## Solution Mid II fall 2019 Database Systems CS 203

## Solution 01

Decompose PLAYER into more tables based on the non-key dependencies. Then we shall get the tables as follows;

PLAYER (Player-no, Player-name, Player-position, Team)
TEAM (Team, Team-color, Team-captain, Coach-no, Coach-name)

The key for *PLAYER* is *Player-no*, and all the others are non-key attributes. Hence, *PLAYER* is in 2NF (no partial dependencies) and 3NF (no transitive dependencies).

The key for *TEAM* is *Team*. All the other attributes are non-key attributes and depends on *Team-no*. Hence, *TEAM* is in 2NF. TEAM has following transitive dependency;

Team  $\rightarrow$  Coach-no  $\rightarrow$  Coach-name.

Hence, TEAM is not in 3NF. To convert, decompose TEAM as follows;

TEAM (<u>Team</u>, Team-color, Team-captain, Coach-no) COACH (Coach-no, Coach-name)

Now, TEAM and COACH are both in 2NF and 3NF.

Final set of decomposed tables that are in 3NF are;

PLAYER (<u>Player-no</u>, Player-name, Player-position, Team)
TEAM (<u>Team</u>, Team-color, Team-captain, Coach-no)

COACH (Coach-no, Coach-name)

## **Solution 02**

