CSE 414 Final Examination

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- This exam is CLOSED book and CLOSED devices.
- You are allowed TWO, HAND-WRITTEN letter-size sheets with notes (both sides).
- You have 110 minutes;
- Answer the easy questions before you spend too much time on the more difficult ones.
- Good luck!
1 Relational Data Model

1. (25 points)

A marine biologist collects samples of micro-organisms from the ocean. She stores her data in a relational database with the following schema:

\[\text{Sample}(\text{sid}, \text{lat}, \text{long}, \text{depth}, \text{technician})\]
\[\text{Analysis}(\text{sid}, \text{oid})\]
\[\text{Organism}(\text{oid}, \text{name})\]

- **Sample** represents a small amount of water taken from the ocean. The data records the latitude, longitude, and depth where the sample was taken (real numbers), and the name of the technician (of type text) who collected and analyzed the sample.

- Each sample is analyzed for organisms. **Analysis** lists all organisms found in that sample. \text{sid} and \text{oid} are foreign keys to **Sample** and **Organism** respectively (integers).

- **Organism** is a collection of names of organisms (e.g. marine microbes). The name is a text.

- \text{sid}, \text{oid} are integers.

(a) (5 points) Technicians are rewarded by the total number of organisms that they identify in all samples. Write a SQL query that computes, for each technician, the total number of organisms that they found in all samples. (If Alice finds, say, Trichodesmium, in two different samples, then you count this as 2.) Your query should return the technician’s name, the total number of organisms they identified, ordered decreasingly by this number.

**Write your answer below:**
(b) (5 points) The biologists is particularly interested in the geographical area with latitude from 20.5 to 22.3 and longitude from $-158.3$ to $-156.7$. (Yes, this is close to Hawaii!) Write a SQL query that returns the oids and names all organisms that were found in more than 100 samples from this area.

Write your answer below:
(c) (15 points) A deep-see organism is one that lives only below a depth of 1000m. Write a SQL query that returns the names of all organisms that were found only at a depth greater than 1000m. (The depth is an integer and is represented in meters.)

Write your answer below:
2. (15 points)

The raw data that biologist used to populate her database came in JSON format directly from the ship where the samples were collected and analyzed. It had the following structure:

```
{"samples": [
  { "sid": "s001",
    "lat": "21.2",
    "long": "-157.9",
    "depth": "300",
    "analysis":
      { "technician": "Alice",
        "organisms": [ {"oid": "o252", "name": "Trichodesmium"},
                        {"oid": "o301", "name": "Crocosphaera"},
                        ...
                      ]
      }
  },
  { "sid": "s002",
    "lat": "25.0",
    "long": "-150.0",
    "depth": "400",
    "analysis":
      { "technician": "Bob",
        "organisms": [ {"oid": "o301", "name": "Crocosphaera"},
                        {"oid": "o999", "name": "Prochlorococcus"},
                        {"oid": "o777", "name": "Synechococcus"},
                        ...
                      ]
      }
  },
  ...
]
```
Write tree SQL++ queries to convert the JSON data above into the relational schema.

(a) (5 points) Write the SQL++ query to construct the Sample table. Your query should return an output like:

```
[ { "sid": "s001", "lat": "21.2", "long": "-157.9", "depth": "300", "technician": "Alice"},
  { "sid": "s002", "lat": "25.0", "long": "-150.0", "depth": "400", "technician": "Bob" },
  ...
]
```

(b) (5 points) Write the SQL++ query to construct the Analysis table. Your query should return an output like this:

```
[ { "sid": "s001", "oid": "o252"},
  { "sid": "s001", "oid": "o301"},
  ...
  { "sid": "s002", "oid": "o301"},
  ...
]
```

(c) (5 points) Write the SQL query to construct the Organisms table. Your query should return an output like this:

```
[ { "oid": "o252", "name": "Trichodesmium"},
  { "oid": "o301", "name": "Crocosphaera"},
  { "oid": "o999", "name": "Prochlorococcus"},
  ...
]
```
3  Datalog

3. (20 points)

At Gotham University\(^1\) each course has two prerequisites: for some courses both prerequisites are required, for other courses only one of the two prerequisites is required. The only exceptions are introductory courses, which don’t have prerequisites. Students can only take one course every quarter.

