	B	B ₁
1	a ₁	13	b ₁
2	a ₁	11	b ₂
3	a ₂	NULL	NULL
NULL	NULL	12	b ₂

This table not possible as it has PRIMARY KEY possible

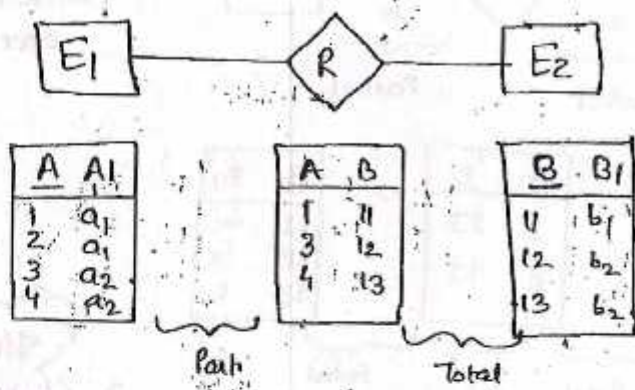
Primary Key = A
Alternate key = B

Minimum two tables are possible, in one to one cardinality with partial - partial participation.

If $R \leftrightarrow E_2$ Total participation

AT LEAST ONE TOTAL PARTICIPATION

Q) At least one total Participation :-



Partial participation side primary key is the final primary key.

E1RE2			
A	A1	B	B1
1	a1	b1	b1
2	a1	null	null
3	a2	b2	b2
4	a2	b3	b2

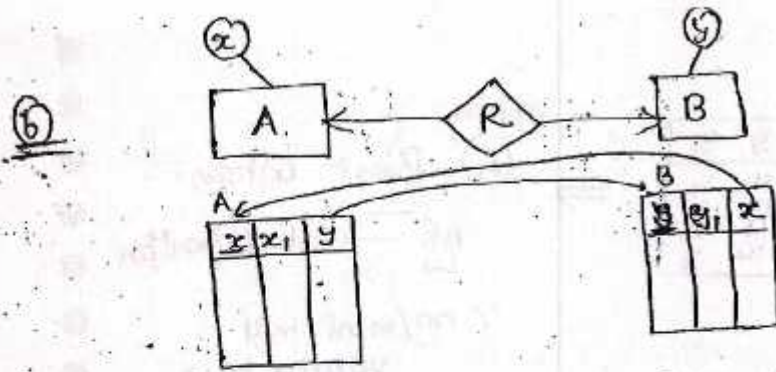
if at least one total participation exists in 1:1 cardinality then
 $\text{mini. no. of table} = 1$

A: Primary key
B: Alternate key

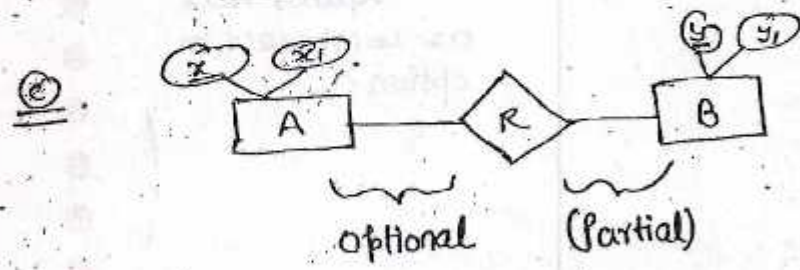
Q: Relationship b/w two entity types A & B is 1:1 and the relationship is optional at the end A only. So % of B entities relates to A entity. Select the best stmt for mapping.

- (a) A & B should be kept separate with FK in the ^A relation
- (b) " " " " " " " both A & B "
- (c) " " " " " " " the B relation
- (d) none of these.

Option Evaluation =>



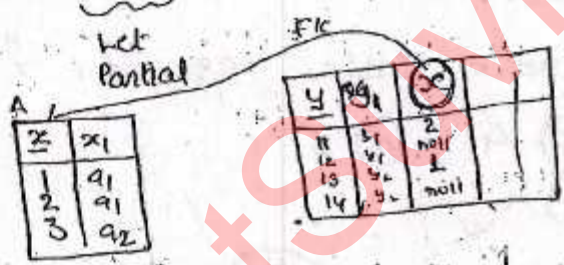
X
 9n:1:1 only one foreign key is sufficient.
 → Bad design (X)



x	x1
1	a1
2	a1
3	a2

x	y
1	13
2	11

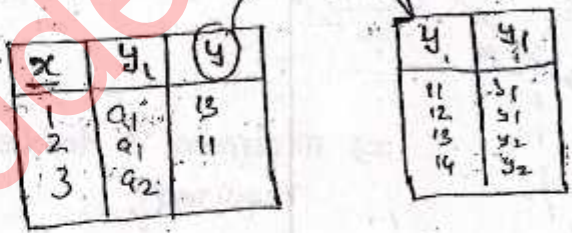
y	y1
11	y1
12	y1
13	y2
14	y2



FK in B means RB combined & referring to some PK in A.

