

Business Analytics and Data Driven Decision Making

Introduction to Datawarehouse Modelling & Basics of SQL

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AGENDA

Agenda

- Dataware house Models
- Introduction to Structured Query Language (SQL)
 - Select Clause
 - Aggregation
 - Group By
 - String Functions
- Join Relations and Types of Joins

Learning Objective

- Understand the structure of relations/tables suitable for (Visual) analysis
- Understand use of SQL for reporting
- **Strong understanding of GROUP BY concept for aggregations**
- **I don't expect that you will remember syntax !**

Literature

- This lecture will use examples and illustrations for the following books.

Silberschatz, A., Korth, H., Sudarshan, S.
Database System Concepts. 7th Edition.
McGraw-Hill Education. ISBN13:
9780078022159

Jukic, N. (2019). Database
systems: Introduction to
databases and data warehouses.

DATAWARE HOUSE / REPORTING SCHEMAS FOR DATA

Operational vs Analytical Information

- Operational Information
 - Transactional database storing day to day operations
 - Result of individual transactions i.e. Sales, Purchases, Logs, Conversations
- Analytical Information
 - To support data analysis tasks
 - Transformed from operational databases

Operational vs Analytical Information

- Data Makeup Differences.
 - Summarized data
 - Granularity of time span
- Technical Differences.
 - Redundancy allowed.
 - Less frequent updates and access.
- Functional Differences.
 - Consumed by decision makers.
 - Organized and structured around subject of analysis

MEMBERS DATABASE

MEMBER

MemberID	MemberName	MemberGender	MLevelID	DateMembershipPaid	ValidUntil
111	Joe	M	A	1/1/2020	1/1/2021
222	Sue	F	B	1/1/2020	1/1/2021
333	Pam	F	A	1/2/2020	1/2/2021
...

MEMBERSHIP LEVEL

MLevelID	MLevelType	MLevelFee	MLevelDescription
A	Gold	\$100	Includes the Pool Usage
B	Basic	\$50	No Pool Usage

NONMEMBERS DATABASE

NONMEMBER DAILY VISIT

DVisitTID	DVisitLevelID	DVisitDate	DVisitorGender
11xx22	YP	1/1/2020	M
11xx23	NP	1/2/2020	M
11xx24	YP	1/2/2020	F
...

NONMEMBER VISIT LEVEL

DVisitLevelID	DVisitLevelFee	DVisitLevelType
YP	\$15	With Pool Usage
NP	\$10	Without Pool Usage

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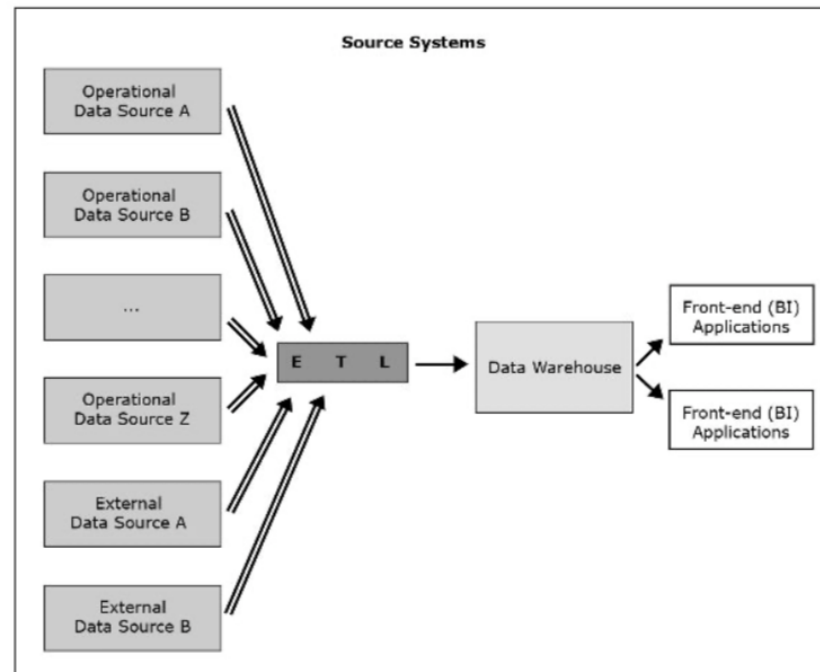
REVENUE					
RevenueRecordID	Date	GeneratedBy	ClientGender	Pool Use Included in Purchase	Amount
1000	1/1/2020	Member	M	Yes	\$100
1001	1/1/2020	Member	F	No	\$50
1002	1/1/2020	Nonmember	M	Yes	\$15
1003	1/2/2020	Member	F	Yes	\$100
1004	1/2/2020	Nonmember	M	No	\$10
1005	1/2/2020	Nonmember	F	Yes	\$15
...