The schema is:

Course(cid, name, noQuarters)
NoPrereq(cid)
PrereqOneOfTwo(cid, cid1, cid2)
PrereqTwoOfTwo(cid, cid1, cid2)

(a) (5 points) The university requires that every course appear under either NoPrereq or under PrereqOneOfTwo or under PrereqTwoOfTwo. Write a datalog program that checks this constraint. Your program should return the cid's and name's of courses that do not occur in NoPrereq or PrereqOneOfTwo or PrereqTwoOfTwo. Write your answer below:

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\(^1\)The *Wise Men of Gotham* are supposed to have feigned idiocy to avoid a Royal visit by King John. Gotham is also a fictional city in the comics of Batman.
(b) (15 points) Write a datalog program that computes, for each course, the smallest number of quarters need for a student to take sufficient prerequisites for that course, and the course itself. Your query should return pairs oid, number-of-quarters. For example, if the database is the following:

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<th>cid</th>
<th>name</th>
<th>noQuarters</th>
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<td>3</td>
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<tr>
<td>Java102</td>
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<td>2</td>
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<td>DB414</td>
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<td>3</td>
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<td>ML446</td>
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then your answer should be:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>cid</th>
<th>c</th>
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<tr>
<td>Math101</td>
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<td>DB414</td>
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**Hint** if you were to compute the number of quarters that a student needs to take “Math101” and “Java102”, which don’t have any prerequisites, you could write:

\[
Q(c1+c2) :- \text{Course("Math101", -, c1), Course("Java102", -, c2)}
\]

**Write your answer below:**
4 Query Execution and Optimization

4. (40 points)
   (a) (10 points) Write a logical plan for the following query

   ```
   with DepthCnt as 
   (select x.depth, y.oid, count(*) as cnt
    from Sample x, Analysis y
    where x.sid = y.sid
    group by x.depth, y.oid)
   select v.oid, v.name, max(u.cnt) as d
   from DepthCnt u, Organism v
   where u.oid = v.oid
   group by v.oid, v.name;
   ```

   You should turn in a relational algebra tree. 
   Write your answer below:
(b) Indicate which of the optimization rules below are correct. All joins are natural joins:

i. (2 points)

Correct? [Yes/no]:

ii. (2 points)

Correct? [Yes/no]:

i. ____________

ii. ____________
iii. (2 points)

Correct? [Yes/no]:

iv. (2 points)

Correct? [Yes/no]:

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v. (2 points)

Correct? [Yes/no]:

v. _________
(c) (10 points) Assume the following statistics on the database:

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<td>Sample</td>
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<tr>
<td>Analysis</td>
<td>20,000,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Organism</td>
<td>60,000</td>
</tr>
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<td>Sample, technician</td>
<td>100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Analysis, sid</td>
<td>10,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Organism, name</td>
<td>15,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Analysis, oid</td>
<td>45,000</td>
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Estimate the size of the answer to the following SQL query. You should make the usual uniformity, independence, and preservation of values assumption that we used in class:

```sql
select *
from Sample x, Analysis y, Organism z
where x.sid = y.sid and y.oid = z.oid
    and x.technician = 'Alice'
    and z.name = 'Synechococcus';
```
(d) The depths of the samples are highly skewed: for each additional 100m, the number of samples is reduced by half. (That is, half of the samples have depth < 100m; half of the rest have depth < 200m; half of the rest have depth < 300m, etc.). There is an unclustered, B+ index on Sample.depth. Indicate the optimal physical plan that the optimizer should choose for each of the two queries below. Choose between Table-scan and on-the-fly selection, or Index selection.

i. (5 points)  

Q1: select * from Sample where depth < 100;

i. ____________

Table scan or index selection?

ii. (5 points)

Q1: select * from Sample where depth > 8000;

ii. ____________

Table scan or index selection?
5 Parallel Query Processing

5. (20 points)
Consider the same relational database, and the same statistics:

\[ T(\text{Sample}) = 100,000 \quad T(\text{Analysis}) = 20,000,000 \]

We are storing and processing the data on \( P = 100 \) servers. The data is initially block partitioned, and we compute the following query:

\[
\text{select *}
\text{from Sample x, Analysis y}
\text{where x.sid = y.sid;}
\]

The query is computed distributively, on the 100 servers. You will be asked to estimate the number of answer tuples returned by each server. You only need to estimate the number of tuples in the final answer, not in any intermediate results. In case this estimate differs among servers, indicate the maximum number.

(a) **Plan 1:** \text{Sample} is broadcast to all 100 servers, then each server joins it with its local fragment of \text{Analysis}.
   i. (5 points) Estimate the number of tuples/server assuming the data is uniform.
   ii. (5 points) Estimate the number of tuples/server assuming the data is skewed.

