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Consider the following relation for published boocks:

BOOK(**Book title, Author name**, Book_type, List_price, Author_affil, Pulisher)

Author_affil refers to the affiliation of author. Suppose the following dependencies exist:

Book_title → Publisher, Book_type (partial)

Book_type → List_price (transitive)

Author_name → Author_affil (partial)

a. What normal form is the relation in? Explain your answer. 1NF, is assumed to have all atomic value but has several partial dependencies as well as one transitive dependency.

Prime attibutes: Book_title, Author_name

Non-prime attributes: Book_type, List_price, Author_affil, Publisher

b. Normalize BOOK to 3NF. Specify foreign keys.

1.Title (**Book_Title**, Publisher, Book_Type)

Type (**Book_Type**, List Price)

Author_affil (Author_Name, Author_affil)

2.Book Author (Book_Title, Author Name)

Author (Book Title, Author Name)

Affiliation (Author Name, Author affil)

Pricing (**Book_Type**, List_Price)

Reference (Book Title, Publisher, Book Type)