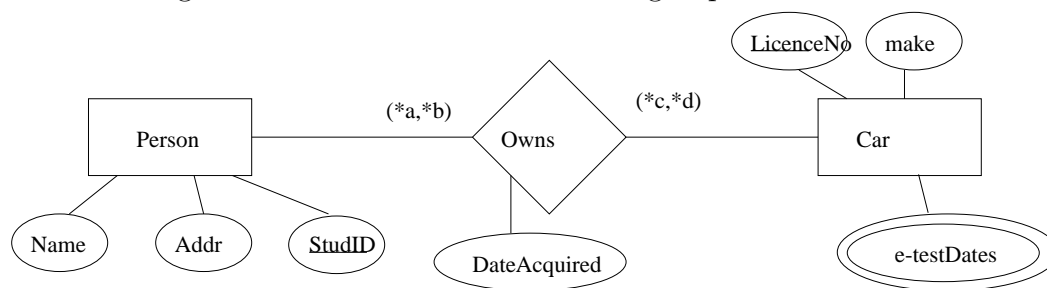


1. (14 marks) For each of the following, circle the ONE, BEST answer.

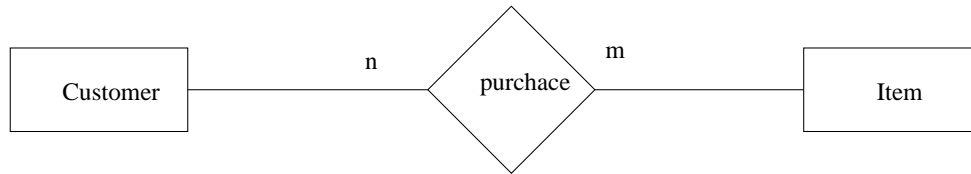
- (a) Which of the following can be part of the database state?
i) ER-diagram
==> ii) table
iii) index
iv) disc
- (b) Which of the following can be part of the internal schema?
i) ER-diagram
ii) table
==> iii) index
iv) disc
- (c) Physical Data Independence refers to:
i) the ability to add more database packages to the system without affecting applications
ii) the ability to add more data models to the database package without affecting applications
iii) the ability to add more tables to the database without affecting applications
==> iv) the ability to add more indexes without affecting applications
v) the ability to add more discs to the computer without affecting applications
- (d) In the relational model, another word for relation is:
==> i) table
ii) row
iii) column
iv) extent
v) both a and d
- (e) In the relational model, another word for attribute is
i) table
ii) row
==> iii) column
iv) extent
v) none of the above
- (f) Concerning a B⁺-tree, which of the following is **false**?
i) it can be used to look up a record based on its key value
ii) it can be used to build an index for a unique attribute
iii) it can be used to build an index for a non-unique attribute
==> iv) it can be used to cluster records based on some hash value
v) its structure tends to yield short, wide trees

This ER-diagram is to be used for the following 4 questions.



- (g) “e-test dates” in this ER diagram is an example of:
- an entity
 - a relationship
 - a simple attribute
 - a compound attribute
 - ==> v) a multi-valued attribute
- (h) The correct substitution for $(*a,*b)$ in the above ER Diagram is:
- (0, 1)
 - (1, 0)
 - (1, 1)
 - (1, n)
 - ==> v) (0, n)
- (i) The correct substitution for $(*c,*d)$ in the above ER Diagram is:
- (0, 1)
 - (1, 0)
 - ==> iii) (1, 1)
 - (1, n)
 - v) (0, n)
- (j) The insurance company wants to record who regularly drives each car. This information should be added to the ER Diagram as:
- another attribute of Person
 - another attribute of Car
 - another attribute of Owns
 - another entity for Driver
 - ==> v) another relationship between Person and Car
- (k) A foreign key in relation R
- uniquely identifies all the tuples in relation R
 - refers to the primary key of relation R
 - ==> iii) uniquely identifies all the tuples in some other relation S
 - iv) refers to the primary key of some other relation S

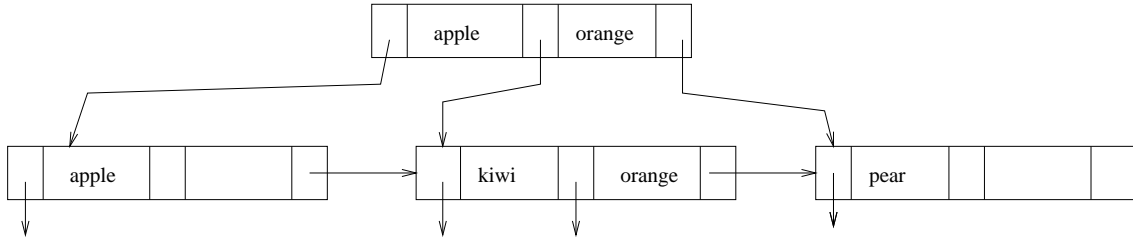
- (l) Consider the following ER diagram.



