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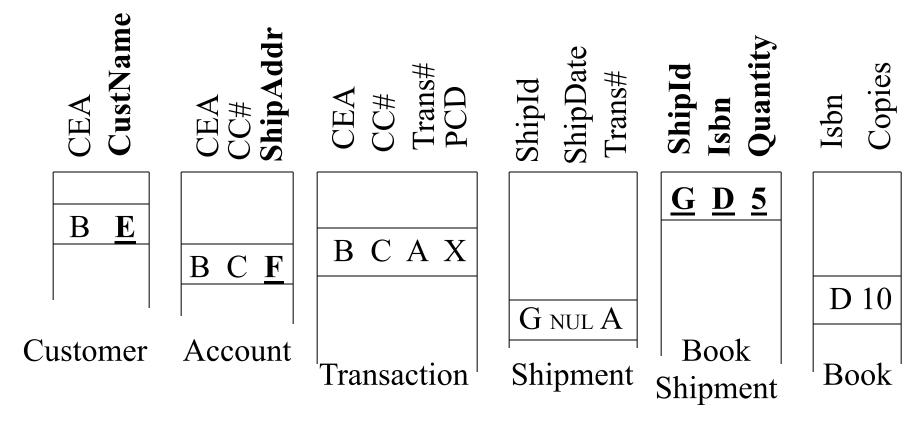
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CREATE VIEW ShipperView (Name, Addr, ShipId, Isbn, Quantity) AS SELECT C.CustName, A.ShippingAddr, BSt.ShipId, BSt.Isbn, BSt.Quantity FROM Customer C, Account A, Transaction T, Shipment St, BookShipment BSt, Book B WHERE C.CustEmailAddr = A.CustEmailAddr AND A.CustEmailAddr = T.CustEmailAddr AND A.CreditCardNumber = T.CreditCardNumber AND T.PaymentClearanceDate IS NOT NULL AND T.TransNumber = St.TransNumber AND St.ShipDate IS NULL AND St.ShipId = BSt.ShipId AND BSt Ishn = B Ishn ANDB.CopiesInStock >= BSt.Quantity

Important aside: a view can show information on a need-to-know basis. For example, even though we need the Transaction table to create the ShipperView, there is no reason that a 'shipper' have access to a customer's credit card number, so this information from Transaction is not shown a shipper

Now, write an INSTEAD OF TRIGGER that implements

DELETE FROM ShipperView WHERE ShipID = 'X'

CREATE VIEW ShipperView (Name, Addr, ShipId, Isbn, Quantity)

AS SELECT C.CustName, A.ShippingAddr, BSt.ShipId, BSt.Isbn, BSt.Quantity

FROM Customer C, Account A, Transaction T,

Shipment St, BookShipment BSt, Book B

WHERE C.CustEmailAddr = A.CustEmailAddr AND

A.CustEmailAddr = T.CustEmailAddr AND

A.CreditCardNumber = T.CreditCardNumber AND

T.PaymentClearanceDate IS NOT NULL AND

T.TransNumber = St.TransNumber AND

St.ShipDate IS NULL AND

St.ShipId = BSt.ShipId AND

BSt.Isbn = B.Isbn AND

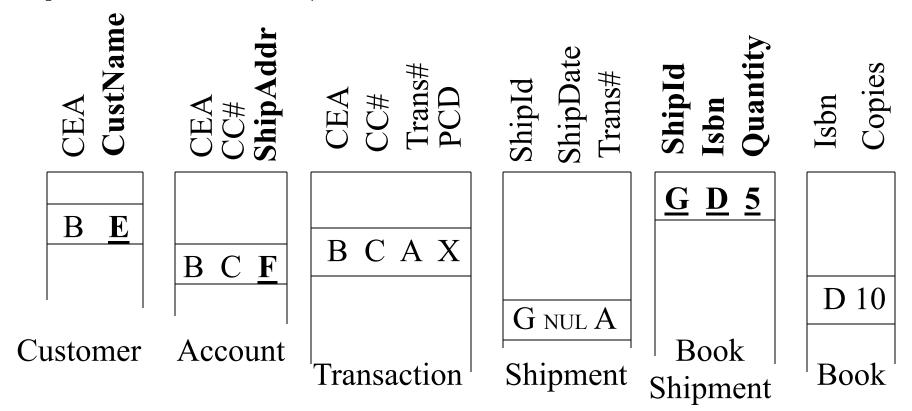
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We could delete a row from the ShipperView in many ways by operating on the base tables. For example, to implement

DELETE FROM ShipperView WHERE ShipID = G

we could delete a row from Shipment where ShipID = G, or we could delete a row from BookShipment where ShipID = G.