Figure 7.2 A subject-oriented database for the analysis of the subject revenue

Figure 7.1 Application-oriented databases serving the Vitality Health Club Visits and Payments Application

Components of Analytical Database Systems / Warehouse

- Source Systems. i.e. Operational Databases, external data streams.
- ETL Processes for Data transformation and storage into Datawares.
- Dataware house / Structured schematic of data for analysis is a repository of analytical data.



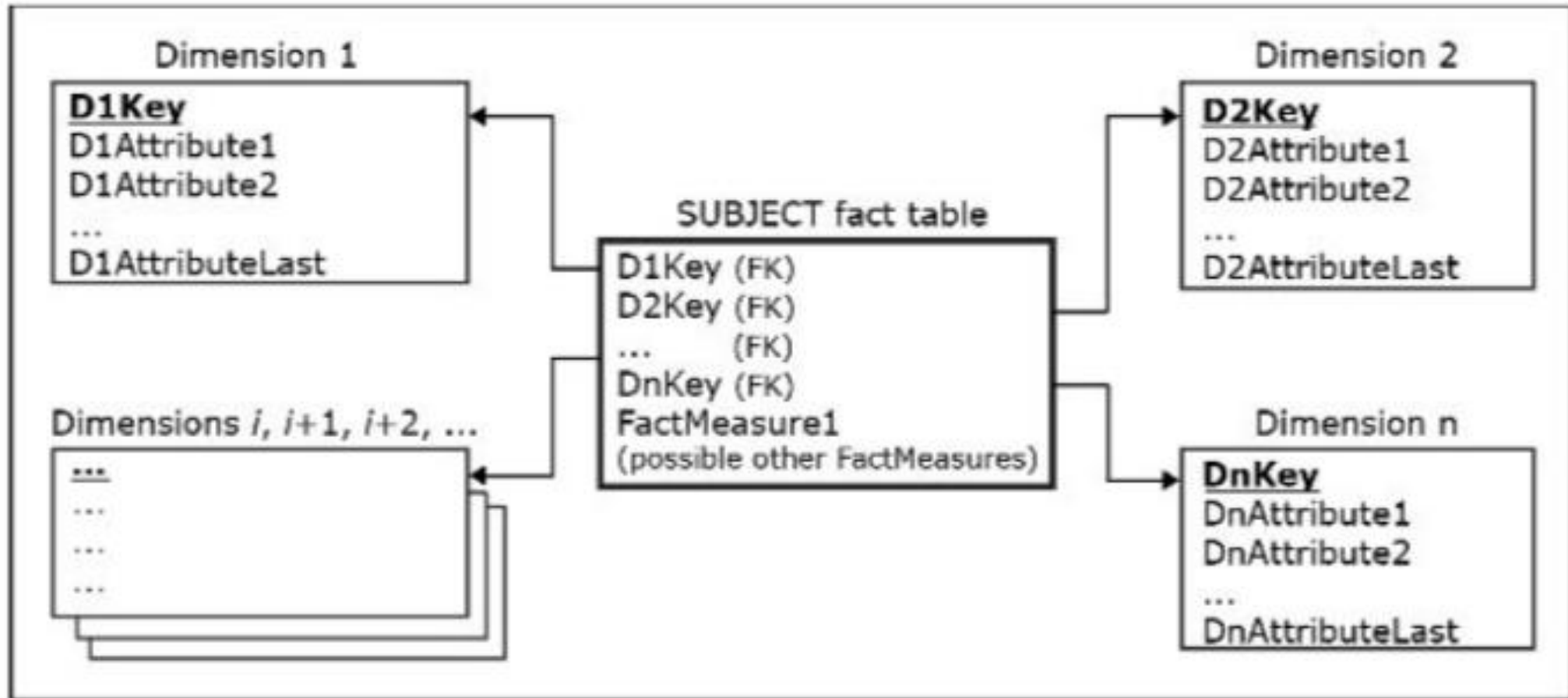
Modelling of Analytical Databases

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 - Consists of two types of tables connected in different structures
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Analysis Data Models Schema Types