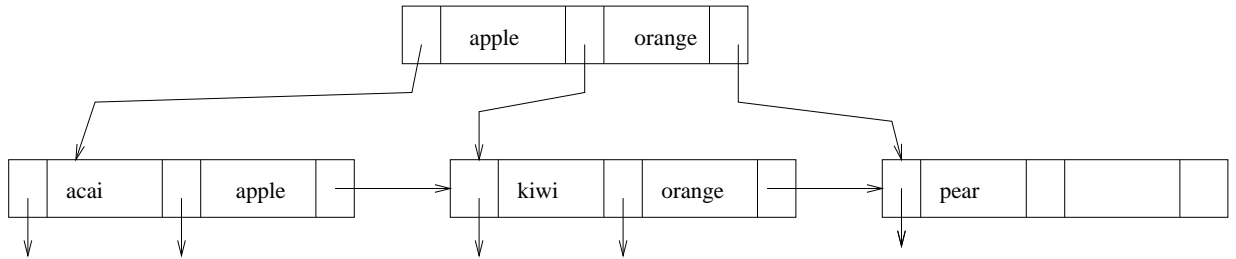
If we wish to add an attribute Date to this ER diagram, where should it go?

- i) as an attribute of Student
 - ii) as an attribute of Desk
 - ==> iii) as an attribute of assign
- (m) Suppose we have data records which are 128 bytes each, disc pointers are 4 bytes each and disc blocks (pages) are 512 bytes each. When using hashing on discs, buckets are filled with records and then linked to overflow locations. How many records can fit in each bucket for a hash table?
- i) 2
 - ==> ii) 3
 - iii) 4
 - iv) 5
 - v) none of the above
- (n) Suppose our records for a B⁺-tree are 128 bytes each, the pointers are 4 bytes each and the keys are 4 bytes each. The disc blocs (pages) are 512 bytes. How may KEYS will fit on each internal page of this B⁺-tree?
- ==> i) 63
 - ii) 64
 - iii) 65
 - iv) 3
 - v) 4
 - vi) none of the above

2. (7 marks) Consider the following B⁺-Tree:



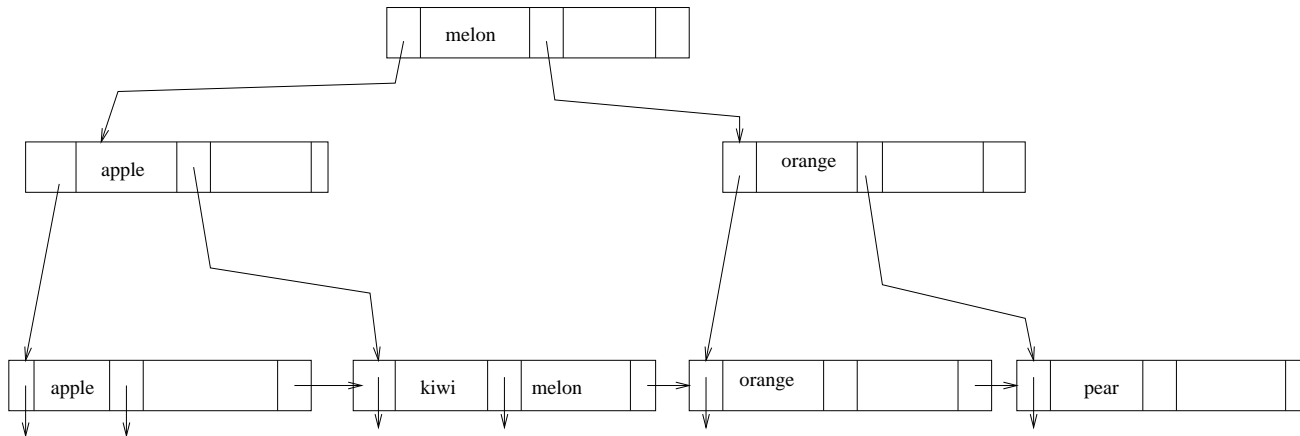
(a) Show the tree that results after inserting “acai”.



