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## Class test -1- 17MA20053

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1) i) The entity sets and their attributes are:-

Student - Key - Student number

Attributes :- Name, number, address, phone  
DOB, sex, class, degree

Department :- Key - Name and Code

Attributes - Name, Code, office no, phone

Course :- Key - Course number

Attributes - Number, description, semester hours,  
level, Department.

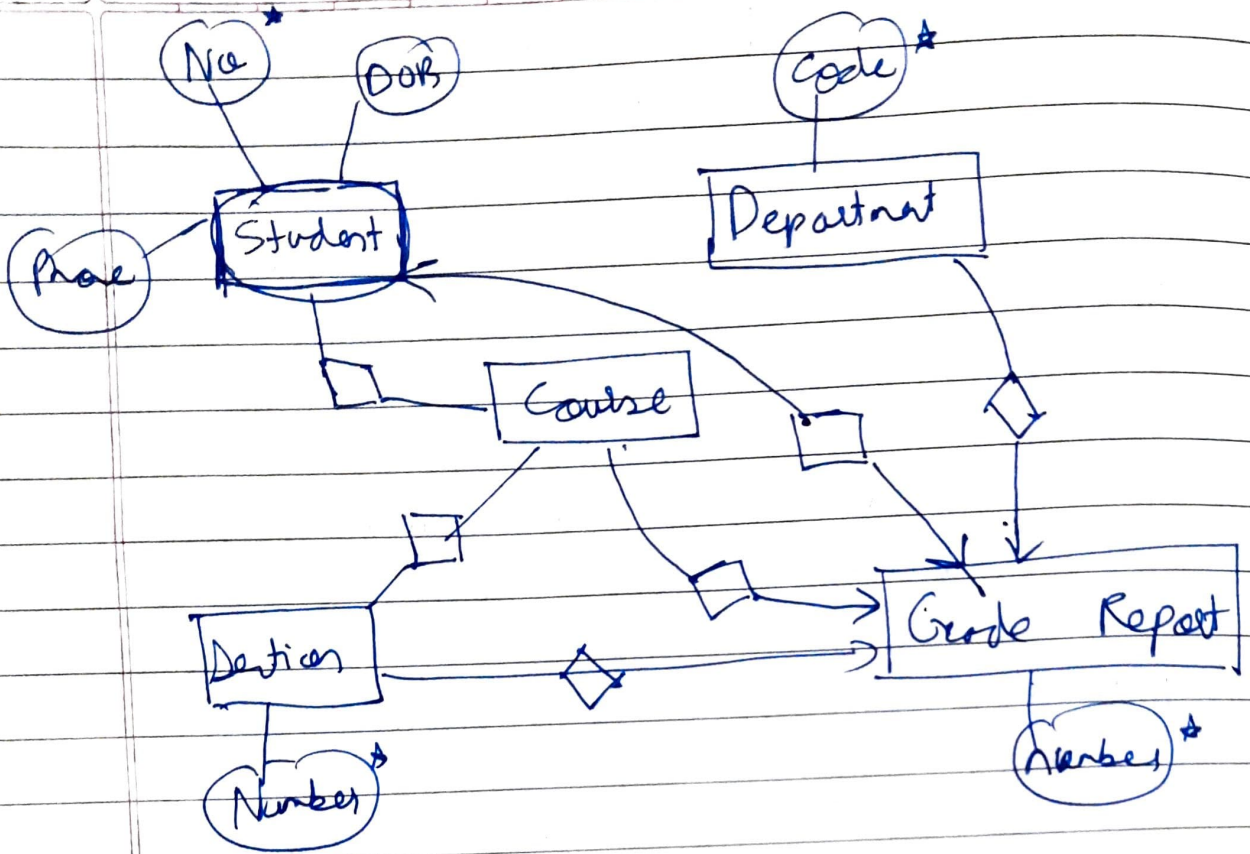
~~Instruction~~

Section : Key - Section number

Number, instructor, semester, year, course,

Grade Report: Key - Student number

Name, number, section-, letter grade.



