#### Database Applications (15-415)

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# Today...

#### Last Session:

- DBMS Internals- Part VI
  - Algorithms for Relational Operations
- Today's Session:
  - DBMS Internals- Part VII
    - Algorithms for Relational Operations (Cont'd)







# **Relational Operations**

- We will consider how to implement:
  - Selection ( $\sigma$ )
  - Projection  $(\pi)$
  - *Join* (▷<)
  - Set-difference (—)
  - Union (∪)
  - Aggregation (SUM, MIN, etc.) and GROUP BY
- Since each operation returns a relation, ops can be *composed*!
- After we cover how to implement operations, we will discuss how to *optimize* queries (formed by composing operators)

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# Assumptions

• We assume the following two relations:

Sailors (*sid*: integer, *sname*: string, *rating*: integer, *age*: real)

Reserves (*sid*: integer, *bid*: integer, *day*: dates, *rname*: string)

- For Reserves, we assume:
  - Each tuple is 40 bytes long, 100 tuples per page, 1000 pages
- For Sailors, we assume:
  - Each tuple is 50 bytes long, 80 tuples per page, 500 pages
- Our cost metric is the number of I/Os
- We ignore the computational and output costs

# Outline



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# The Join Operation

• Consider the following query, Q, which implies a join:

SELECT \* FROM Reserves R, Sailors S WHERE R.sid = S.sid

- How can we evaluate Q?
  - Compute R × S
  - Select (and project) as required
- But, the result of a cross-product is typically much larger than the result of a join
- Hence, it is very important to implement joins without materializing the underlying cross-product



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- We assume *equality* joins with:
  - *R* represents Reserves and *S* represents Sailors
  - M pages in R, p<sub>R</sub> tuples per page, m tuples total
  - N pages in S, p<sub>s</sub> tuples per page, n tuples total
- We will consider more complex join conditions later
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- A: The smaller (page-wise)





- M=1000, N=500 *if larger is the outer*:
- Cost = 1000 + 1000\*500 = 501,000
- $= 5010 \text{ sec} \sim 1.4 \text{ h}$

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- Cost = 500 + 1000\*500 = 500,500
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- What if we apply the page-oriented refinement?
  - Cost = M \* N + M = 1000\*500+1000 I/Os
  - At 10ms/IO, total = 1.4 hours (!)
- What if the *smaller* relation is the outer?
  - Slightly better



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- A: give *B-2* buffer pages to outer, 1 to inner, 1 for output



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M pages, m tuples





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        - **R(A,..)**

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N pages,

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n tuples

- And, actually:
- Cost = M + ceiling(M/(B-2)) \* N

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#### Nested Loops - Guidelines

 Pick as outer the smallest table (= fewest pages)

Fit as much of it in memory as possible

Loop over the inner

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# Index Nested Loops Join

- What if there is an index on one of the relations on the join attribute(s)?
- A: Leverage the index by making the indexed relation *inner*



# Index Nested Loops Join

Assuming an index on S:

for each tuple r of R for each tuple s of S where r<sub>i</sub> == s<sub>j</sub> Add (r, s) to result



# Index Nested Loops Join

- What will be the cost?
- Cost: M + m \* c (c: look-up cost)

'c' depends on the type of index, the adopted alternative and whether the index is clustered or un-clustered!



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- Sort both relations on join attribute(s)
- Scan each relation and merge
- This works only for equality join conditions!







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- What is the cost?
- ~  $2*M*\log M/\log B + 2*N*\log N/\log B + M + N$

![](_page_49_Figure_3.jpeg)

- Assuming 100 buffer pages, Reserves and Sailors can be sorted in 2 passes
- Total cost = 7500 I/Os
- Cost of Block Nested Loops Join = 7500 I/Os

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- Assuming 35 buffer pages, Reserves and Sailors can be sorted in 2 passes
- Total cost = 7500 I/Os
- Cost of Block Nested Loops Join = 15000 I/Os

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- Assuming 300 buffer pages, Reserves and Sailors can be sorted in 2 passes
- Total cost = 7500 I/Os
- Cost of Block Nested Loops Join = 2500 I/Os

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It is possible to improve the Sort-Merge Join algorithm by combining the merging phase of sorting with the merging phase of the join!

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