1 mark for leaf being changed, including the new down arrow

1 mark for leaving the rest of the tree unchanged.

(b) Show the tree after inserting “melon” in the **original** tree above.



1 mark for new root node, 2 for correctly splitting the old root, 2 for correctly splitting the original leaf, and putting in all the down and horizontal arrows.

3. Consider the following relations:

R	A	B	C	D	E
	a	z	1	m	1
	b	x	1	m	6
	a	y	2	p	5
	b	z	2	p	6
	a	y	3	n	3

S	E	G	H
	6	1	a
	5	3	b
	2	5	c

T	H	I	J
	a	x	2
	a	z	2
	d	w	4

Show the relation (actual data) resulting from each of the following relational algebra queries:

(a) (4 marks) Result $\leftarrow \sigma_{C=2 \text{ or } B="z"}(R \bowtie S)$

A	B	C	D	E	G	H
a	y	2	p	5	3	b
b	z	2	p	6	1	a

1 mark for right attributes, 3 for right data

(b) (4 marks) Result $\leftarrow \pi_{E,G,I,J}(S \bowtie T)$

E	G	I	J
6	1	x	2
5	3	-	-
2	5	-	-
-	-	w	4

1 mark for right attributes, 3 for right data

(c) (6 marks) Show Temp1, Temp2 and Answer: Temp1 $\leftarrow \pi_C(\sigma_{E=6}(R))$; Temp2 $\leftarrow \pi_{B,C}(R)$; Answer $\leftarrow \text{Temp2} \div \text{Temp1}$

Temp1	C
	2
	2

Temp1	B	C
	z	1
	x	1
	y	2
	z	2
	y	3

Temp2 \div Temp1	B
	z

2 marks for each table above

4. Consider the following relations:

Customer(Name, Address, Age, Occupation)

Item(ManuName, ItemName, Price)

Likes(Name, ManuName, ItemName, Rank)

- (a) (6 marks) Give a **relational algebra query** to find, for all items made by Sony, the names of all customers who like something whose price is greater than 1000. Put the customer name and the item name in the answer.

$$\pi_{name, ItemName} \left(\sigma_{Price > 1000 \text{ and } ManuName = 'Sony'} (Likes \bowtie Item) \right)$$

2 marks for the join

2 marks for the select

2 marks for the answer having the correct attributes

- (b) (6 marks) Give a **relational algebra query** to find all manufacturer, item name combinations which are not liked by anyone.

$$\pi_{ManuName, ItemName}(Item) - \pi_{ManuName, ItemName}(Likes)$$

2 marks for getting 2 columns from Item

2 marks for getting 2 columns from Likes

2 marks for subtraction

- (c) (6 marks) Give a relational **algebra query** to find all customer names such that the customer likes ALL the items liked by "George".

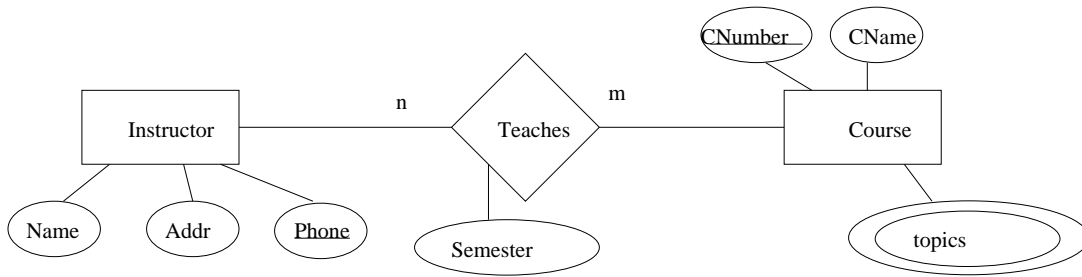
$$\pi_{Name, ManuName, ItemName}(Likes) \div \pi_{ManuName, ItemName}(Likes)$$

2 marks for getting 3 attributes from Likes

2 marks for selecting George and projecting onto the two attributes

2 marks for the division

5. (10 marks) Give relation definitions for the following ER diagram. Underline primary keys and indicate foreign keys with a double underline.



Course(CNumber, CName)

Instructor(Name, Addr, Phone)

Teaches(Cnumber Phone, Semester) or Teaches(Cnumber Phone, Semester)

Topics(CNumber, topic)

4 for the 4 tables (1 ea)

4 for the keys (1 ea)

2 for foreign keys