- Star Schema
 - One fact table for subject of analysis. i.e. Sales
 - Multiple Dimension table according to required analysis
- Snowflake Schema
 - One fact table like Star Schema
 - Normalized (Redundancy removed) expanded dimension table(s)
- Fact Constellation Schema
 - Multiple Fact tables to support analysis of multiple subjects
 - Dimensions are re-used

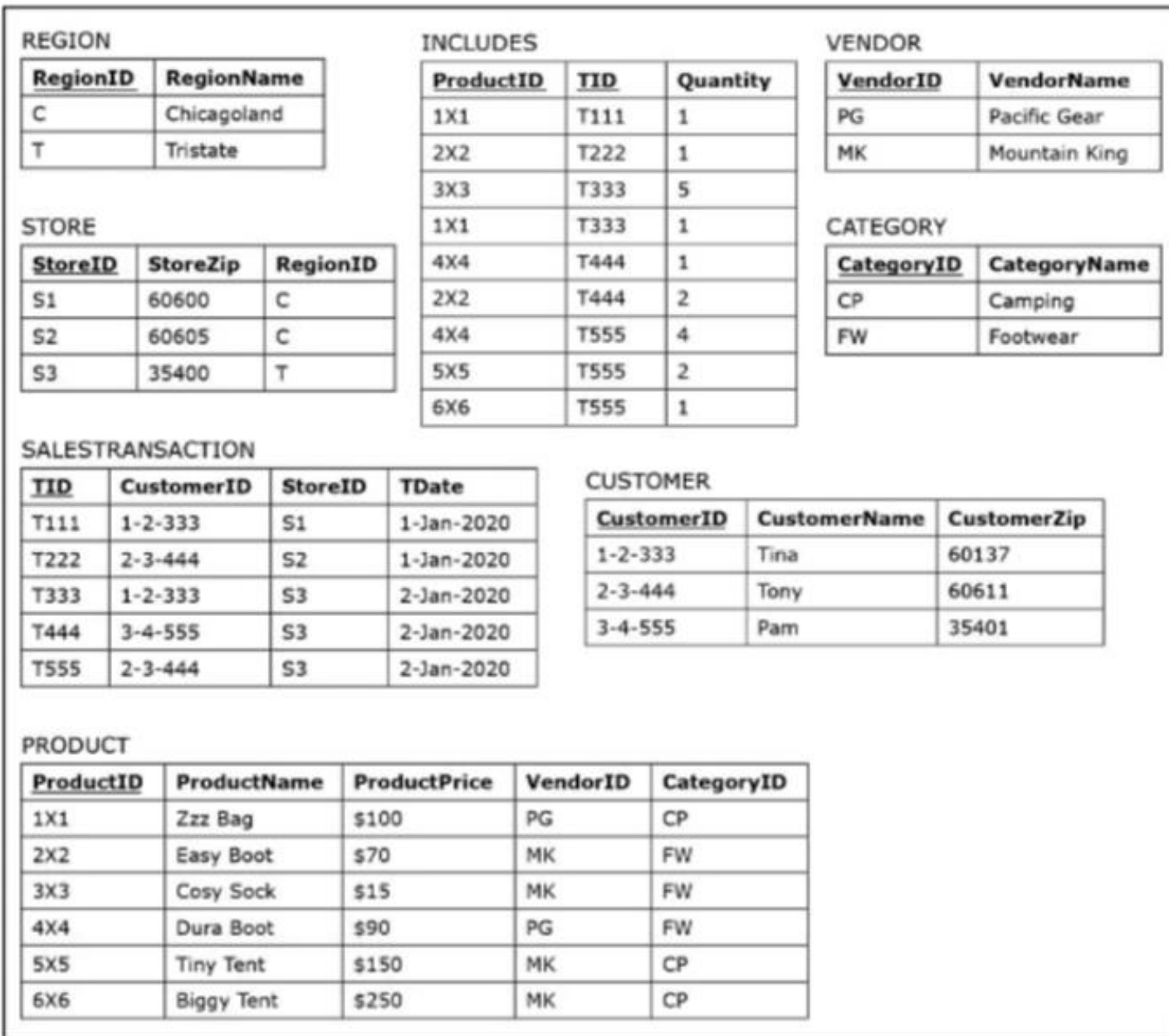


Figure 8.3 Data records for the ZAGI Retail Company Sales Department Database shown in Figure 8.2

