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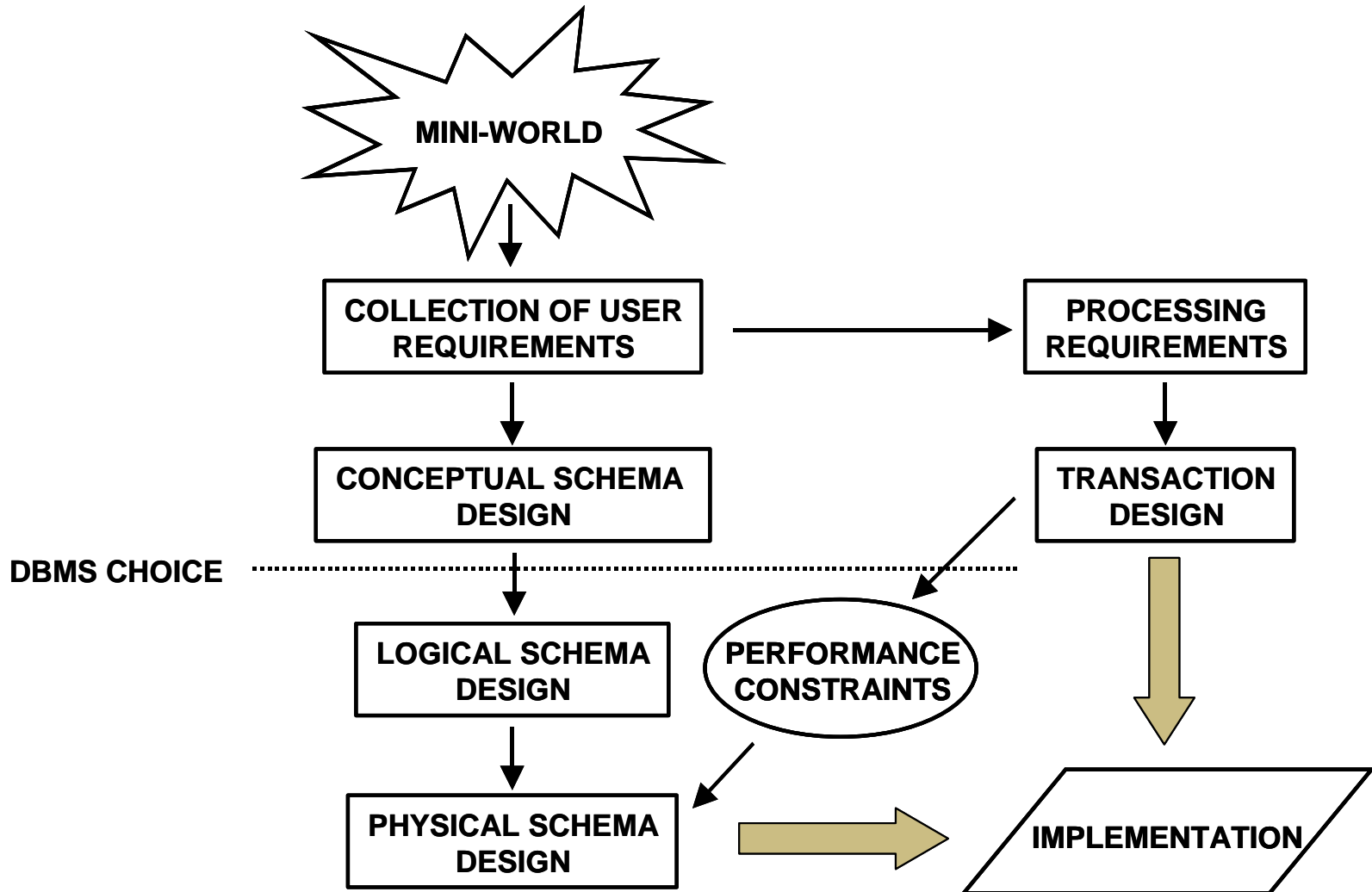
Chapter 6

Database System Design

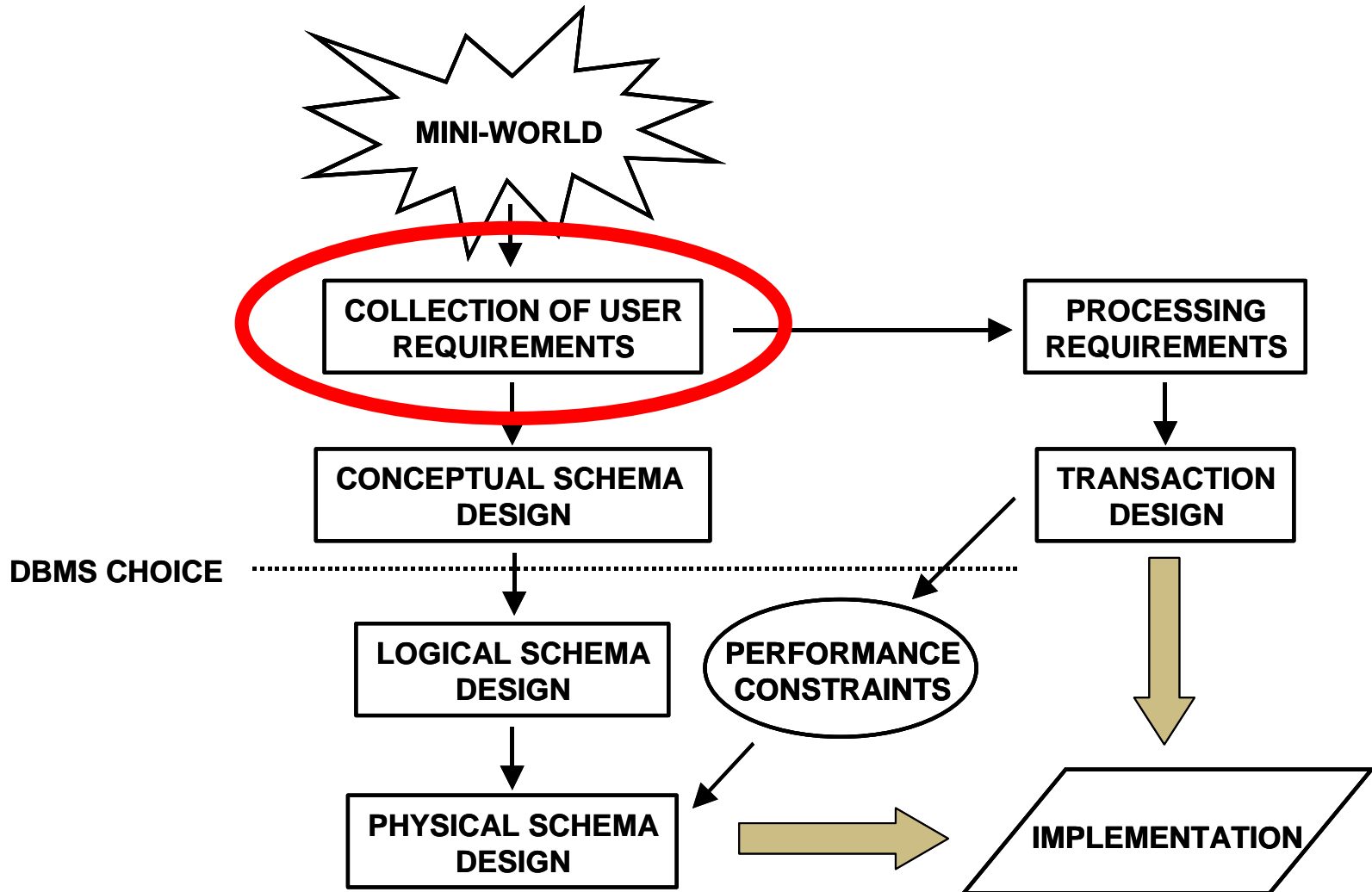
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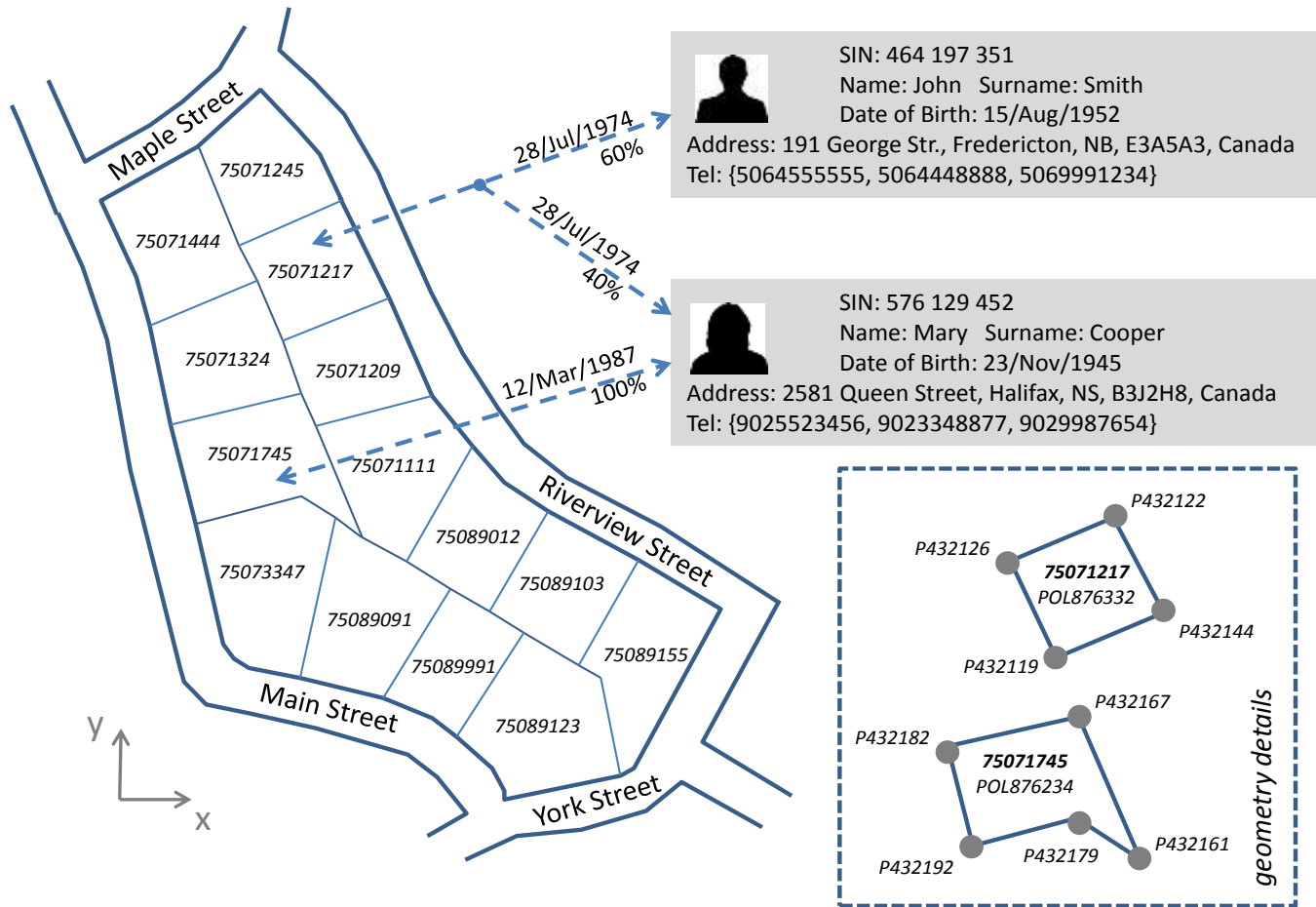