If AR → Partial then both (C) & (A) options are ~~sa~~ equivalent.

⑧ Foreign key in A.



⇒ when total participation at AR. Then

x	x1
1	a1
2	a1
3	a2

Total

x	y
1	13
2	11
3	12

Partial

y	y1
11	y1
12	y1
13	y2
14	y2

x	y ₁	y ₂
1	a ₁	13
2	a ₁	11
3	a ₂	12

y	y ₁
11	y ₁
12	y ₂
13	y ₃
14	y ₄

option (A) Best when

AR — total part/pn

no/min. null values here as compared to option C.

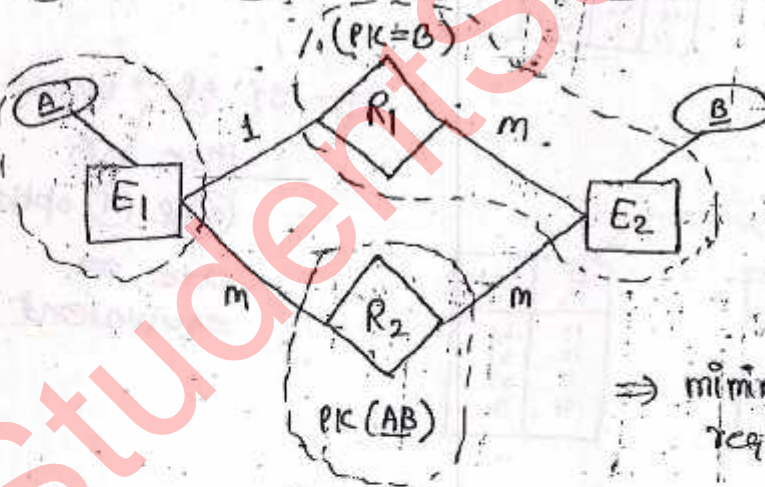
Vote

E_1 & E_2 are entity sets and R_1 and R_2 are relationship set relating with E_1 and E_2 with cardinality 1:M and M:M.

How many minimum no. of tables required.

- (a) 2 (b) 3 (c) 4 (d) 5

Solⁿ:
let

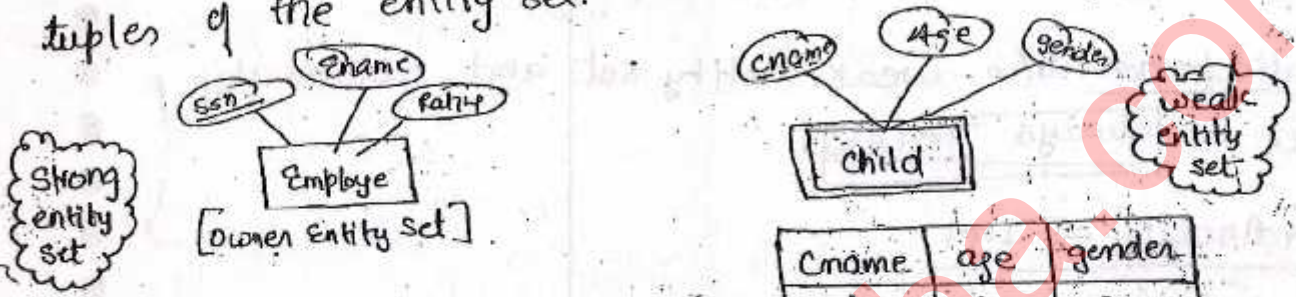


⇒ minimum 3 tables required.