E-R Diagram.

2) a) R has one key, then  $BCNF \Leftrightarrow 3NF$

We already know that  $BCNF \rightarrow 3NF$

Let  $F (F^+)$  denote closure of set of FDs satisfied by  $R$ , which is assumed  $3NF$ .

We need to show for each nontrivial

$X \rightarrow A$  in  $F^+$ ,  $X$  is a super key.

~~To this~~ Let  $X$  not be a superkey if possible,

$3NF$  guarantees that  $A$  is part of key.

Since all keys are simple by assumption,

we have  $A$  is key. This with  $X \rightarrow A$

implies  $X$  is a super key which is contradiction.

$\therefore 3NF \rightarrow BCNF$  thus  $3NF \Leftrightarrow BCNF$



2b) i) The statement is False.

$$X \rightarrow Y, W \rightarrow Z, Y \subseteq W$$

$$W \supseteq Y \quad \therefore W \rightarrow Y$$

$$X \rightarrow Y, W \rightarrow Y$$

$$W \rightarrow Z$$

$$W \rightarrow YZ$$

$\therefore$  False

ii)  $XZ \rightarrow Y, X \rightarrow W$  and  $Z \subseteq W$  then  $X \rightarrow Y$

$\Rightarrow$  We have  $X \rightarrow W$  and  $Z \subseteq W$

thus  $X \rightarrow Z$  by decomposition.

$\therefore X \rightarrow XZ$  and  $XZ \rightarrow Y$  (Augmentation)

$\therefore$  By transitivity

$$X \rightarrow Y$$

Hence proved.

c)  $R(A, B, C, D, E, X, Y)$

Reduce to 3NF

Step 1  ~~$D \rightarrow A, X$~~  All F.Ds already have one attribute on right.

Step 2 Use set  $B, C$ , and  $D$  as equivalent keys

i.e.  $B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow B, C \rightarrow B, D \rightarrow X$

$R_1(\underline{B}, \underline{C}, \underline{D}, B)$   $R_2(\underline{C}, B)$   $R_3(\underline{D}, X)$

$R_4(\underline{X}, B)$  ,  $R_5(\underline{E}, Y)$

Key attributes are underlined.

This is a 3NF Relation, has lossy join property.

It is required decomposition.

3) a)  $R(A, B, C)$  and  $S(A, B, D)$ .

Natural join of  $R \bowtie S$ ,  $R \bowtie S \neq \emptyset$

Result  $-(A, B, C, D)$

Result of  $R \bowtie S$  is

3b) Suppliers ( $s_{id}, s_{name}, s_{address}$ )

Book ( $book\_no, year, title$ )

User ( $card\_no, name, address$ )

Supply (

Borrow (

i) None of user with no issue.

$$\pi_{u.name}(USER) - \pi_{a.name} \left( \sigma_{\substack{\text{user.card\_no} (USER \times BORROW) \\ = \text{Borrow.card\_no}}} \right)$$

ii)  $\pi_{s.name} \left( \sigma_{\text{card\_no} = 'All'} \left( \text{suppliers} \bowtie \text{Supply} \bowtie \text{Borrow} \right) \right)$



4)  $R(A, B, C, D, E)$  with FDs  
 $\{A \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A\}$

$R_1\{A, B, C\}$  &  $R_2\{A, D, E\}$

i)  $R_1 \cap R_2 = \{A\}$

$R_1 - R_2 = \{BC\}$

$A \rightarrow BC$  exists in given FD set.

$\therefore R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$

$\therefore$  Decomposition is a lossless join decomposition

ii) For  $R_1$  consider dependencies

$R_1, F_1 = \{A \rightarrow BC\}$

For  $R_2$   $F_2 = \{E \rightarrow A\}$

$F =$  given FD set

$F_1 \cup F_2 \neq F$  as  $CD \rightarrow E$  &  $B \rightarrow D$   
 are not in  $F_1 \cup F_2$

$\therefore$  Decomposition does not preserve dependency.