But in this case to delete a row from the ShipperView as indicated, we update Shipment Date of Shipment.ShipDate by making non-NULL (suppose CurrDate represents the current date)



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FROM Customer C, Account A, Transaction T,
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WHERE C.CustEmailAddr = A.CustEmailAddr AND A.CustEmailAddr = T.CustEmailAddr AND
A.CreditCardNumber = T.CreditCardNumber AND T.PaymentClearanceDate IS NOT NULL AND
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Write an INSTEAD OF TRIGGER that implements

DELETE FROM ShipperView WHERE ShipID = 'X'

using policy

Update Shipment.ShipDate by making non-NULL

CREATE TRIGGER DeleteFromShipperView INSTEAD OF DELETE ON ShipperView /* FOR EACH ROW */ BEGIN

UPDATE Shipment SET ShipDate = CurrDate WHERE ShipID = Old.ShipID; END;

A reference to a row of The view that is deleted

But we also want to update Book copies in stock

```
CREATE VIEW ShipperView (Name, Addr, ShipId, Isbn, Quantity)
AS SELECT C.CustName, A.ShippingAddr, BSt.ShipId, BSt.Isbn, BSt.Quantity
FROM Customer C, Account A, Transaction T,
Shipment St, BookShipment BSt, Book B
WHERE C.CustEmailAddr = A.CustEmailAddr AND A.CustEmailAddr = T.CustEmailAddr AND
A.CreditCardNumber = T.CreditCardNumber AND T.PaymentClearanceDate IS NOT NULL AND
T.TransNumber = St.TransNumber AND St.ShipDate IS NULL AND St.ShipId = BSt.ShipId AND
BSt.Isbn = B.Isbn AND B.CopiesInStock >= BSt.Quantity
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CREATE TRIGGER DeleteFromShipperView
INSTEAD OF DELETE ON ShipperView

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BEGIN

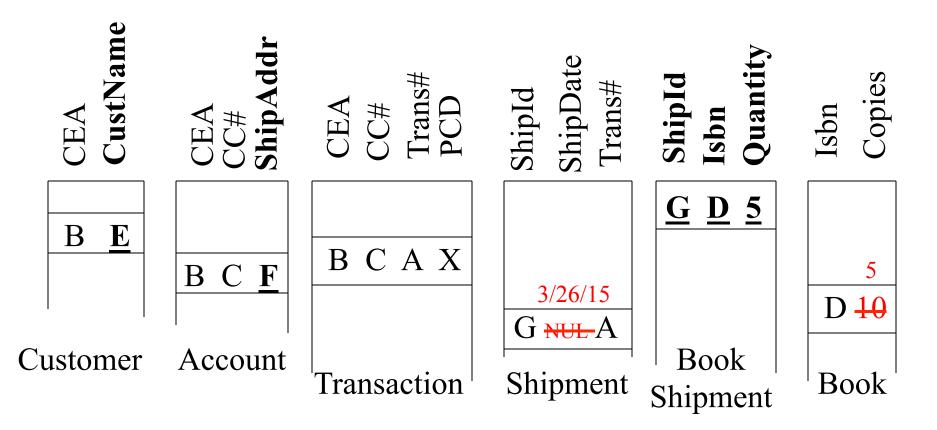
UPDATE Shipment SET ShipDate = CurrDate WHERE ShipID = Old.ShipID;

UPDATE Book SET CopiesInStock = CopiesInStock - Old.Quantity

WHERE Isbn = Old.Isbn;

END;
```

Results of previous page's trigger when deleting one row of the ShipperView



Note that when CopiesInStock (Copies for short) is decremented, it may fall below the Quantity in other BookShipments with the same Isbn that are in the view.

Question: Will any rows of the view that now violate the

B.CopiesInStock >= BSt.Quantity

constraint be removed from the ShipperView "automatically" or must something additionally be done? Is the answer dependent on the SQL environment?

An aside. If we wanted to depend on automatic view updates only (without INSTEAD OF TRIGGERS) we could add single base-table views, to which we can do updates (including deletes and inserts). For example, consider these two additional views

CREATE VIEW ShipperView2 (Isbn, Copies)
AS SELECT B.Isbn, B.CopiesInStock FROM Book B

CREATE ShipperView3 (ShipId, ShipDate)
AS SELECT St.ShipId, St.ShipDate FROM Shipment St

And to update, use some form of embedded SQL

FOR each tuple, t, of ShipperView DO <physical aspects of book processing such as printing labels, getting and packaging books, etc>

UPDATE ShipperView2 S2 SET S2.CopiesInStock = S2.CopiesInStock - t.Quantity WHERE S2.Isbn = t.Isbn

UPDATE ShipperView3 S3 SET S3.ShipDate = CurrentDate WHERE S3.ShipId = t.ShipId

We can also define views in terms of other views:

CREATE HandlerView (Isbn, Quantity)
AS SELECT S.Ibn, S.BookQuantity From ShipperView

And remember that views can hide information, so that we can grant access privileges to users for a view (e.g., the ShipperView) but NOT for some of the base tables that are used in the view's definition (e.g., Transaction).

We can grant various kinds of privileges to base tables and views to specified users.

GRANT and REVOKE (privilege) commands.

GRANT <SELECT, INSERT, DELETE, UPDATE>
ON TO <ids> (with GRANT OPTION)

REVOKE <GRANT option for> PRIVILEGES
ON FROM <ids> {RESTRICT | CASCADE}

For those doing data diaries (or anyone), you may want to do the Widom Authorization videos from DB12 (listed under Optional Material on the Schedule.