27th Aug 2011 :

WEAK Entity: Entity set with : no Primary Key

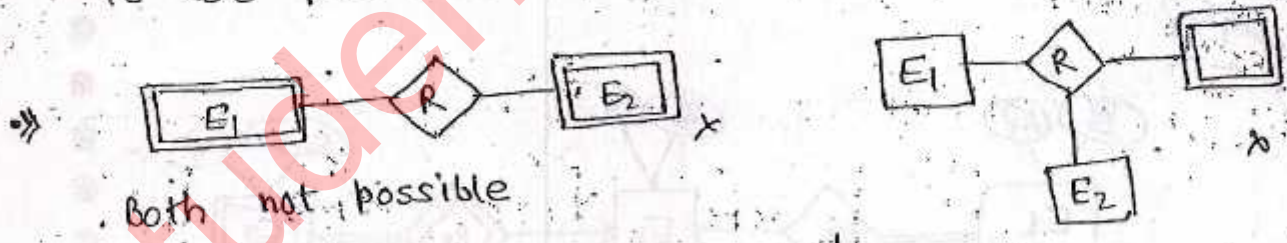
Using one or more attributes of weak entity may not be possible to differentiate all the tuples of the entity set.



Cname	age	gender
A	10	M
A	10	M
B	8	F
B	8	F

» For every weak entity set, there should be a unique Owner Entity set.

- » A weak entity has only one owner entity set.
- » Weak entity related to another weak entity set is not possible.



Ssn	
E1	
E2	
E3	
E4	

Belongs to	
Ssn	Cname
E1	A
E2	A
E3	B
E4	B

Cname	age	gender
A	10	M
A	10	M
B	8	F
B	8	F

Total participation

» For every weak entity there should be an identified owner entity.

» Relationship set not differentiating uniquely is called as weak relationship set.

» Participation b/w weak entity set and relationship set is always TOTAL.

» Cardinality \Rightarrow 1:M

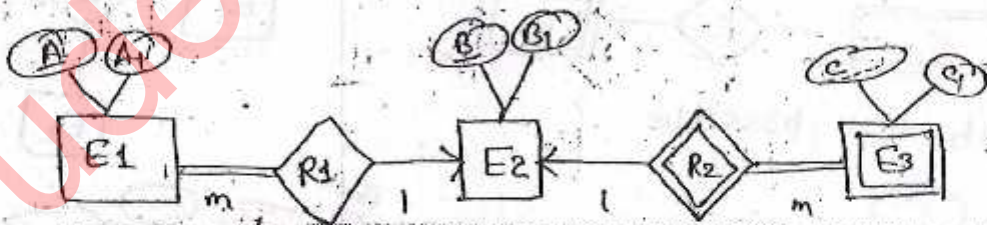
» Always weak entity set and weak relationship set should be kept in single DB table.

← refer on employees

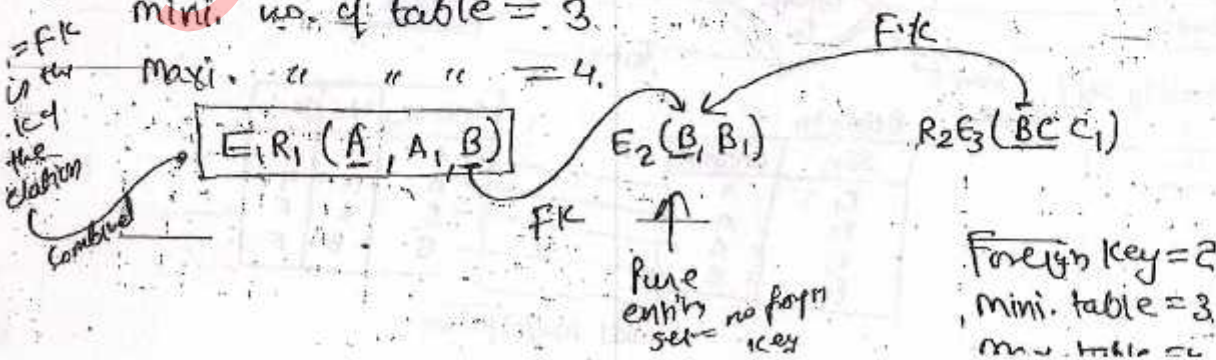
Foreign key (not the primary key of relation)

Empid	Cname	Age	Gender
E1	A	10	M
E2	A	11	M
E1	A	10	M
E2	A	10	M

Some weak entity set A (or) B should not be associated with same entity (E1).
 If E1 replaced by E2 then ok.