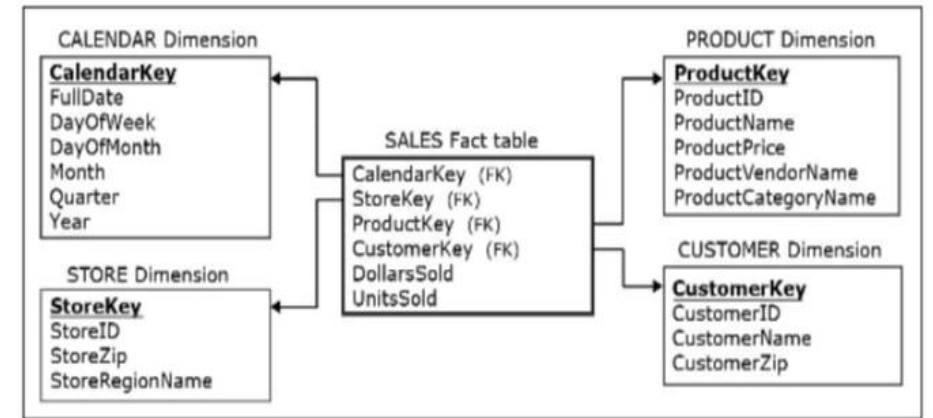


Figure 8.4 A dimensional model for an analytical database for the ZAGI Retail Company, whose subject of analysis is sales

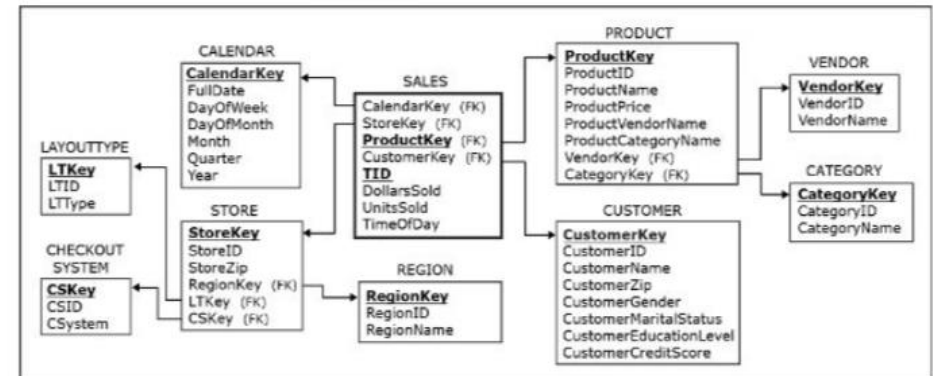


Figure 8.19 An expanded dimensional model with two subjects

REGION	
RegionID	RegionName
C	Chicagoland
T	Tristate

INCLUDES		
ProductID	TID	Quantity
1X1	T111	1
2X2	T222	1
3X3	T333	5
1X1	T333	1
4X4	T444	1
2X2	T444	2
4X4	T555	4
5X5	T555	2
6X6	T555	1

VENDOR	
VendorID	VendorName
PG	Pacific Gear
MK	Mountain King

STORE		
StoreID	StoreZip	RegionID
S1	60600	C
S2	60605	C
S3	35400	T

CATEGORY	
CategoryID	CategoryName
CP	Camping
FW	Footwear

SALESTRANSACTION			
TID	CustomerID	StoreID	TDate
T111	1-2-333	S1	1-Jan-2020
T222	2-3-444	S2	1-Jan-2020
T333	1-2-333	S3	2-Jan-2020
T444	3-4-555	S3	2-Jan-2020
T555	2-3-444	S3	2-Jan-2020

CUSTOMER		
CustomerID	CustomerName	CustomerZip
1-2-333	Tina	60137
2-3-444	Tony	60611
3-4-555	Pam	35401

PRODUCT				
ProductID	ProductName	ProductPrice	VendorID	CategoryID
1X1	Zzz Bag	\$100	PG	CP
2X2	Easy Boot	\$70	MK	FW
3X3	Cosy Sock	\$15	MK	FW
4X4	Dura Boot	\$90	PG	FW
5X5	Tiny Tent	\$150	MK	CP
6X6	Biggy Tent	\$250	MK	CP