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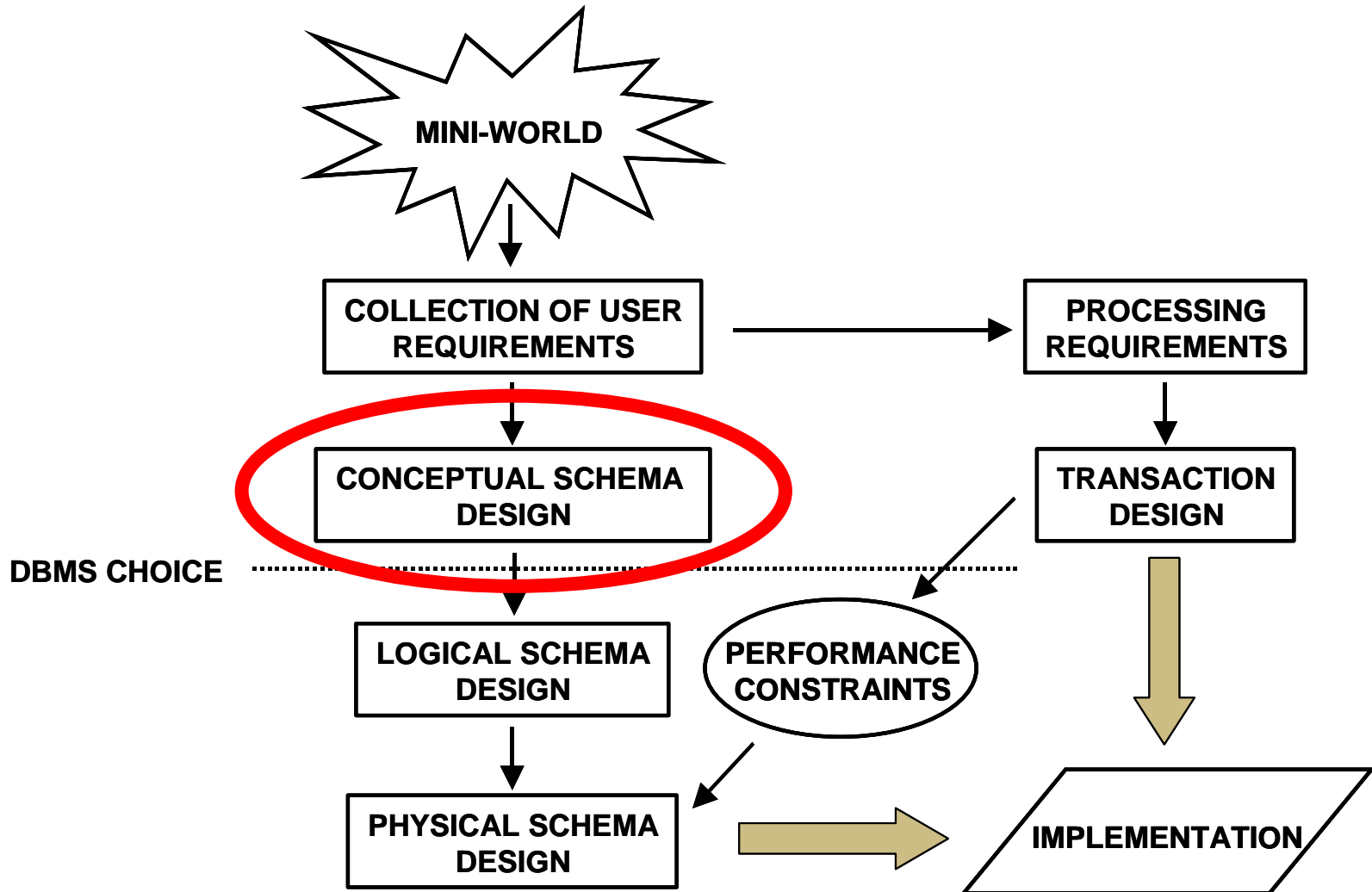


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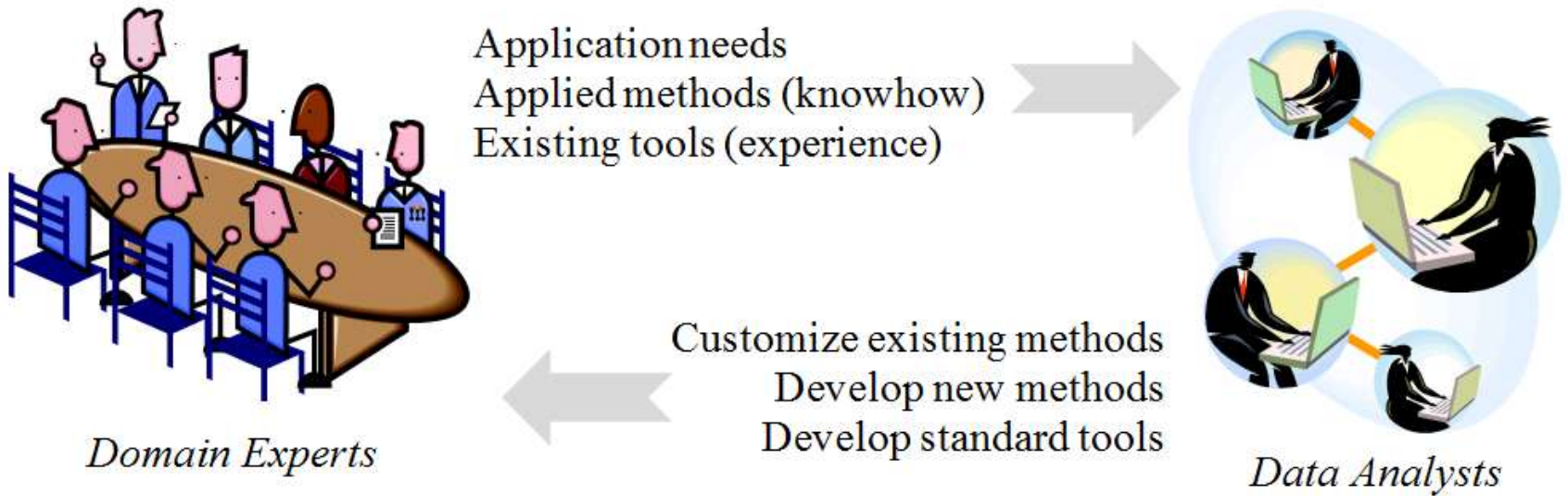
- Mini-world: the world of cadastre...



Database System Design



Database System Design



Conceptual Schema Design

- Conceptual **Schema** ...
 - a clear description of the database schema
 - a means for users/designers/analysts and programmers to communicate
- Conceptual **data models**
 - simple and expressive
 - diagrammatic representation
 - few diagrammatic constructs

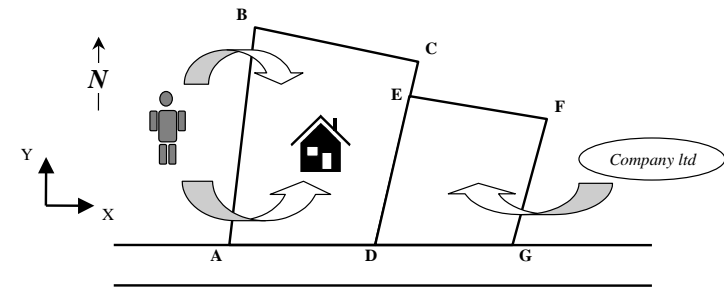
Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model (**ER Model**)
 - World is described as a set of **entities** along with their **relationships**
 - **Entities** ...
 - objects with either physical or conceptual existence
 - an owner or a title respectively
 - described by **attributes**
 - **simple**, e.g., name = Mary
 - **multivalued**, e.g., telephone = { 12345678, 23456781, ... }
 - **composite**, e.g., addr = { street = Main, no = 22, ... }
 - **derived**, e.g., age = today() – birth_date
 - **key**, e.g., id = 56712945

Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model

- Relationships ...



