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Section (315/415/615):

## MIDTERM EXAM - 601.315/415/615 - Databases

Date: Tuesday, October 29,

*The total number of points in this exam is 75 for both 601.315 and 601.415/615 students (although the questions are mostly different). If you work at approximately 1 minute per point, you should finish on time.*

### Question 1 - Relational Algebra (5 points)

The tables that are used in this (and following) questions are found on your supplementary handout.

- (5 points) Create a View WINNER using the *relational algebra* that lists the HomeTeam (team name), WinningTeam (team name), LosingTeam (team name), GameID, Date and Season of all games in the database.

You can use this view WINNER for all other relational algebra questions on this exam.

### Question 2 - Relational Algebra (5 points)

Express the following query in the relational algebra:

- (a) (5 points) **601.315 only:** List the name and host city of all teams who won every game they played in 2018.
- (b) (5 points) **601.415/615 only:** List the name and host city of all teams who won every game they played in 2018, but did not win any game in 2017.

### Question 3 - Relational Algebra (5 points)

- (a) (5 points) **601.315 only:** List the GameID and Date of games where the CityofBirth of the “Head” referee is the same as the HostCity of the winning team.
- (b) (5 points) **601.415/615 only:** List the GameID and Date of games where the CityofBirth of the “Head” referee is the same as the HostCity of the winning team **and** where the CountryofBirth of the “Head” referee is **not** the same as the CountryofBirth of any of the players on the

### Question 4 - Relational Algebra (5 points)

Express the following query in the relational algebra.

- (a) (5 points) **601.315 only:** List the name and birthdate for players who have played for at least one team which has never won a match.
- (b) (5 points) **601.415/615 only:** List the name and birthdate for players who have played for at least one team which has never won a match, but has refereed for the same game that they have also played in.

### Question 5 - Tuple Relational Calculus (5 points)

Express the following query in Tuple Relational Calculus:

- (a) (6 points) **601.315 only:** List the name, birthdate, sex and birthcountry of all players who were born in the same country as Wally Winger *and* were born on the same exact date as Wally Whinger *and* have the same sex as Wally Whinger *and* has played for a team that Wally Whinger has played for in some year, but were not born in the same city as Wally Whinger.
- (a) (6 points) **601.415/615 only:** List the name, birthdate, sex and birthcountry of all players who were born in the same country as Wally Winger *and* were born on the same exact date as Wally Whinger *and* have the same sex as Wally Whinger *and* has played for a team that Wally Whinger has played for in some year, but have *never* played in the same game as Wally Whinger (on the same or opposing team).

### Question 6 - SQL (25 points)

Express the following queries in SQL:

- (a) **601.315 only:** List the names and birth country of players who were played for a US team in 2018 but were born in a different country (other than the US).
- (aa) **601.415/615 only:** List the names and birth country of players who have never played for a team whose host country is the country where they (the player) were born.

- (b) **601.315 only:** List the names and birthdate of all players born after 1/1/84 who have played for more than two teams.
- (bb) **601.415/615 only:** List the names and birthdate of all players born after 1/1/84 who have played for more than two teams, and also include the total number of teams that the player has ever played for.

(c) **315 and 415/615:** For each team in the league, list the total number of points scored by Colette Cretin when she was playing against that team.

(d) **601.315 only:** Name the female player with the highest total points scored in 2017, and include that total.

(dd) **601.415/615 only:** Name the female player who is most improved between 2017 and 2018 (the increase in her total points from 2017 to 2018 is greatest).

- (e) **601.315 only:** List the names and birthdates of all players who have never played for more than one team.
- (ee) **601.415/615 only:** How many players in the database have played for more than two teams in the same host country in their entire careers.

**Question 7 - QBE (15 points)**

Express the following queries in QBE. To simplify your work, table shells have been provided. Just fill in the appropriate cells with variables/values.

- (a) (5 points) List the name and birthdate of all players who have played in a game against someone who played in a game against Wally Whinger, but were not born in the same country as Wally Winger.

PLAYER	<u>PName</u>	BDate	Sex	CityOfBirth	CountryofBirth

TEAM	HostCity	<u>TName</u>	HostCountry

PLAYS_FOR	<u>PName</u>	<u>TName</u>	<u>Season</u>

GAME	<u>GameID</u>	HomeTeam	AwayTeam	Date	Season	WinningTeam	HomeScore	Awa

PLAYED_IN_GAME	<u>PName</u>	<u>GameID</u>	Position	PointsScored

Conditions



- (b) (5 points) List the name, birthdate, sex and birthcountry of all players who were not born in the same country as Wally Winger *and* were not born on the same exact date as Wally Whinger *and* do not have the same sex as Wally Whinger and have never played for a team that Wally Whinger has ever played for, *and* has never played in the same game as Wally Whinger (on the same or opposing team).

PLAYER	<u>PName</u>	BDate	Sex	CityOfBirth	CountryofBirth

TEAM	HostCity	<u>TName</u>	HostCountry

PLAYS_FOR	<u>PName</u>	<u>TName</u>	<u>Season</u>

GAME	<u>GameID</u>	HomeTeam	AwayTeam	Date	Season	WinningTeam	HomeScore	AwayScore

PLAYED_IN_GAME	<u>PName</u>	<u>GameID</u>	Position	PointsScored

Conditions

- (c) List the name, birthdate and birth city of all players who have played for a team with a host city and country that is the same as the city/country where the player was born.

PLAYER	<u>PName</u>	BDate	Sex	CityOfBirth	CountryofBirth

TEAM	HostCity	<u>TName</u>	HostCountry

PLAYS.FOR	<u>PName</u>	<u>TName</u>	Season

GAME	<u>GameID</u>	HomeTeam	AwayTeam	Date	Season	WinningTeam	HomeScore	AwayScore

PLAYED_IN_GAME	<u>PName</u>	<u>GameID</u>	Position	PointsScored

Conditions

**Question 8 - Functional Dependencies (10 points)**

(a) Consider the relation  $r(A,B,C,D,E)$  with functional dependencies:

$$BC \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, CE \rightarrow A$$

	Circle One	If yes, briefly show your derivation
Does $D \rightarrow A$ ?	Yes/No	
Does $CD \rightarrow E$ ?	Yes/No	
Does $CDE \rightarrow A$ ?	Yes/No	
Does $BCD \rightarrow A$ ?	Yes/No	

(b) List at least one candidate key for  $r$  (informally show your work):

## **CERTIFICATION PAGE**

By signing below, I promise that my answers on this exam are entirely my own work. I have not looked at the answers written by others and I have not allowed others to look at my answers. I also have not consulted any books or notes while taking this exam besides the 4 single sided pages allowed.

**My Signature:**