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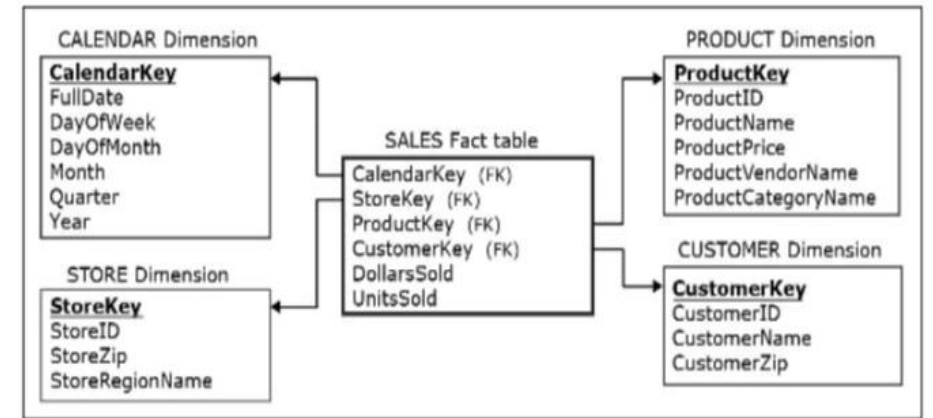


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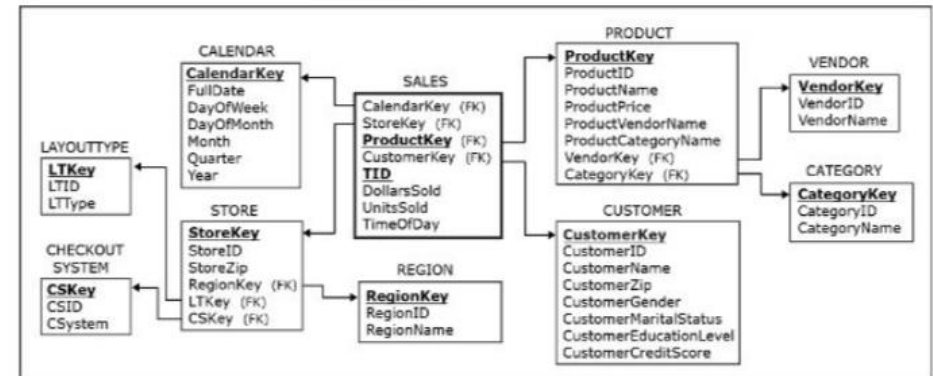


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SQL QUERIES

Basic Query Structure

- A typical SQL query has the form:

select A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n

from r_1, r_2, \dots, r_m

where P

- A_i represents an attribute
 - R_i represents a relation
 - P is a predicate.
- The result of an SQL query is a relation.

SELECT Clause

- The **select** clause lists the attributes desired in the result of a query
 - corresponds to the projection operation of the relational algebra
- Example: find the names of all instructors:

select *name*

from *instructor*

- NOTE: SQL names are case insensitive (i.e., you may use upper- or lower-case letters.)
 - E.g., *Name* \equiv *NAME* \equiv *name*
 - Some people use upper case wherever we use bold font.

SELECT Clause – Duplicate elimination

- SQL allows duplicates in relations as well as in query results.
- To force the elimination of duplicates, insert the keyword **distinct** after select.
- Find the department names of all instructors, and remove duplicates

```
select distinct dept_name from instructor
```

SELECT Clause – literal output

- An asterisk in the select clause denotes “all attributes”

```
select *
```

```
from instructor
```

- An attribute can be a literal with no **from** clause

```
select '437'
```

- Results is a table with one column and a single row with value “437”
- Can give the column a name using: **select '437' as FOO**
- An attribute can be a literal with **from** clause

```
select 'A'
```

```
from instructor
```

- Result is a table with one column and N rows (number of tuples in the *instructors* table), each row with value “A”

SELECT Clause – Embedded Arithmetic Operations

- The **select** clause can contain arithmetic expressions involving the operation, +, −, *, and /, and operating on constants or attributes of tuples.

- The query:

```
select ID, name, salary/12
```

```
from instructor
```

would return a relation that is the same as the *instructor* relation, except that the value of the attribute *salary* is divided by 12.