- the relationships that occur between entities

- e.g., a parcel is related with one or more owners

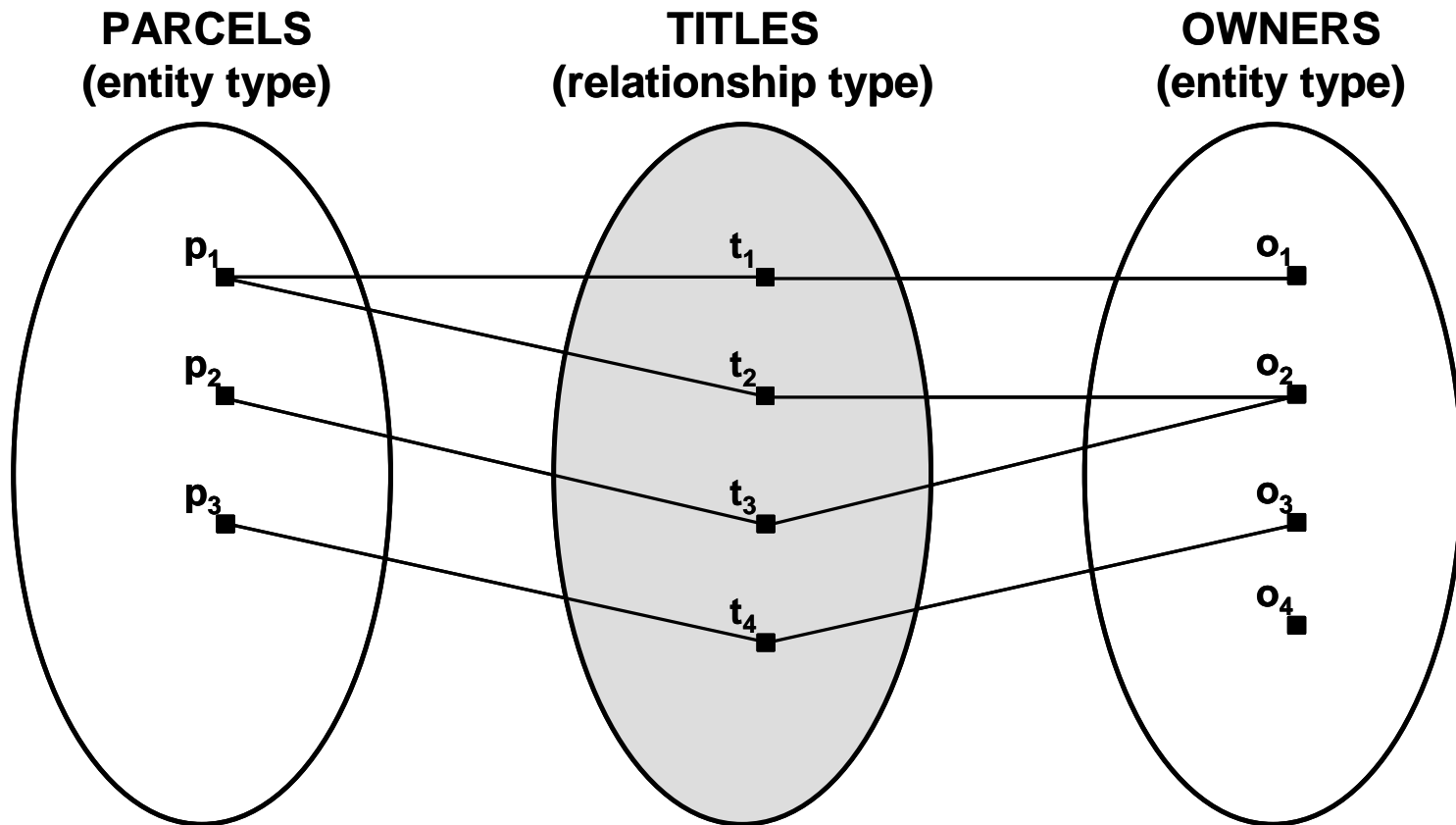
- a relationship ...

- connects the instances of one or more sets of entities types (i.e., sets of entities with the same attributes)

- the number of sets defines the **relationship degree**

Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model



Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model
 - **Relationships ...**
 - may have **attributes ...**
 - e.g., title date, or percentage of ownership
 - have a **cardinality ratio ...**
 - specifies the number of relationship instances that an entity can participate in, e.g., 1:1, 1:N, N:M (for binary relationships)
 - have a **participation constraint ...**
 - specifies whether the existence of an entity depends on being related to another entity via the relationship type

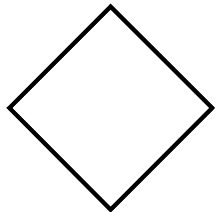
Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model

– Diagram notation ...



ENTITY TYPE



RELATIONSHIP TYPE



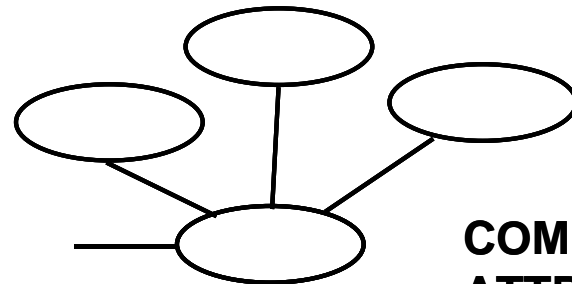
ATTRIBUTE (SIMPLE)



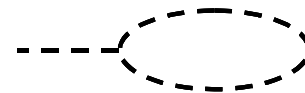
KEY ATTRIBUTE



MULTIVALUED ATTRIBUTE



**COMPOSITE
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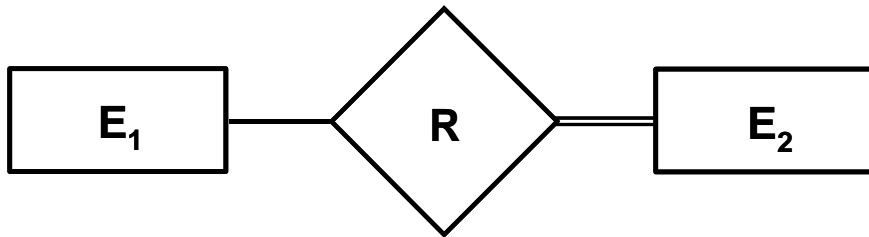


**DERIVED
ATTRIBUTE**

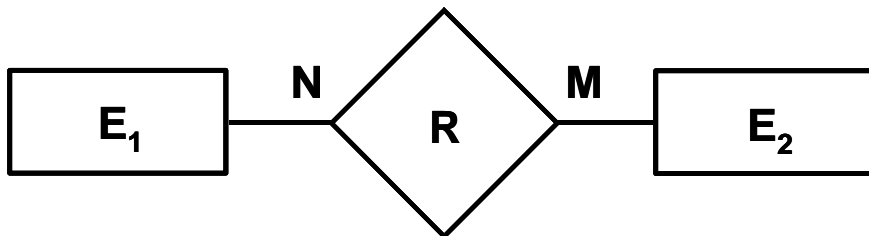
Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model

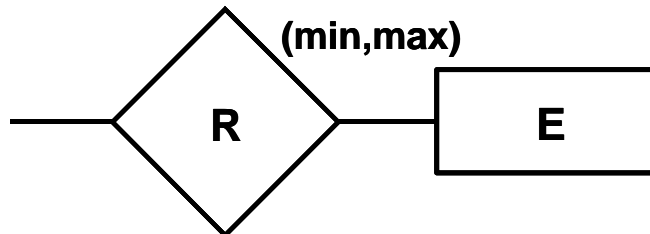
– Diagram notation ...



Total (partial) participation of E_2 (E_1) in R



Cardinality ratio $N:M$ for $E_1:E_2$ in R



Structural constraint (min,max) for the participation of E in R

Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model

– Examples ...



(a) Married couples.



(b) All adults.



(c) All (married and single) men and all married women.

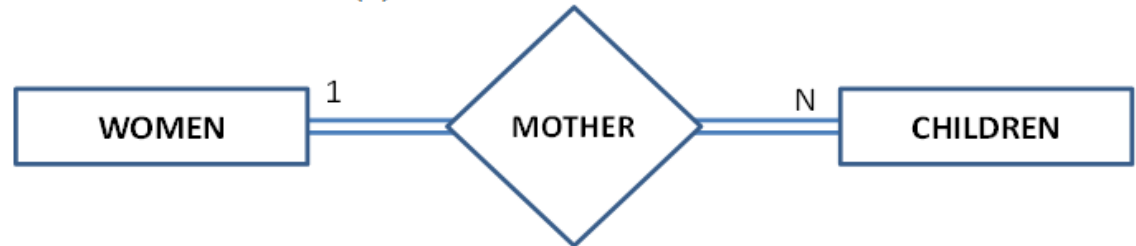
Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Model

– Examples ...



(d) All women and children.



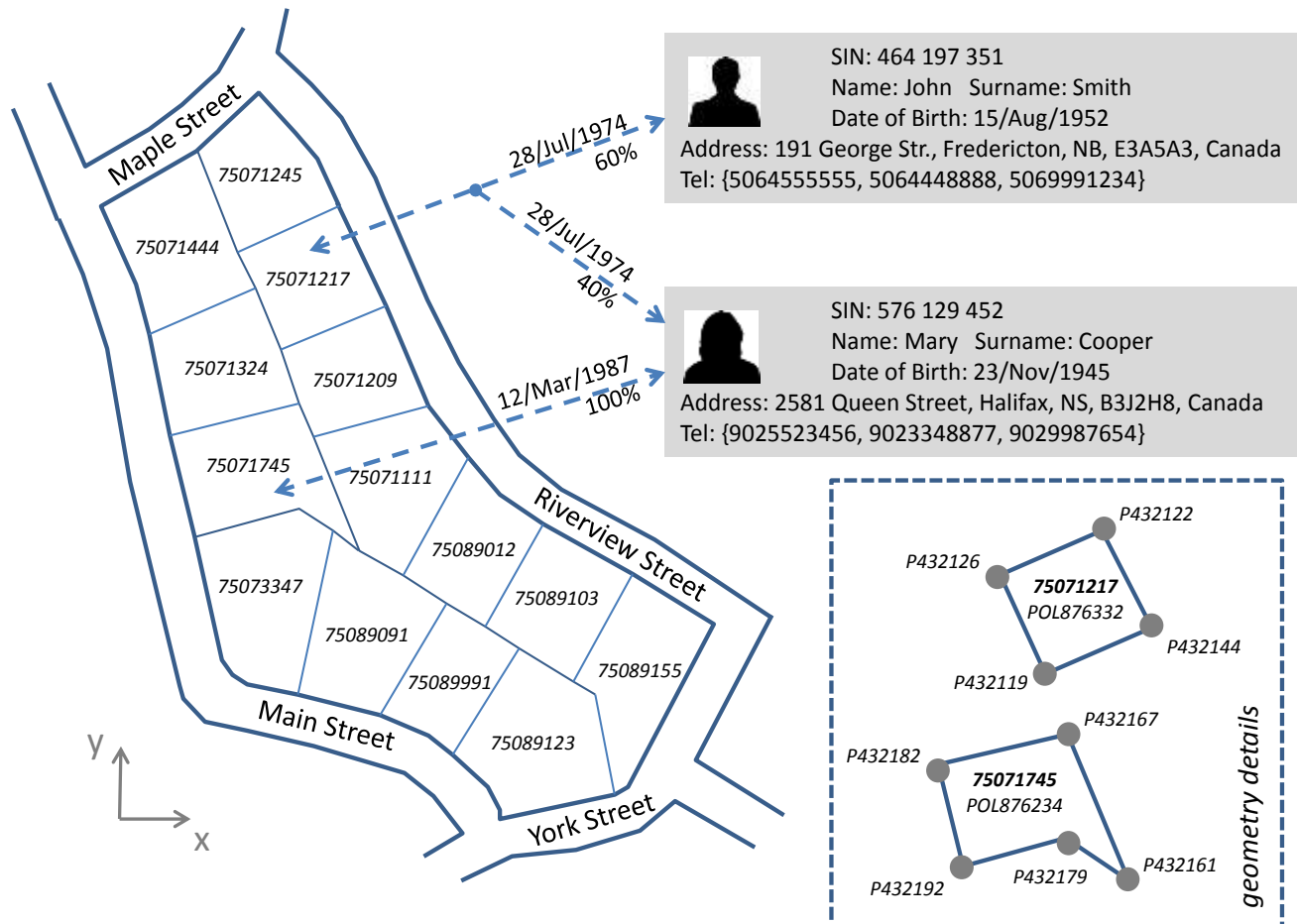
(e) All mothers and children.



