

Homework 1

1. 1.8: Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of DBMSs
2. 1.11: Study the *DreamHome* case study presented in Section 11.4 and Appendix A.1.
 - a. In what ways would a DBMS help this organization?
 - b. What do you think are the main objects that need to be represented in the database?
 - c. What relationships do you think exist between these main objects?
 - d. For each of the objects, what details (attributes) do you think need to be stored in the database?
 - e. What queries do you think are required?