APPLIED IT FOR BUSINESS

Chapter

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Data Resource Management

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Learning Objectives

- Explain the business value of implementing data resource management processes and technologies in an organization
- Outline the advantages of a database management approach to managing the data resources of a business, compared to a file processing approach
- Explain how database management software helps business professionals and supports the operations and management of a business

Learning Objectives

- Provide examples to illustrate the following concepts
 - Major types of databases
 - Data warehouses and data mining
 - Logical data elements
 - Fundamental database structures
 - Database development

Logical Data Elements



Logical Data Elements

• Character

- A single alphabetic, numeric, or other symbol
- Field or data item
 - Represents an attribute (characteristic or quality) of some entity (object, person, place, event)
 - Examples: salary, job title
- Record
 - Grouping of all the fields used to describe the attributes of an entity
 - Example: payroll record with name, SSN, pay rate

Logical Data Elements

- File or table
 - A group of related records
- Database
 - An integrated collection of logically related data elements

Electric Utility Database



Database Structures

- Common database structures...
 - Hierarchical
 - Network
 - Relational
 - Object-oriented
 - Multi-dimensional

Hierarchical Structure

- Early DBMS structure
- Records arranged in tree-like structure
- Relationships are one-to-many



Network Structure

- Used in some mainframe DBMS packages
- Many-to-many relationships

Network Structure



Relational Structure

Department Table

Deptno	Dname	Dloc	Dmgr
Dept A			
Dept B			
Dept C			

Employee Table

Empno	Ename	Etitle	Esalary	Deptno
Emp 1				Dept A
Emp 2				Dept A
Emp 3				Dept B
Emp 4				Dept B
Emp 5	*****	******		Dept C
Emp 6				Dept B

• Most widely used structure

- Data elements are stored in tables
- Row represents a record; column is a field
- Can relate data in one file with data in another, if both files share a common data element

Relational Operations

- Select
 - Create a subset of records that meet a stated criterion
 - Example: employees earning more than \$30,000
- Join
 - Combine two or more tables temporarily
 - Looks like one big table
- Project
 - Create a subset of columns in a table

Multidimensional Structure

- Variation of relational model
 - Uses multidimensional structures to organize data
 - Data elements are viewed as being in cubes
 - Popular for analytical databases that support Online Analytical Processing (OLAP)

Multidimensional Model





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Object-Oriented Structure

- An **object** consists of
 - Data values describing the attributes of an entity
 - Operations that can be performed on the data
- Encapsulation
 - Combine data and operations
- Inheritance
 - New objects can be created by replicating some or all of the characteristics of parent objects

Object-Oriented Structure



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Object-Oriented Structure

- Used in object-oriented database management systems (OODBMS)
- Supports complex data types more efficiently than relational databases
 - Examples: graphic images, video clips, web pages

Evaluation of Database Structures

Hierarchical

- Works for structured, routine transactions
- Can't handle many-to-many relationship
- Network
 - More flexible than hierarchical
 - Unable to handle ad hoc requests

Relational

- Easily responds to ad hoc requests
- Easier to work with and maintain
- Not as efficient/quick as hierarchical or network

Database Development

- Database Administrator (DBA)
 - In charge of enterprise database development
 - Improves the integrity and security of organizational databases
 - Uses Data Definition Language (DDL) to develop and specify data contents, relationships, and structure
 - Stores these specifications in a data dictionary or a metadata repository

Data Dictionary

- A data dictionary
 - Contains data about data (metadata)
 - Relies on specialized software component to manage a database of data definitions
- It contains information on..
 - The names and descriptions of all types of data records and their interrelationships
 - Requirements for end users' access and use of application programs
 - Database maintenance
 - Security

Database Development



Data Planning Process

- Database development is a top-down process
 - Develop an enterprise model that defines the basic business process of the enterprise
 - Define the information needs of end users in a business process
 - Identify the key data elements that are needed to perform specific business activities (entity relationship diagrams)



Database Design Process

- Data relationships are represented in a data model that supports a business process
- This model is the schema or subschema on which to base...
 - The physical design of the database
 - The development of application programs to support business processes

Database Design Process

- Logical Design
 - Schema overall logical view of relationships
 - Subschema logical view for specific end users
 - Data models for DBMS
- Physical Design
 - How data are to be physically stored and accessed on storage devices

Logical and Physical Database Views



Types of Databases



Operational Databases

- Stores detailed data needed to support business processes and operations
 - Also called subject area databases (SADB), transaction databases, and production databases
 - Database examples: customer, human resource, inventory

Distributed Databases

- Distributed databases are copies or parts of databases stored on servers at multiple locations
 - Improves database performance at worksites
- Advantages
 - Protection of valuable data
 - Data can be distributed into smaller databases
 - Each location has control of its local data
 - All locations can access any data, any where
- Disadvantages
 - Maintaining data accuracy

Distributed Databases

• Replication

- Look at each distributed database and find changes
- Apply changes to each distributed database
- Very complex