(f) The history of all religious marriages for all adults.

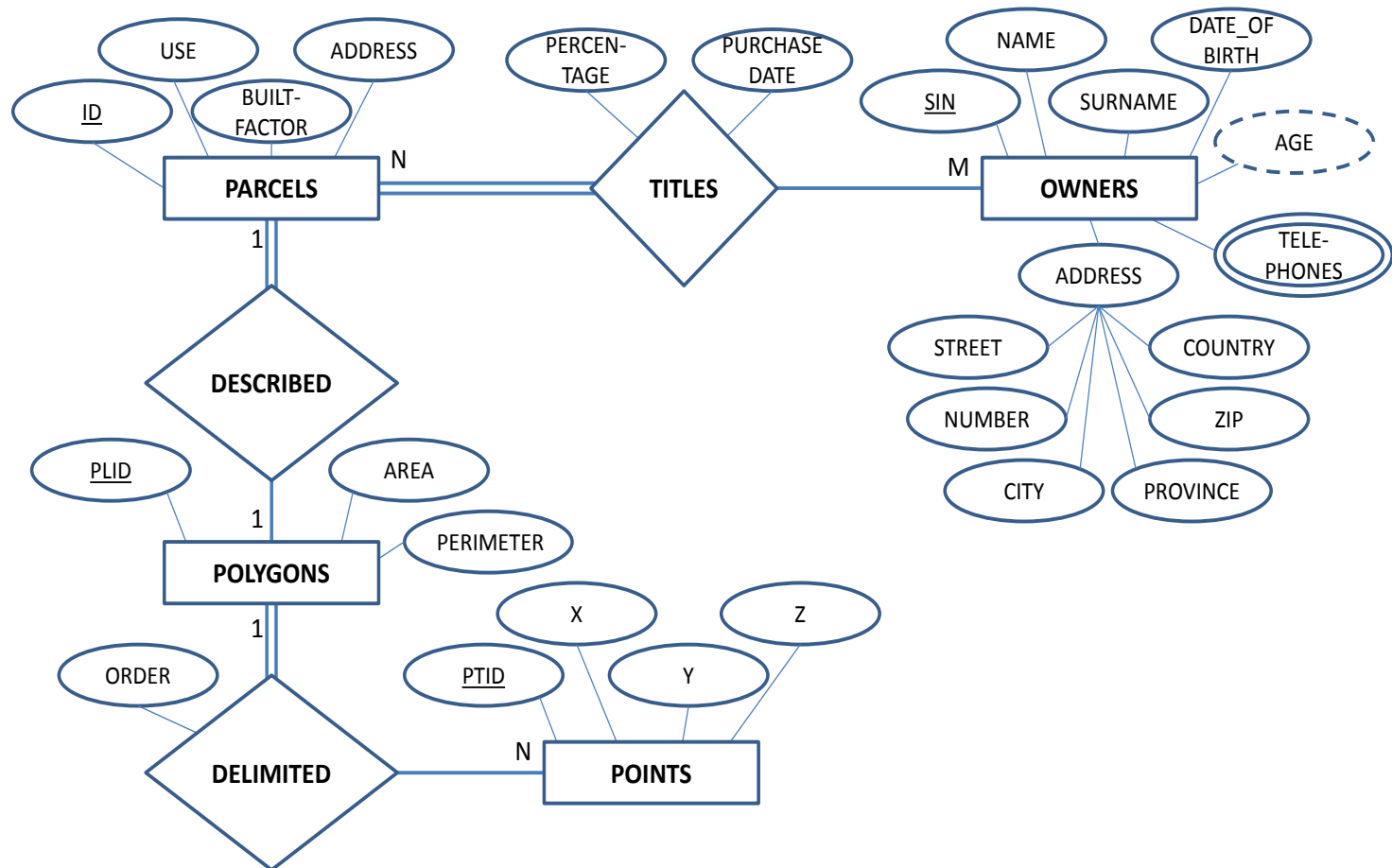
Conceptual Schema Design

- How to express this situation in ER?

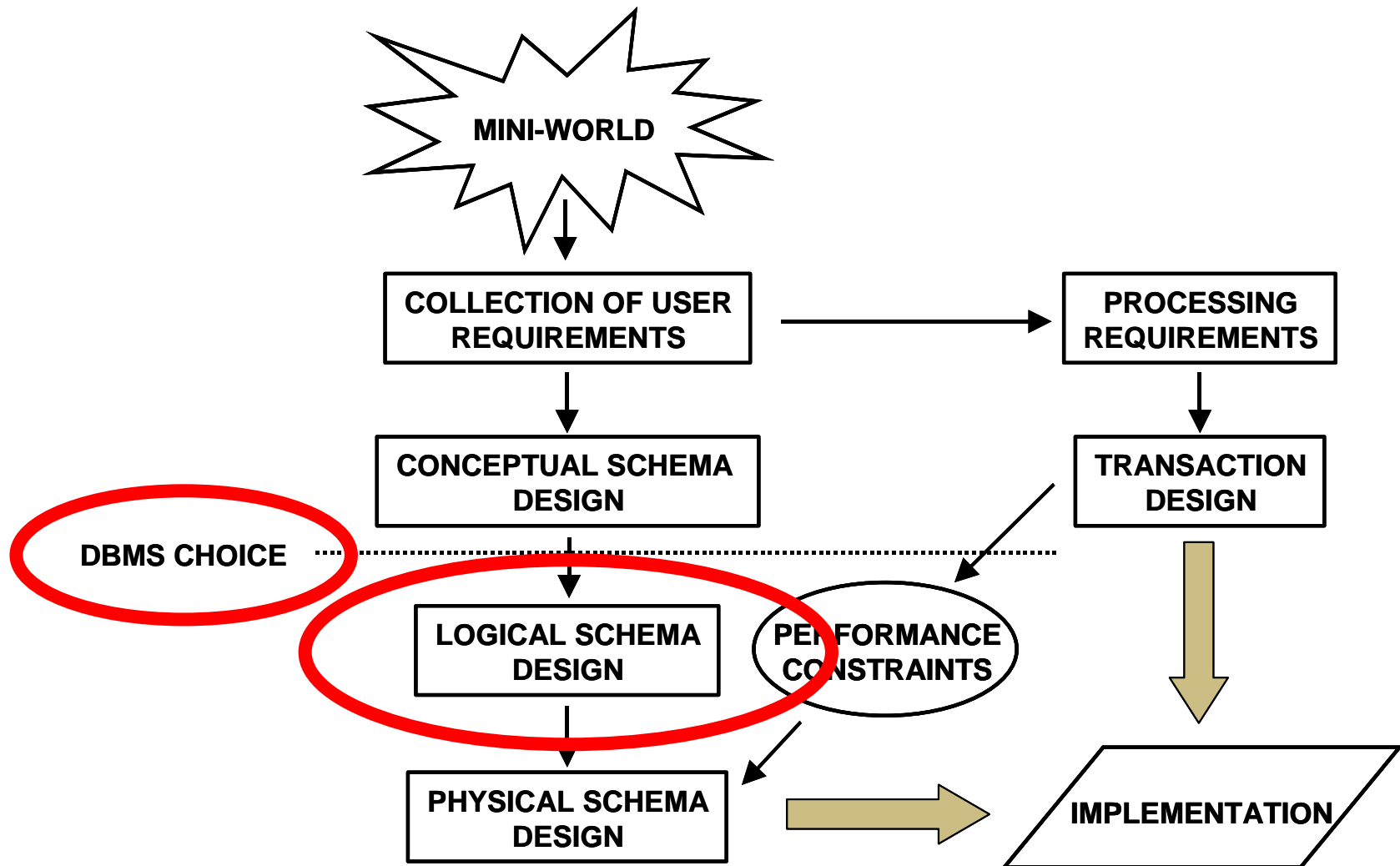


Conceptual Schema Design

- Entity-Relationship Diagram



Database System Design



Logical Schema Design

- Logical Schema ...
 - hides the details at the physical level
 - it can be implemented directly
 - dependent on the DBMS (model) chosen
- One of the most popular ...
 - the **relational model**
 - adopted in all traditional DBMS (Oracle, Ingres, Informix, etc.)