- Can rename “*salary/12*” using the **as** clause:

```
select ID, name, salary/12 as monthly_salary
```

WHERE Clause

- The **where** clause specifies conditions that the result must satisfy
 - Corresponds to the selection predicate of the relational algebra.
- To find all instructors in Comp. Sci. dept

```
select name
```

```
from instructor
```

```
where dept_name = 'Comp. Sci.'
```

- Comparison results can be combined using the logical connectives **and**, **or**, and **not**
 - To find all instructors in Comp. Sci. dept with salary > 80000

```
select name. from instructor where dept_name = 'Comp. Sci.' and salary > 80000
```

FROM Clause

- The **from** clause lists the relations involved in the query
 - Corresponds to the Cartesian product operation of the relational algebra.
- Find the Cartesian product *instructor X teaches*

select *

from instructor, teaches

- generates every possible instructor – teaches pair, with all attributes from both relations.
- For common attributes (e.g., *ID*), the attributes in the resulting table are renamed using the relation name (e.g., *instructor.ID*)
- Cartesian product not very useful directly, but useful combined with where-clause condition (selection operation in relational algebra).

Cartesian Product

instructor

<i>ID</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>dept_name</i>	<i>salary</i>
10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000
12121	Wu	Finance	90000
15151	Mozart	Music	40000
22222	Einstein	Physics	95000
32343	El Said	History	60000

teaches

<i>ID</i>	<i>course_id</i>	<i>sec_id</i>	<i>semester</i>	<i>year</i>
10101	CS-101	1	Fall	2009
10101	CS-315	1	Spring	2010
10101	CS-347	1	Fall	2009
12121	FIN-201	1	Spring	2010
15151	MU-199	1	Spring	2010
22222	PHY-101	1	Fall	2009

<i>Inst.ID</i>	<i>name</i>	<i>dept_name</i>	<i>salary</i>	<i>teaches.ID</i>	<i>course_id</i>	<i>sec_id</i>	<i>semester</i>	<i>year</i>
10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000	10101	CS-101	1	Fall	2009
10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000	10101	CS-315	1	Spring	2010
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10101	Srinivasan	Comp. Sci.	65000	22222	PHY-101	1	Fall	2009
...
...
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	10101	CS-101	1	Fall	2009
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	10101	CS-315	1	Spring	2010
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	10101	CS-347	1	Fall	2009
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	12121	FIN-201	1	Spring	2010
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	15151	MU-199	1	Spring	2010
12121	Wu	Finance	90000	22222	PHY-101	1	Fall	2009
...
...

Examples

- Find the names of all instructors who have taught some course and the course_id

```
select name, course_id
```

```
from instructor , teaches
```

```
where instructor.ID = teaches.ID
```

- Find the names of all instructors in the Art department who have taught some course and the course_id

```
select name, course_id
```

```
from instructor , teaches
```

```
where instructor.ID = teaches.ID and instructor. dept_name = 'Art'
```

String Operations

- SQL includes a string-matching operator for comparisons on character strings. The operator **like** uses patterns that are described using two special characters:
 - percent (%). The % character matches any substring.
 - underscore (_). The _ character matches any character.
- Find the names of all instructors whose name includes the substring “dar”.
- ```
select name
from instructor
where name like '%dar%'
```

# String Operations

- Patterns are case sensitive.
- Pattern matching examples:
  - 'Intro%' matches any string beginning with "Intro".
  - '%Comp%' matches any string containing "Comp" as a substring.
  - '\_\_\_' matches any string of exactly three characters.
  - '\_\_\_%' matches any string of at least three characters.
- SQL supports a variety of string operations such as
  - concatenation (using "||")
  - converting from upper to lower case (and vice versa)
  - finding string length, extracting substrings, etc.

# Ordering the Tuples

- List in alphabetic order the names of all instructors

```
select distinct name
```

```
from instructor
```

```
order by name
```

- We may specify **desc** for descending order or **asc** for ascending order, for each attribute; ascending order is the default.
  - Example: **order by** *name* **desc**
- Can sort on multiple attributes
  - Example: **order by** *dept\_name, name*

# WHERE Clause predicates

- SQL includes a **between** comparison operator
- Example: Find the names of all instructors with salary between \$90,000 and \$100,000 (that is,  $\geq$  \$90,000 and  $\leq$  \$100,000)

