Query Optimization

4. Exercise

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Exercise 1

1. Give an example query graph with cardinalities and selectivities for which the GreedyOperatorOrdering (GOO) algorithm does not give the optimal (with regards to $C_{out}$) join tree. Specify the optimal join tree.

2. Construct the join tree for the example from 1. using the IKKBZ-based heuristics. Give the $C_{out}$ cost for the result and compare it with the GOO tree’s cost.

Exercise 2

Using the program from the the last exercise as basis, construct the query graph for each connected component. Annotate the query graph as follows:

- annotate each node with the underlying relation, the list of predicates that can be pushed down to that relation, and the estimated result cardinality
- annotate each edge with the underlying join predicate, and the estimated selectivity

The Table and Attribute classes in tinydb allow to retrieve the domain size (i.e., the number of unique values) of attributes and the cardinality of base tables. Keep in mind that we will construct join trees for these query graphs in later exercises.