Logical Schema Design

- **The relational model**
 - Introduced by Codd 1970
 - Database consists of ...
 - A set of **relations** (tables)
 - Each relation consists of ...
 - Tuples (records)
 - Attributes (columns)

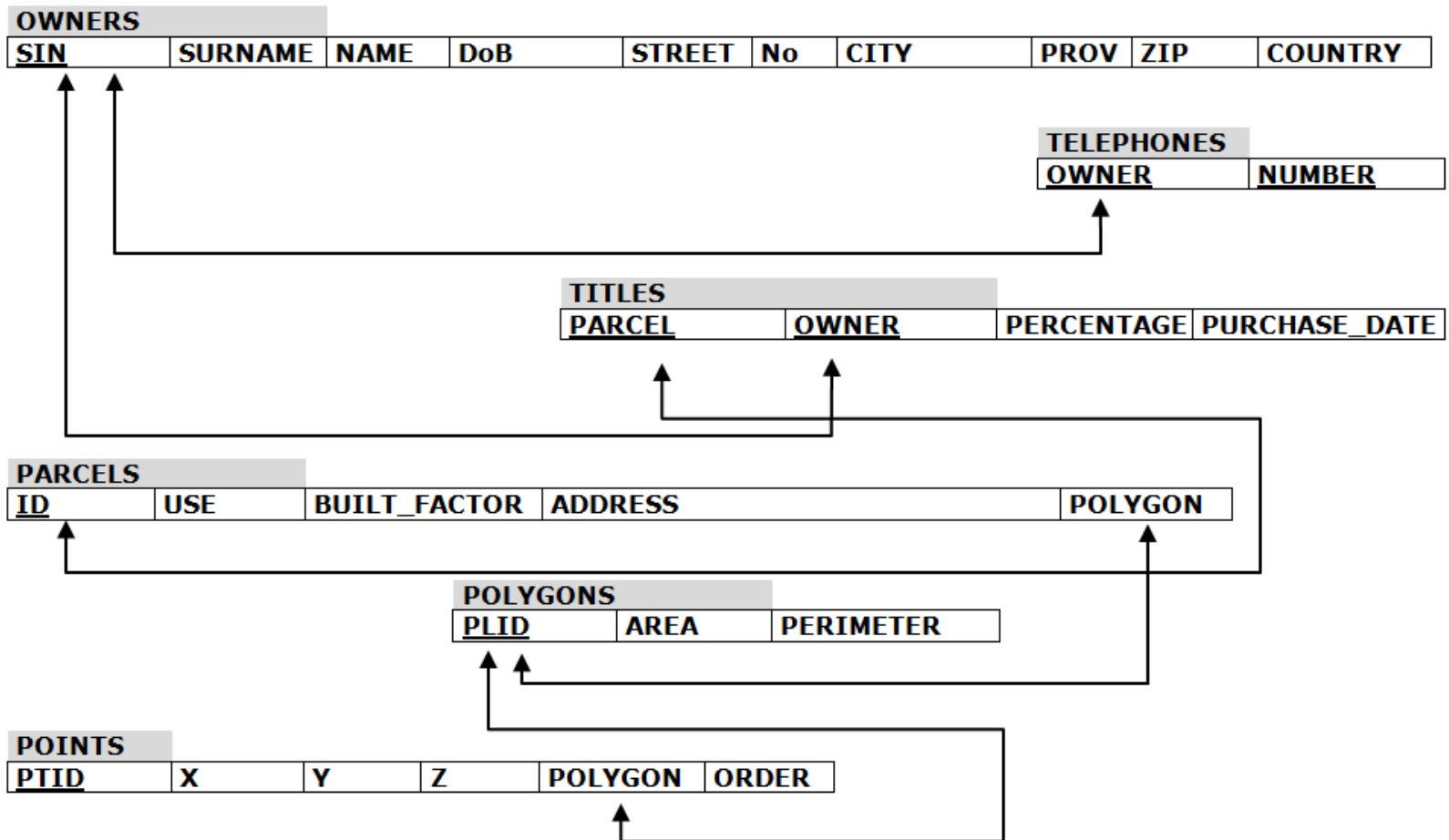
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576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	QUEEN	2581	HALIFAX	NS	B3J2H8	CANADA
...

Logical Schema Design

- The **relational model**
 - Each tuple is unique
 - **Key** ...
 - the attribute or combination of attributes that
 - appear once in a relation
 - identify each tuple
 - if more than one (candidate keys) ...
 - we choose the one with the fewer attributes (underlined)
 - Relations are “**related**”
 - through common attributes (Cartesian product)

Logical Schema Design

- The relational model (schema)**



Logical Schema Design

- The relational model (instance/snapshot)

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TELEPHONES

OWNER	NUMBER
464197351	5064555555
464197351	5064448888
464197351	5069991234
576129452	9025523456
576129452	9023348877
576129452	9029987654
...	...

TITLES

PARCEL	OWNER	PERCENTAGE	PURCHASE_DATE
75071217	464197351	60%	07/28/1974
75071217	576129452	40%	07/28/1974
75071745	576129452	100%	03/12/1987
...

POLYGONS

PLID	AREA	PERIMETER
POL876332	1.235	142
POL876234	1.440	169
...

PARCELS

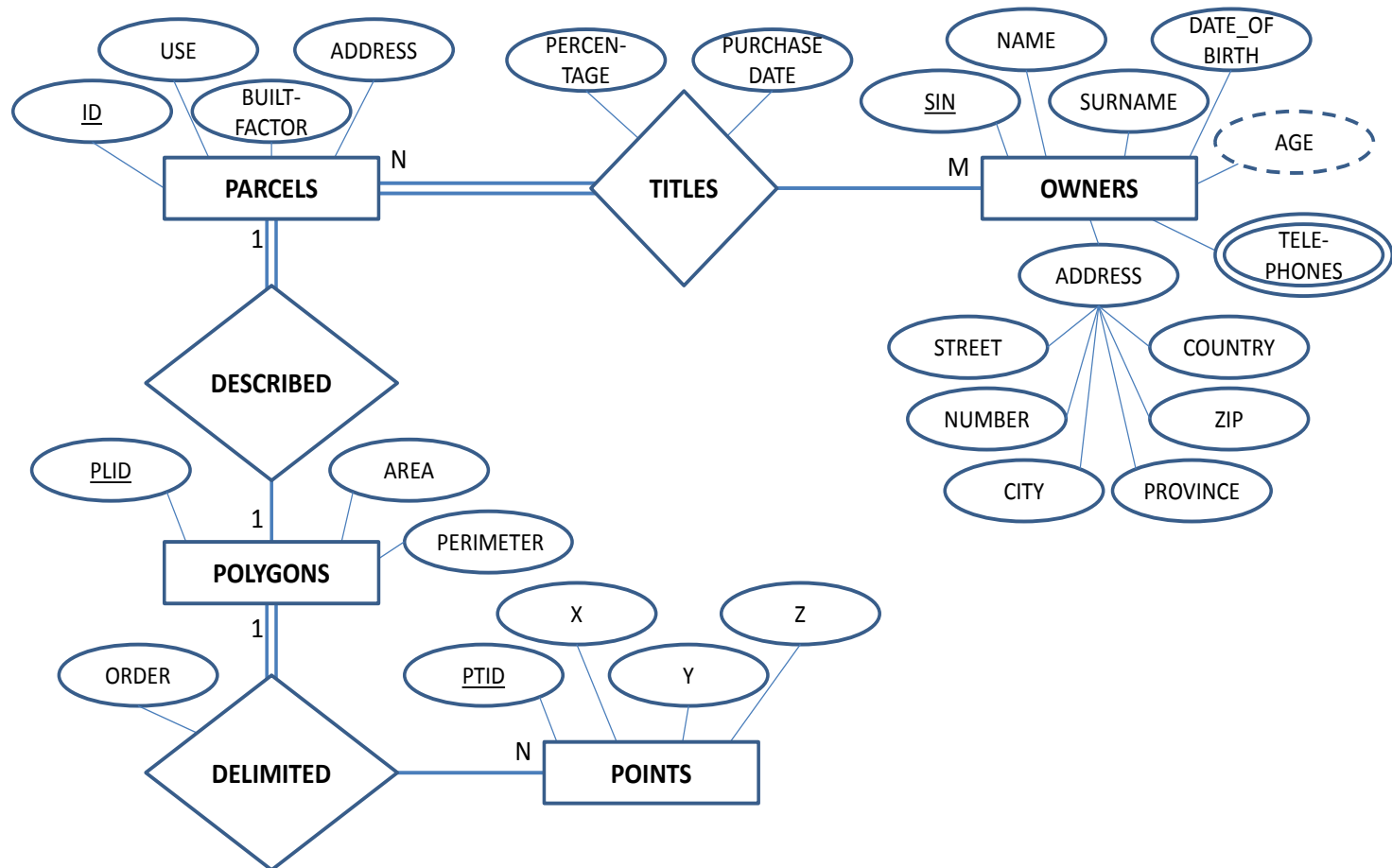
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75071745	PARKING	1.20	323 MAIN STREET, FREDERICTON	POL876234
...

POINTS

PTID	X	Y	Z	POLYGON	ORDER
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P432167	45650.33	8813.12	30.71	POL876234	1
P432161	45692.11	8726.44	28.12	POL876234	2
P432179	45653.98	8749.92	28.65	POL876234	3
P432192	45550.19	8730.51	27.92	POL876234	4
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...

Logical Schema Design

- How to map ER Model to Relational Model?



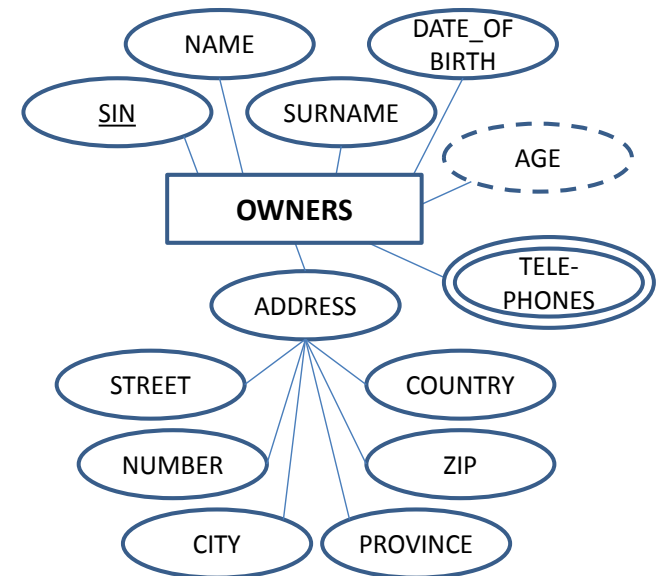
Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Standard steps...