**select** *name*

**from** *instructor*

**where** *salary* **between** 90000 **and** 100000

# SET Operations

- Find courses that ran in Fall 2009 or in Spring 2010
  - **(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Fall' and *year* = 2009)**  
**union**  
**(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Spring' and *year* = 2010)**
- Find courses that ran in Fall 2009 and in Spring 2010
  - **(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Fall' and *year* = 2009)**  
**intersect**  
**(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Spring' and *year* = 2010)**
- Find courses that ran in Fall 2009 but not in Spring 2010
  - **(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Fall' and *year* = 2009)**  
**except**  
**(select *course\_id* from *section* where *sem* = 'Spring' and *year* = 2010)**

# NULL Values

- It is possible for tuples to have a null value, denoted by *null*, for some of their attributes
- *null* signifies an unknown value or that a value does not exist.
- The result of any arithmetic expression involving *null* is *null*

Example:  $5 + \text{null}$  returns null

- The predicate **is null** can be used to check for null values.

Example: Find all instructors whose salary is null

```
select name

from instructor

where salary is null
```

# AGGREGATE Functions

- These functions operate on the multiset of values of a column of a relation, and return a value
- - avg:** average value
  - min:** minimum value
  - max:** maximum value
  - sum:** sum of values
  - count:** number of values

# AGGREGATE Functions

- Find the average salary of instructors in the Computer Science department
  - **select avg** (*salary*)  
**from** *instructor*  
**where** *dept\_name*= 'Comp. Sci.';
- Find the total number of instructors who teach a course in the Spring 2010 semester
  - **select count (distinct ID)**  
**from** *teaches*  
**where** *semester* = 'Spring' **and** *year* = 2010;
- Find the number of tuples in the *course* relation
  - **select count (\*)**  
**from** *course*;

# AGGREGATE Functions – Group BY

- Find the average salary of instructors in each department
- Attributes in **select** clause outside of aggregate functions must appear in **group by** list

```
select dept_name,
avg (salary) as avg_salary
from instructor
group by dept_name;
```

| <i>ID</i> | <i>name</i> | <i>dept_name</i> | <i>salary</i> |
|-----------|-------------|------------------|---------------|
| 76766     | Crick       | Biology          | 72000         |
| 45565     | Katz        | Comp. Sci.       | 75000         |
| 10101     | Srinivasan  | Comp. Sci.       | 65000         |
| 83821     | Brandt      | Comp. Sci.       | 92000         |
| 98345     | Kim         | Elec. Eng.       | 80000         |
| 12121     | Wu          | Finance          | 90000         |
| 76543     | Singh       | Finance          | 80000         |
| 32343     | El Said     | History          | 60000         |
| 58583     | Califieri   | History          | 62000         |
| 15151     | Mozart      | Music            | 40000         |
| 33456     | Gold        | Physics          | 87000         |
| 22222     | Einstein    | Physics          | 95000         |

| <i>dept_name</i> | <i>salary</i> |
|------------------|---------------|
| Biology          | 72000         |
| Comp. Sci.       | 77333         |
| Elec. Eng.       | 80000         |
| Finance          | 85000         |
| History          | 61000         |
| Music            | 40000         |
| Physics          | 91000         |

# AGGREGATE Functions – Having Clause

- Find the names and average salaries of all departments whose average salary is greater than 42000

```
select dept_name, avg (salary)
from instructor
group by dept_name
having avg (salary) > 42000;
```

- **Note:** predicates in the **having** clause are applied after the formation of groups whereas predicates in the **where** clause are applied before forming groups

# AGGREGATE and NULL Values

- Total all salaries

```
select sum (salary)
```

```
from instructor
```

- Above statement ignores null amounts
  - Result is *null* if there is no non-null amount
- 
- All aggregate operations except **count(\*)** ignore tuples with null values on the aggregated attributes
  - What if collection has only null values?
    - count returns 0
    - all other aggregates return null

# SET Membership and Sub Queries

- Find courses offered in Fall 2009 and in Spring 2010

```
select distinct course_id
from section
where semester = 'Fall' and year= 2009 and
 course_id in (select course_id
 from section
 where semester = 'Spring' and year= 2010);
```

