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## Modelling Relational Data • DTC

## ERD (Obsolete in 1983)



- Really. Since when can a Course be taught by more than one Department or Faculty.


## Entity Type

Reference/Majo
Reference/Simple
Identifying
Transaction, Binary
TransactionDetail
(1) IDEF1X Notation

IDEF1X•Entity Level


- IDEF1X demands the distinction of entities, into Independent vs Dependent
- Dependence (ownership) is denoted by an Identifying relation (solid line)
- Thus a dashed line denotes a Non-Identifying relation

IDEF1X•[Key \&] Attribute Level


CourseTeacher DepartmentCode CourseCode DateApproved

- This model is superior in that it ensures that a Teacher teaches Courses only for a Department that he is registered in - Assumption: a Teacher is resgistered to one Department only
- enforced by Teacher.AK
- to allow a Teacher to work for more than one Department, simply remove the AK

For Understanding, Beyond the Exercise


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## Modelling Relational Data •ABE

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## Entity Type

$\square$ Reference/Major
Reference/Simple
Identifying

- Transaction, Binary
(1) IDEF1X Notation


## IDEF1X



- The minimum required for the exercise
- An Editorial cannot exist without a Book, nor without a Person, thus it is Dependent on both.


For Understanding, Beyond the Exercise


- A bit more real world
- This registers the [actual] facts that occur in reality
- The relation Book::Editorial in the broken ERD is Book::Person here
- Nicola's concept of Contribution is a View, not a separate fact.



## Modelling Relational Data • Nicola

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## Entity Type

| $\square$ | Reference/Major |
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| Reference/Simple |  |

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