- Step 1:

- For each entity type form one relation

- composite attributes as simple
 - ignore derived attribute



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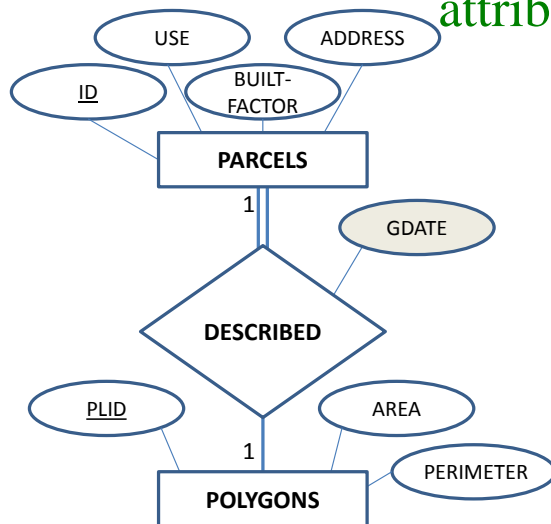
Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Standard steps...

- Step 2:

- For each 1:1 relationship ...

- include in the relation with full participation the key of the other (as foreign key)
 - include also the attributes of the relationship (if any) as attributes in this relation



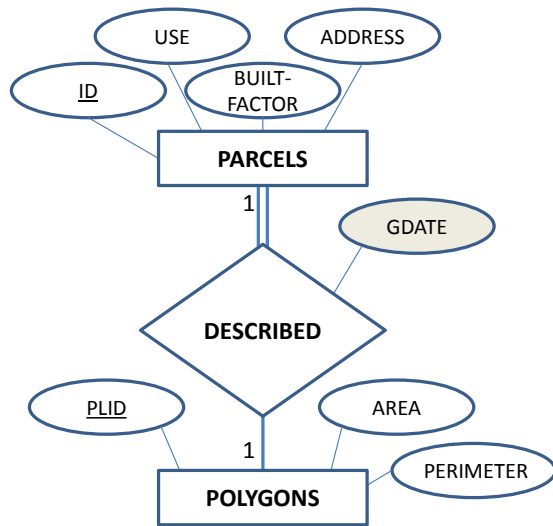
PARCELS			
<u>ID</u>	USE	BUILT_FACTOR	ADDRESS

POLYGONS		
<u>PLID</u>	AREA	PERIMETER

PARCELS				<i>foreign key</i>	<i>rel. attribute</i>
<u>ID</u>	USE	BUILT_FACTOR	ADDRESS	POLYGON	GDATE

Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Step 2



PARCELS				<i>foreign key</i>	<i>rel.attribute</i>
ID	USE	BUILT_FACTOR	ADDRESS	POLYGON	GDATE
75071217	HOUSING	1.40	542 RIVERVIEW STREET, FREDERICTON	POL876332	05/25/1969
75071745	PARKING	1.20	323 MAIN STREET, FREDERICTON	POL876234	07/01/2000

POLYGONS		
PLID	AREA	PERIMETER
POL876332	1.235	142
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POL555555	5.234	1345
POL555556	12.341	4322

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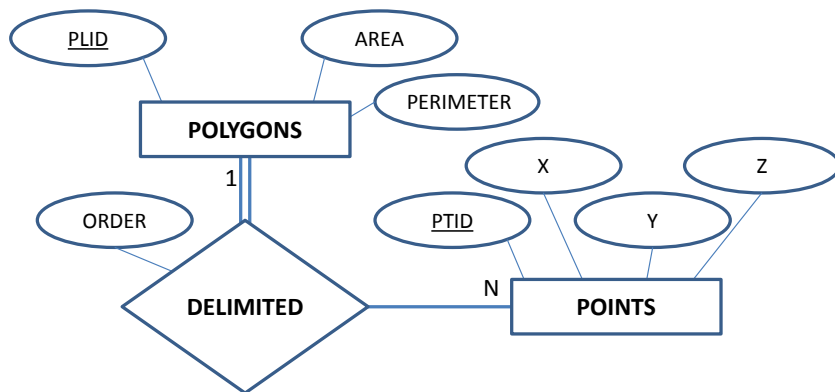
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POLYGONS			<i>foreign key</i>	<i>rel.attribute</i>
PLID	AREA	PERIMETER	PARCEL	GDATE
POL876332	1.235	142	75071217	05/25/1969
POL876234	1.440	169	75071745	07/01/2000
POL555555	5.234	1345		
POL555556	12.341	4322		

(b)

Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Standard steps...
 - Step 3:
 - For each 1:N relationship ...
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 - include also the attributes of the relationship (if any) as attributes in this relation



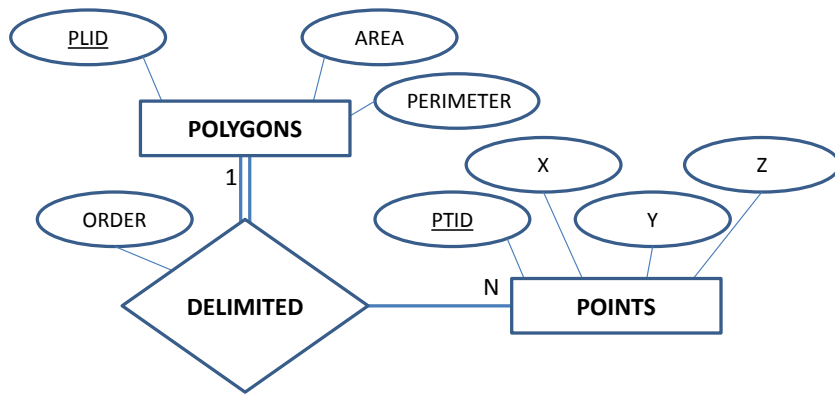
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<u>PLID</u>	AREA	PERIMETER

POINTS			
<u>PTID</u>	X	Y	Z

POINTS				<i>foreign key</i>	<i>rel. attribute</i>
<u>PTID</u>	X	Y	Z	POLYGON	ORDER

Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Step 3:



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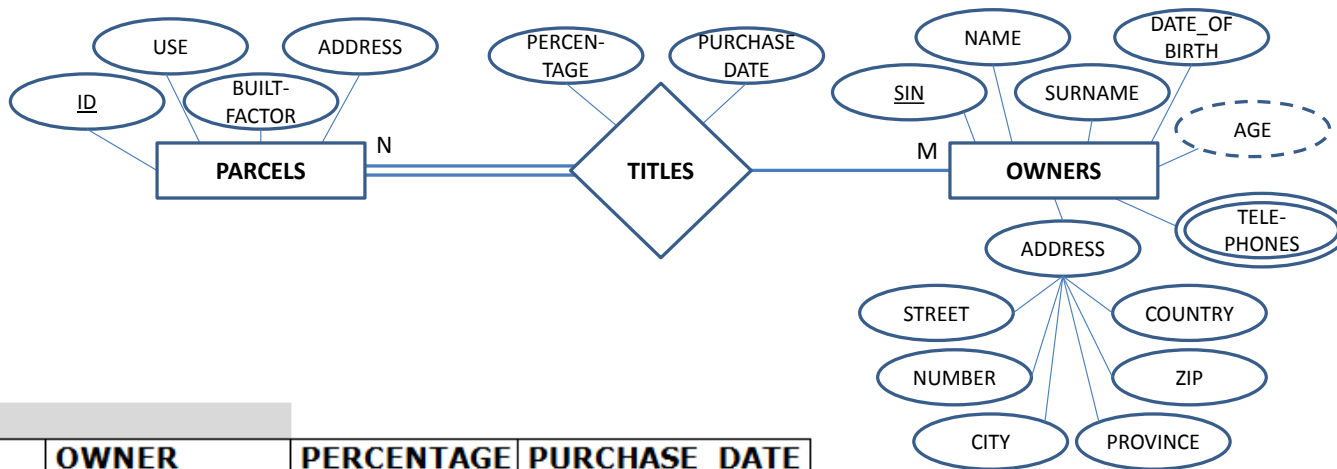
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POLYGONS				<i>foreign key</i>	<i>rel.attribute</i>
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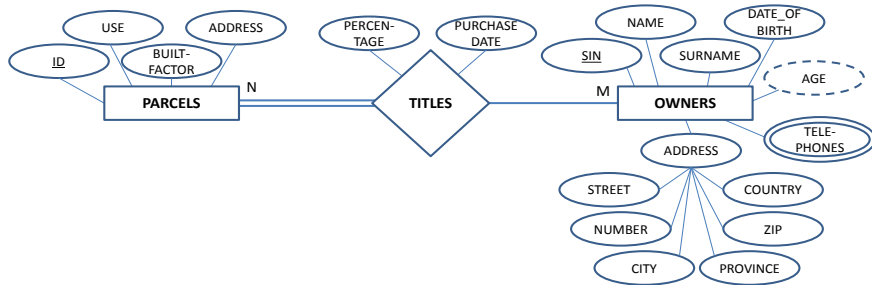
Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Standard steps...
 - Step 4:
 - For each N:M relationship ...
 - create **a new relation** with the keys of the two entities participating in the relationship
 - also include the relationship attributes



Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Step 4:



OWNERS			
SIN	SURNAME	NAME	DoB
464197351	SMITH	JOHN	08/15/1952
576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945

TITLES			
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PARCELS		
ID	USE	BUILT_FACTOR
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75071745	PARKING	1.20

(a)

