# Query Optimization: Exercise Session 2

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# Homework

Exercise 1

Find all students that attended the lectures together with 'Schopenhauer', excluding Schopenhauer himself.

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SQL
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select s2.name
from studenten s1, hoeren h1, hoeren h2, studenten s2
where s1.name='Schopenhauer' and s1.matrnr=h1.matrnr
   and h1.vorlnr=h2.vorlnr and h2.matrnr=s2.matrnr
   and h1.matrnr<>h2.matrnr
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tuple calculus

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 \{s_1 | s_1 \in \text{Studenten} \land \exists h_1 \in \text{hoeren}(s_1.MatrNr = h_1.MatrNr \\ \land \exists h_2 \in \text{hoeren}(h_1.Vor/Nr = h_2.Vor/Nr \land h_1.MatrNr \neq h_2.MatrNr \\ \land \exists s_2 \in \text{Studenten}(h_2.MatrNr = s_2.MatrNr \land h_2.Name = \text{'Schopenhauer'}) \\ )) \}
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Find all students that attended the lectures together with 'Schopenhauer', excluding Schopenhauer himself.

- Find all professor whose lectures attended at least two students
- ► No group by in TinyDB

## **Textbook Optimization**

• Selectivity  $f_R$  of a selection  $\sigma(R)$ 

$$f_R = \frac{|\sigma(R)|}{|R|}$$

Selectivity  $f_{1,2}$  of a join  $R_1 \bowtie R_2$ 

$$f_{1,2} = \frac{|R_1 \bowtie R_2|}{|R_1 \times R_2|} = \frac{|R_1 \bowtie R_2|}{|R_1| \cdot |R_2|}$$

#### Basic cost function

$$C_{\text{out}}(T) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } T \text{ is a leaf } R_i \\ |T| + C_{\text{out}}(T_1) + C_{\text{out}}(T_2) & \text{if } T = T_1 \bowtie T_2 \end{cases}$$

Find the cheapest execution plan

### **Physical Optimization**

Choose the actual implementation of an operator

- choosing index or table scan
  - index vs. table scan: 10% selectivity threshold
  - clustered vs. non-clustered index
- choosing types of joins
  - nested loops join
  - blockwise nested loops join
  - index nested loop join
  - merge join
  - hash join

- Courses(ID, Title, Room, Time)
- Exercises(ID,CID,TID,Room)
- Tutors(ID,Name)

select C.Name, T.Name, E.Room
from Courses C, Tutors T, Exercises E
where C.ID = E.CID and T.ID = E.TID
 and C.Room like '02.11.%'
 and E.Room not like '02.11.%'

- non-clustered index on Courses.Room
- a) clustered indexes on Exercises.TID, Tutors.ID
- b) only clustered index on Tutors.ID

## Homework

- Prove an equivalence
- Derive formulae to estimate selectivities
- Join costs: nested loops vs. blockwise nested loops

How to get the new exercise task:

▶ add the repository you forked from as additional remote:

git remote add tasks ssh://git@gitlab.db.in.tum.de:2222/qo18/tasks

pull the new task from this remote:

git pull tasks master

- Slides: db.in.tum.de/teaching/ws1819/queryopt
- Exercise task: gitlab
- Questions, Comments, etc: mattermost @ mattermost.db.in.tum.de/qo18
- Exercise due: 9 AM next monday

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