- Find courses offered in Fall 2009 but not in Spring 2010

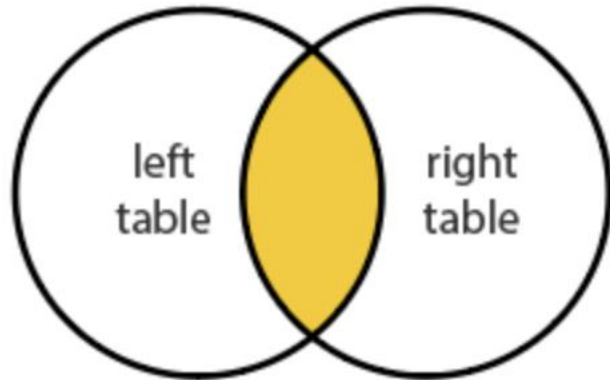
```
select distinct course_id
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# TYPES OF JOINS

# JOIN in Relational Databases

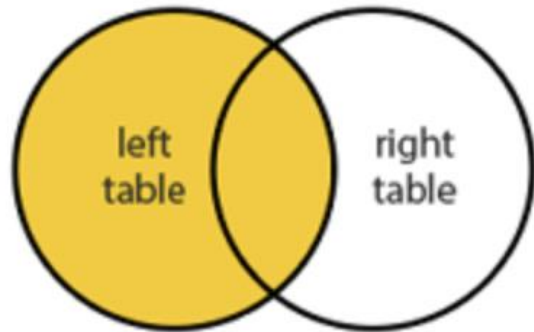
- A SQL JOIN combines records from two Tables
- A JOIN is used to locate related records from tables
- A query may contain zero, one or multiple JOIN operations
- There are following commonly used types of Joins
  - INNER JOIN
  - LEFT JOIN
  - RIGHT JOIN

# INNER JOIN



- SELECTS records with the matching values in both tables
  - **Example:**  
**select \* from *student* join *takes* on *student.ID* = *takes.ID*;**  
or  
**Select \* from *student*, *takes* where *student.ID* = *takes.ID*;**

# LEFT (OUTER) JOIN

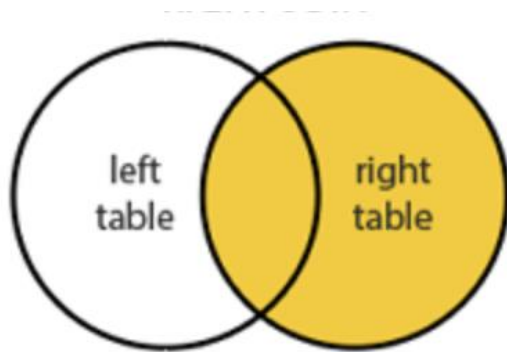


- The **left outer join** preserves tuples only in the relation named before (to the left of) the **left outer join** operation

**Example:** Get a list of student who did not take a course

```
select *
from student s left join takes t
on s.id=t.id where t.id is null;
```

# LEFT (OUTER) JOIN



- The **right outer join** is symmetric to the **left outer join**
- Tuples from the right-hand-side relation that do not match any tuple in the left-hand-side relation are padded with nulls
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Where s.ID is null
```

# VIEWS

# Views

- In some cases, it is not desirable for all users to see the entire logical model (that is, all the actual relations stored in the database.)
- Consider a person who needs to know an instructor's name and department, but not the salary. This person should see a relation described, in SQL, by

```
select ID, name, dept_name
from instructor
```

- A **view** provides a mechanism to hide certain data from the view of certain users.
- Any relation that is not of the conceptual model but is made visible to a user as a “virtual relation” is called a **view**.
- Views are widely used to provide access for Visual Dashboards.

# Views

- A view is defined using the **create view** statement which has the form  
**create view** *v* **as** < query expression >
  - where <query expression> is any legal SQL expression. The view name is represented by *v*.
- Once a view is defined, the view name can be used to refer to the virtual relation that the view generates.
- View definition is not the same as creating a new relation by evaluating the query expression
  - Rather, a view definition causes the saving of an expression; the expression is substituted into queries using the view.
- A view in some cases and under some conditions be used for updates however Views should best be used for data fetch and Reporting Only and not for insertion or update

# Views

- A view of instructors without their salary

```
create view faculty as
 select ID, name, dept_name
 from instructor
```

- Find all instructors in the Biology department

```
select name
from faculty
where dept_name = 'Biology'
```

- Create a view of department salary totals

```
create view departments_total_salary(dept_name, total_salary) as
 select dept_name, sum (salary)
 from instructor
 group by dept_name;
```

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