OWNERS			
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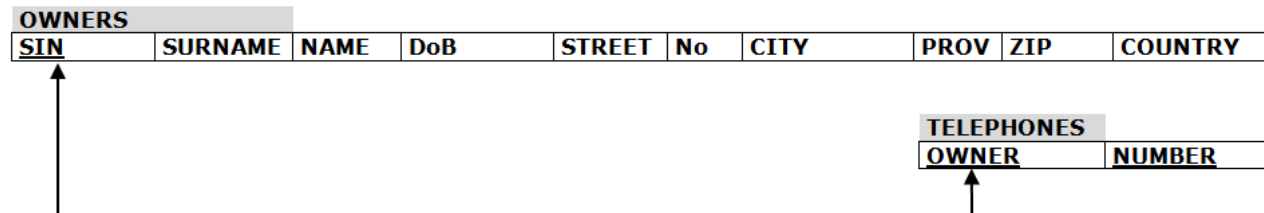
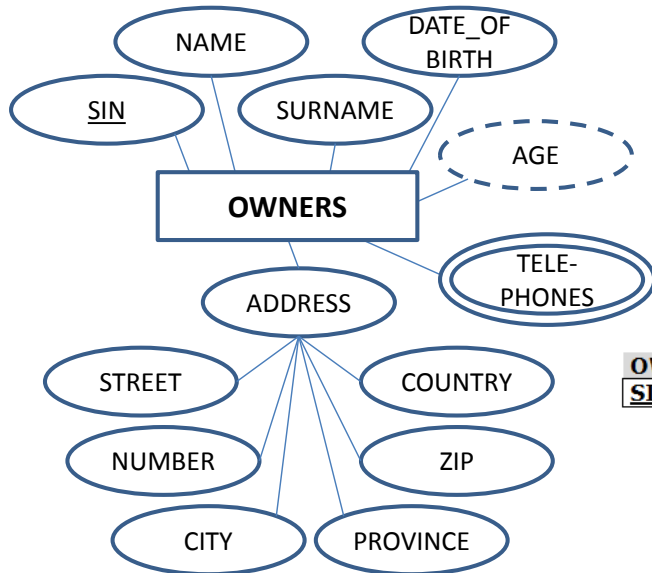
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576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	75071745	100%	03/12/1987

PARCELS		
ID	USE	BUILT_FACTOR
75071217	HOUSING	1.40
75071745	PARKING	1.20

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Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Standard steps...
 - Step 5:
 - For each multivalued attribute ...
 - create **a new relation** with the key of the entity and the multivalued attribute



Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Step 5:

OWNERS				
SIN	SURNAME	NAME	DoB	TELEPHONE
464197351	SMITH	JOHN	08/15/1952	5064555555
464197351	SMITH	JOHN	08/15/1952	5064448888
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576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	9025523456
576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	9023348877
576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	9029987654

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OWNERS							
SIN	SURNAME	NAME	DoB	NUMBER_1	NUMBER_2	NUMBER_3	NUMBER_4
464197351	SMITH	JOHN	08/15/1952	5064555555	5064448888	5069991234	
576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	9025523456	9023348877	9029987654	

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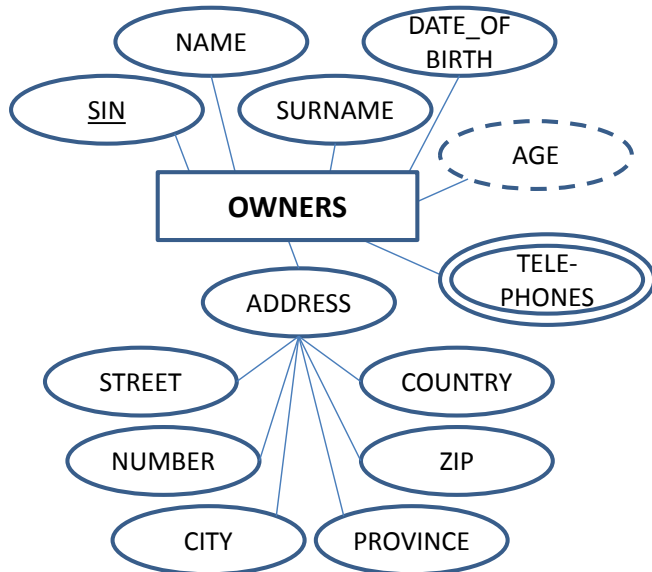
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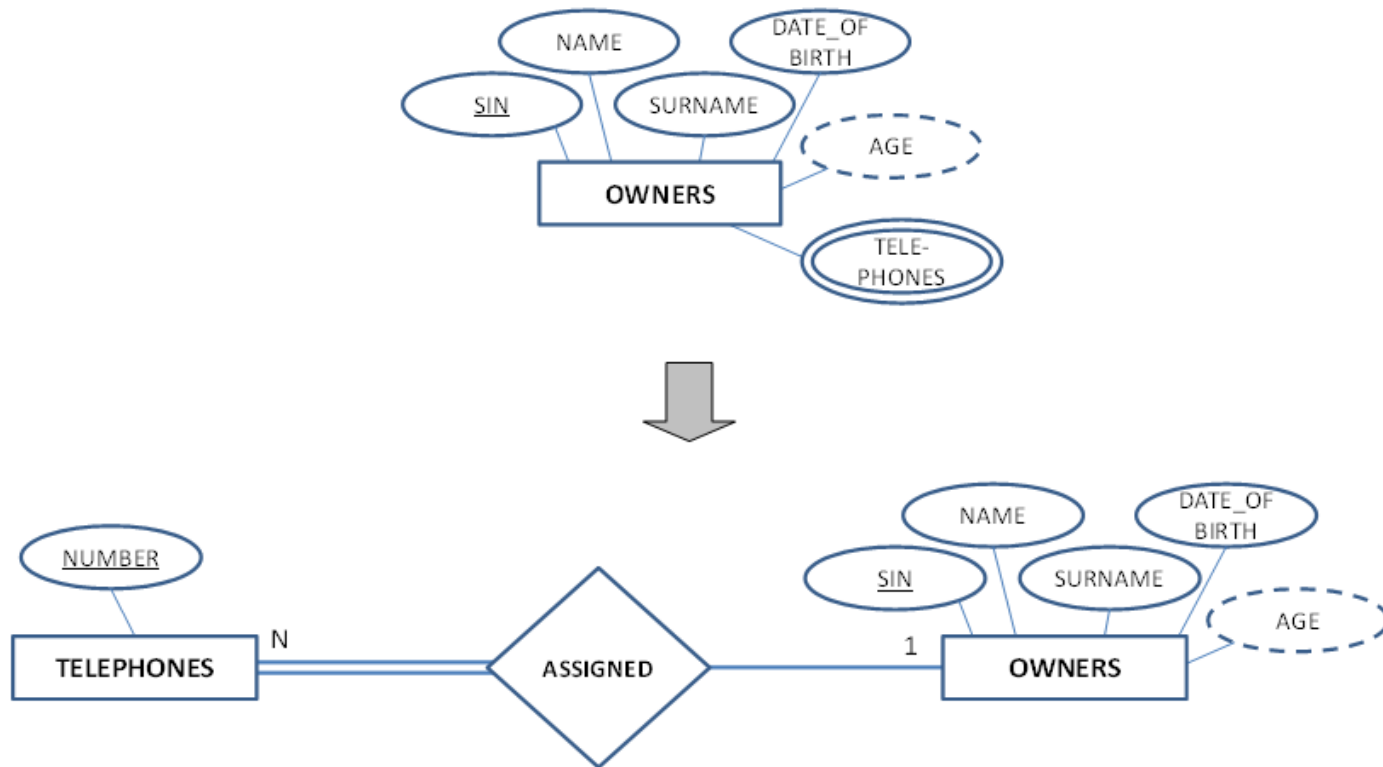
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576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945	9025523456; 9023348877; 9029987654



Mapping ER to Relational schema

- Step 5:



Normal Forms

- Rules that assure ...
 - the organization of data into tables, without duplications...
- NF-1...
 - Each cell accommodate one atomic values
 - No nested relations allowed

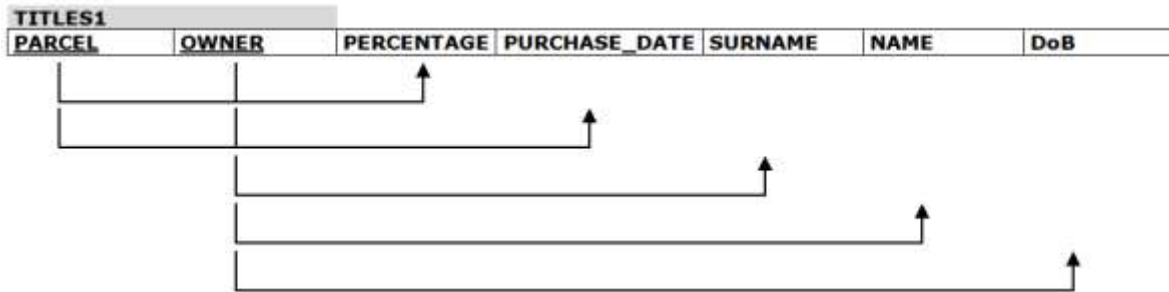
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Normal Forms

- NF-2...
 - All attributes should be fully (and no partially) dependent on the composite key



TITLES1

PARCEL	OWNER	PERCENTAGE	PURCHASE_DATE	SURNAME	NAME	DoB
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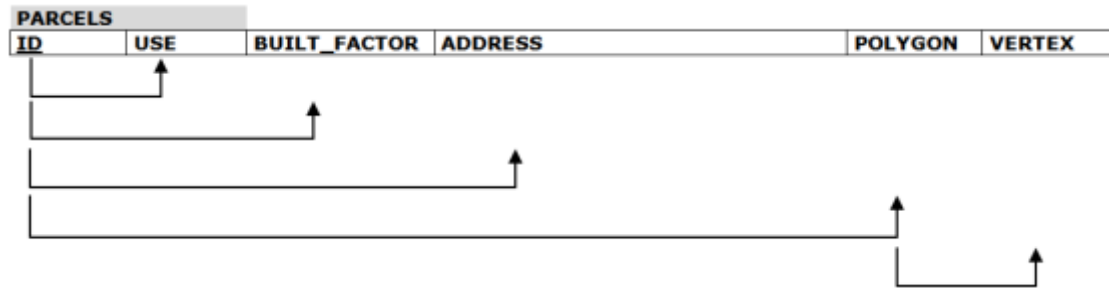
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OWNERS

SIN	SURNAME	NAME	DoB
464197351	SMITH	JOHN	08/15/1952
576129452	COOPER	MARY	11/23/1945

Normal Forms

- NF-3...
 - All attributes should be directly (and no transitional) dependent on the primary key