mini. no. of table = 3
 maxi. " " " = 4

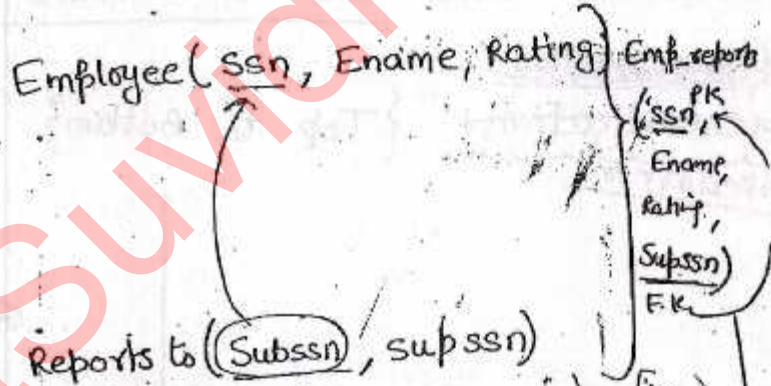
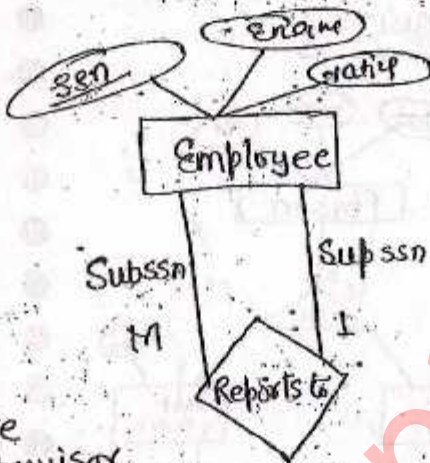


Self Referential Relationship set:-

⇒ Relationship set relating to the same entity set.



- ⇒ Every supervisor and subordinate are employee.
- ⇒ Supervisor can supervise one or more subordinates
- ⇒ Subordinates reports to almost one supervisor.



One supervisor can supervise many subordinates.

- ⇒ Foreign Key subssn references to Emp
- ⇒ " " supssn references to Emp

PRIMARY KEY: Subssn

Minimization Criteria:

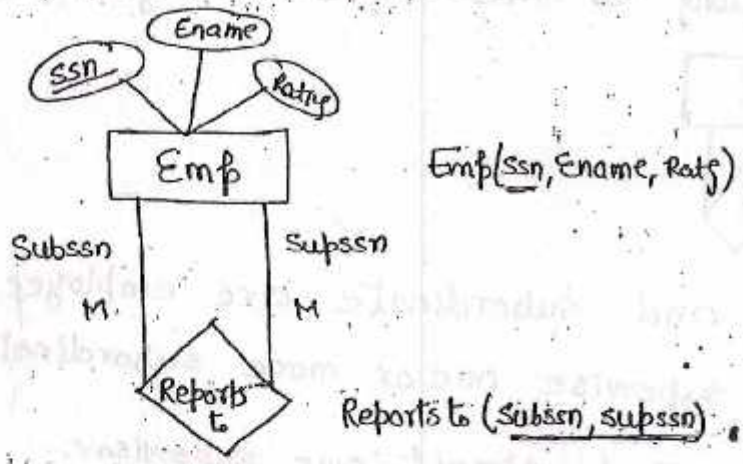
Foreign key references to ssn which is the primary key. So two

tables can be combined.

Mini. 1 table required

RECURSIVE / self referential Entity set

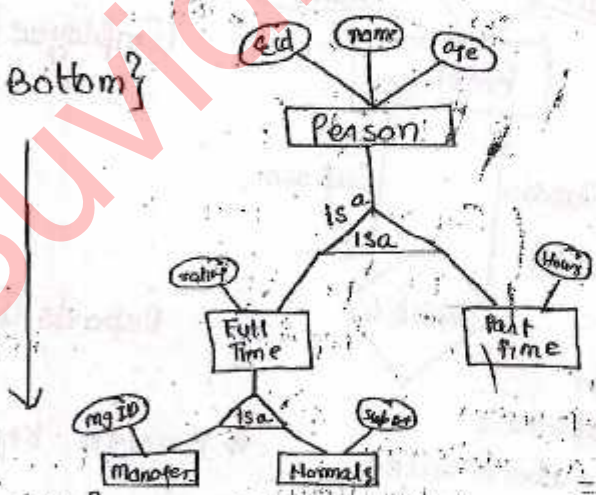
What ?? if Cardinality is m:m =



Here no FK is a complete P.K. ∴ Thus, not possible to reduce. Thus mini. two table required.

Generalization
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Specialization

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