(b) **Plan 2:** \text{Sample} and \text{Analysis} are hash-partitioned on the \text{sid} attribute on the 100 servers, then each server joins its local fragments.
   i. (5 points) Estimate the number of tuples/server assuming the data is uniform.
   ii. (5 points) Estimate the number of tuples/server assuming the data is skewed.
6 Conceptual Design

6. (40 points)

(a) (10 points) A large software company maintains a database of all its programmers. Some programmers are database administrators, and they have to report to some other programmer. The E/R diagram is given below. Write the CREATE TABLE statements for this E/R diagram, where name and rdbms are of type text, and pid is of type int. You answer should include keys and foreign keys where necessary.

Write your answer below:
(b) (10 points) Consider a relation $R(A, B, C, D, E)$ satisfying the following FD’s:

$$A \rightarrow B$$
$$C \rightarrow B$$
$$BD \rightarrow E$$

Decompose $R$ into BCNF. In your final answer indicate the key of each relation.
(c) Consider a relation \( R(A, B, C, D, E, F, G) \) where \( A \) is a key. We create a new table \( S \) by running this query:

\[
S: \text{select * from } R \text{ where } (B = C + 2) \text{ and } (D + E = F) \text{ and } (G = 7);
\]

Indicate which of the following FDs are guaranteed to hold on \( S \):

i. (2 points) \( B \rightarrow C \)
   Yes or no?

ii. (2 points) \( C \rightarrow B \)
   Yes or no?

iii. (2 points) \( D \rightarrow F \)
   Yes or no?

iv. (2 points) \( F \rightarrow D \)
   Yes or no?

v. (2 points) \( DE \rightarrow F \)
   Yes or no?

vi. (2 points) \( F \rightarrow DE \)
   Yes or no?

vii. (2 points) \( F \rightarrow G \)
   Yes or no?

viii. (2 points) \( G \rightarrow F \)
   Yes or no?

ix. (2 points) \( CDE \rightarrow A \)
   Yes or no?

x. (2 points) \( A \rightarrow CDE \)
   Yes or no?
7 Transactions

7. (40 points)
   (a) For each schedule below indicate whether it is conflict serializable and, if it is, indicate the equivalent serial schedule. Show your work by drawing the precedence graph.
      i. (5 points)
         \[ R_2(A), R_4(C), W_2(B), W_1(D), W_3(A), R_4(D), R_1(B), W_3(C) \]

      ii. (5 points)
         \[ R_2(A), R_1(D), W_4(B), R_3(C), W_3(D), R_2(B), W_4(C), W_1(A) \]
(b) (10 points) Consider a database about the happiness status of Alice and Bob. Each morning Alice and Bob wake up happy or sad. Today their morning status is:

\[
\begin{array}{ll}
A = \text{happy} & B = \text{sad}
\end{array}
\]

Every day at noon we run these two transactions, at about the same time:

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{T1:} & \quad \text{START} \\
& \quad \text{READ}(A,x) - \text{read Alice} \\
& \quad \text{WRITE}(B,x) - \text{update Bob} \\
& \quad \text{COMMIT}
\end{align*}
\]

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{T2:} & \quad \text{START} \\
& \quad \text{READ}(B,y) \\
& \quad \text{if } y = \text{’sad’} \text{ then WRITE}(A, \text{’sad’}) \\
& \quad \text{COMMIT}
\end{align*}
\]

Indicate which of the following outcomes are possible if we run the transactions (1) under the REPEATABLE READ isolation level, or (2) under the READ UNCOMMITTED isolation level. Write yes or no in each entry below.

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<th>Bob</th>
<th>REPEATABLE READS Possible?</th>
<th>READ UNCOMMITTED Possible?</th>
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\[\text{This is the same as SERIALIZABLE on our static database.}\]
(c) For each of the following statements indicate whether it is true or false:

i. (2 points) In a static database, every serializable schedule is conflict serializable.

   True or false?

   i. ____________

ii. (2 points) In a dynamic database, every serializable schedule is conflict serializable.

   True or false?

   ii. ____________

iii. (2 points) In a static database, every conflict serializable schedule is serializable.

   True or false?

   iii. ____________

iv. (2 points) In a dynamic database, every conflict serializable schedule is serializable.

   True or false?

   iv. ____________

v. (2 points) The two-phase locking protocol guarantees conflict serializability.

   True or false?

   v. ____________
vi. (2 points) The strict two-phase locking protocol guarantees conflict serializability.

True or false?

vi. ____________

vii. (2 points) Deadlocks can occur under the READ UNCOMMITTED isolation level.

True or false?

vii. ____________

viii. (2 points) Deadlocks can occur under the REPEATABLE READ isolation level.

True or false?

viii. ____________

ix. (2 points) Two transactions can hold the same SHARED LOCK at the same time.

True or false?

ix. ____________

x. (2 points) Two transactions can hold the same EXCLUSIVE LOCK at the same time.

True or false?

x. ____________