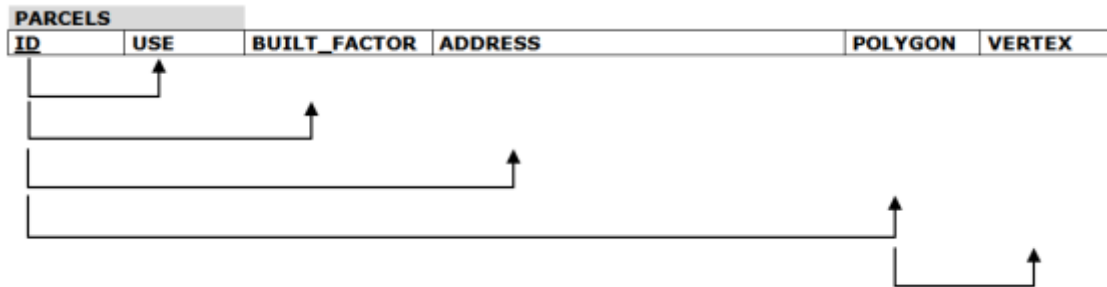


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Normal Forms

- NF-3...
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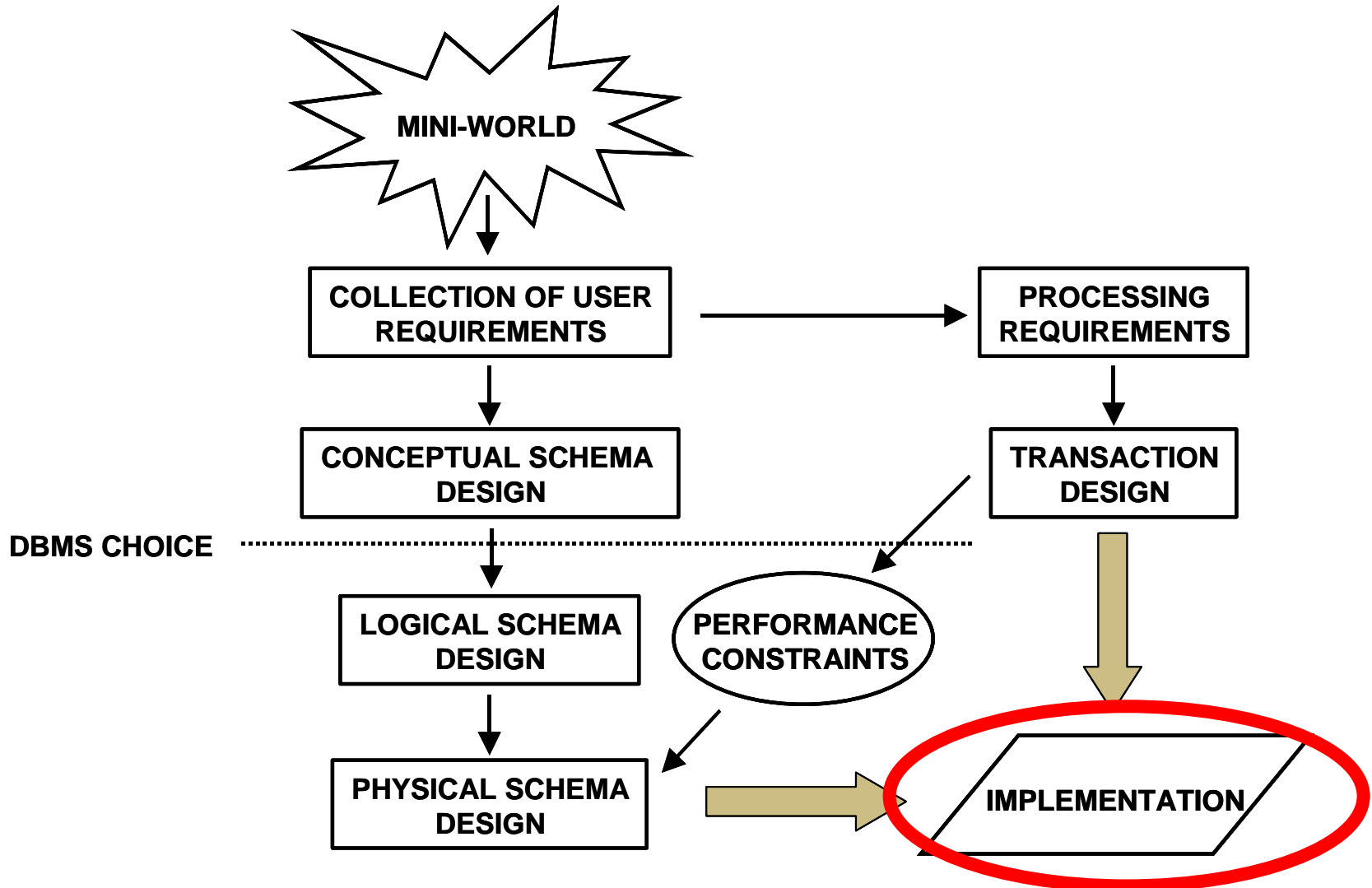
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Database System Design



Relational Algebra

- Describes the operations for the manipulation of relations
 - Relational operations
 - SELECT: selection of tuples (rows)
 - PROJECT: selection of attributes (columns)
 - JOIN: combines tuples from two relations
 - Set operations
 - UNION: unify two relations
 - INTERSECTION: finds the common tuples
 - DIFFERENCE: removes common tuples

Relational Algebra

- Describes the operations for the manipulation of relations
 - Aggregate operations
 - AVERAGE, SUM, MAX, MIN, COUNT
 - Update operations
 - INSERT, DELETE, UPDATE

SQL

- Structured Query Language
 - based on the relational algebra
 - declarative (non procedural) language
 - DBMS optimizer is responsible for the execution plan
 - consists of
 - the data definition language (DDL)
 - create tables and indices over table fields (attributes)
 - The data manipulation language (DML)
 - insert, delete, modify values in tables

SQL

- Data Definition Language (DDL)
 - CREATE TABLE
 - CREATE INDEX
 - CREATE VIEW

 - DROP TABLE
 - DROP INDEX
 - DROP VIEW

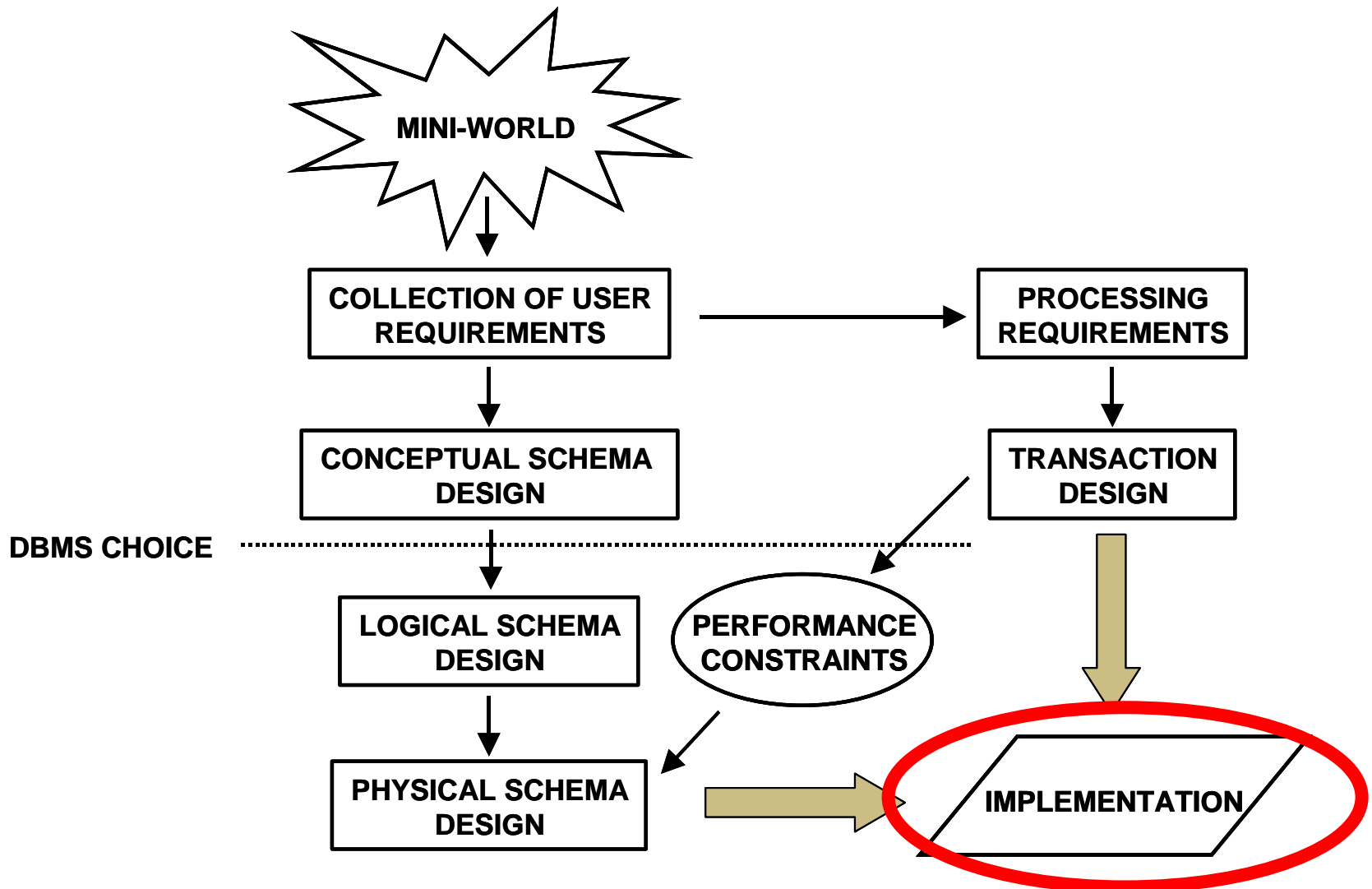
 - MODIFY

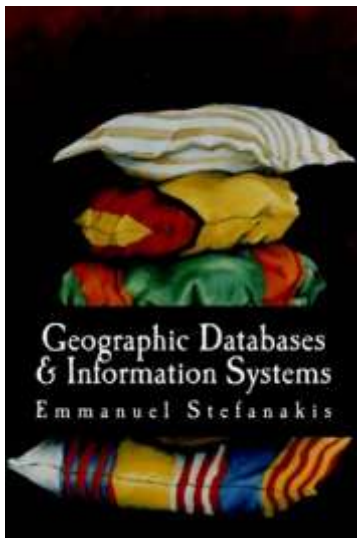
SQL

- Data Manipulation Language (DML)
 - SELECT
 - INSERT
 - DELETE
 - UPDATE

 - COMMIT WORK (store changes)
 - ROLLBACK WORK (until last COMMIT)

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