Duplication

- One database is master
- Duplicate the master after hours, in all locations
- Easier to accomplish

External Databases

- Databases available for a fee from commercial online services, or free from the Web
 - Examples: hypermedia databases, statistical databases, bibliographic and full text databases
 - Search engines like Google or Yahoo are external databases

Hypermedia Databases

- A hypermedia database contains
 - Hyperlinked pages of multimedia
 - Interrelated hypermedia page elements, rather than interrelated data records

Components of Web-Based System



Data Warehouses

- Stores static data that has been extracted from other databases in an organization
 - Central source of data that has been cleaned, transformed, and cataloged
 - Data is used for data mining, analytical processing, analysis, research, decision support
- Data warehouses may be divided into data marts
 - Subsets of data that focus on specific aspects of a company (department or business process)

Data Warehouse Components



Applications and Data Marts



Data Mining

- Data in data warehouses are analyzed to reveal hidden patterns and trends
 - Market-basket analysis to identify new product bundles
 - Find root cause of qualify or manufacturing problems
 - Prevent customer attrition
 - Acquire new customers
 - Cross-sell to existing customers
 - Profile customers with more accuracy

Traditional File Processing

- Data are organized, stored, and processed in independent files
 - Each business application designed to use specialized data files containing specific types of data records
- Problems
 - Data redundancy
 - Lack of data integration
 - Data dependence (files, storage devices, software)
 - Lack of data integrity or standardization

Traditional File Processing



Database Management Approach

- The foundation of modern methods of managing organizational data
 - Consolidates data records formerly in separate files into databases
 - Data can be accessed by many different application programs
 - A database management system (DBMS) is the software interface between users and databases

Database Management Approach



Database Management System

- In mainframe and server computer systems, a software package that is used to...
 - Create new databases and database applications
 - Maintain the quality of the data in an organization's databases
 - Use the databases of an organization to provide the information needed by end users

Common DBMS Software Components

• Database definition

- Language and graphical tools to define entities, relationships, integrity constraints, and authorization rights
- Nonprocedural access
 - Language and graphical tools to access data without complicated coding
- Application development
 - Graphical tools to develop menus, data entry forms, and reports

Common DBMS Software Components

- Procedural language interface
 - Language that combines nonprocedural access with full capabilities of a programming language
- Transaction processing
 - Control mechanism prevents interference from simultaneous users and recovers lost data after a failure
- Database tuning
 - Tools to monitor, improve database performance

Database Management System

- Database Development
 - Defining and organizing the content, relationships, and structure of the data needed to build a database
- Database Application Development
 - Using DBMS to create prototypes of queries, forms, reports, Web pages
- Database Maintenance
 - Using transaction processing systems and other tools to add, delete, update, and correct data

DBMS Major Functions



- Create: Database and Application Development
- Maintain: Database Maintenance
- Use: Database Interrogation

- End users use a DBMS query feature or report generator
 - Response is video display or printed report
 - No programming is required
- Query language
 - Immediate response to ad hoc data requests
- Report generator
 - Quickly specify a format for information you want to present as a report

SQL Queries

- Structured, international standard query language found in many DBMS packages
- Query form is SELECT...FROM...WHERE...

A Sample Natural Language-to-SQL Translation for Microsoft Access

Natural Language

WHAT CUSTOMERS HAD NO ORDERS LAST MONTH?

SQL

SELECT [Customers].[Company Name],[Customers].[Contact Name] FROM [Customers] WHERE not Exists {SELECT [Ship Name] FROM [Orders] WHERE Month {[Order Date]}=1 and Year {[Order Date]}=2004 and [Customers].[Customer ID]=[Orders].{[Customer ID]}

- Boolean Logic
 - Developed by George Boole in the mid-1800s
 - Used to refine searches to specific information
 - Has three logical operators: AND, OR, NOT
- Example
 - Cats OR felines AND NOT dogs OR Broadway

- Graphical and Natural Queries
 - It is difficult to correctly phrase SQL and other database language search queries
 - Most DBMS packages offer easier-to-use, point-and-click methods
 - Translates queries into SQL commands
 - Natural language query statements are similar to conversational English

Graphical Query Wizard



Database Maintenance

- Accomplished by transaction processing systems and other applications, with the support of the DBMS
 - Done to reflect new business transactions and other events
 - Updating and correcting data, such as customer addresses

Application Development

- Use DBMS software development tools to develop custom application programs
 - Not necessary to develop detailed data-handling procedures using conventional programming languages
 - Can include data manipulation language (DML) statements that call on the DBMS to perform necessary data handling

Assesment

- Buat Makalah (Kajian) Tentang :
 - Distributed Databases
 - Hypermedia Databases
 - Sistem Datawarehouse
 - Data Mining
 - Web Mining
- Makalah (Tercetak dikumpulkan) Online (Upload ke Kuliah Online Makalah + Slide)
- Presentasi Minggu Depan (Slide Maks 15 hal)
- Makalah berupa kajian dari berbagai sumber.
- Referensi disertakan.

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