

# COMPUTER SCIENCE

## Database Management System

FD's and Normalization:  
Minimal cover, Lossy & Lossless  
join, Dependency Preserving  
Decomposition, Normal  
Forms:  
(1NF, 2NF, 3NF & BCNF)



Lecture\_02



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**Q.10**

Consider the following relational schema  $R(ABCDEF)$  with functional dependency  $\{AB \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow F, F \rightarrow B\}$   
 The number of candidate keys for relation  $R$ ? ←

$$(AB)^+ = [ABCDEF]$$

$$(A)^+ = [A]$$

$$(B)^+ = [B]$$

**AB is Candidate key** - ①

~~If X Attribute  $\rightarrow$  [Prime Attribute]~~

$$\begin{array}{c} A \\ F \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (AF)^+ = [AFBCDE] \\ (F)^+ = [FB] \end{array}$$

**AF is C.K** - ②

$$\text{Key / Prime Attribute} = (\check{A}, \check{B}, \check{F}, \check{E}, D, c) \quad (\underline{BD})^+ = \underline{[BDEF]}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} A \\ E \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (AE)^+ = [AEFB\check{C}\check{D}] \\ (E)^+ = [EFB] \end{array}$$

**AE is C.K** - ③

$$\begin{array}{c} A \\ C \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (AC)^+ = [ACDEFB] \\ (C)^+ = [CDEFB] \end{array}$$

**AC is C.K** - ⑤

$$\begin{array}{c} A \\ D \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (AD)^+ = [ADEFB\check{C}] \\ (D)^+ = [DEFB] \end{array}$$

**AD is C.K** - ④

5 C.K  $[AB, AF, AE, AD, AC]$

Q.11

$R(ABCDE) \{A \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A\}$

Find candidate keys for the relation R?

P  
W

Prime Attribute = {A, E, C, D}

Sol:

$$(A)^+ = \overbrace{ABCDE}$$

A is Candidate key - ①

If  $X \rightarrow [Prime\ Attribute]$

$$E \rightarrow A$$

$$(E)^+ = \overbrace{EA\bar{B}CD}$$

E is Candidate key - ②

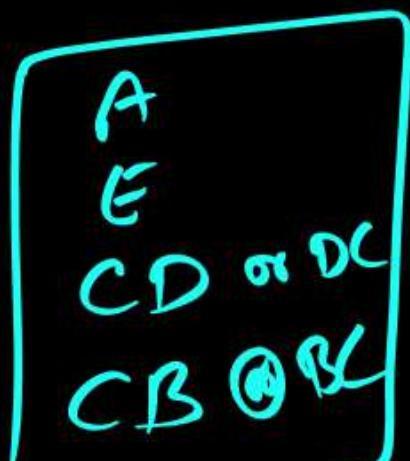
$$\overbrace{CD \rightarrow E}$$

$$CD \rightarrow E \Rightarrow (CD)^+ = \overbrace{CDEAB}$$

$$(C)^+ = \{C\}$$

$$(D)^+ = \{D\}$$

CD is Candidate key - ③



U.C.K Ans

$$B \rightarrow D \Rightarrow (CB)^+ = \overbrace{CBDAE}$$

$$(B)^+ = \{BD\}$$

CB is C.K - ④

Q.12

R(ABCDEFGH)

 $\{AB \rightarrow CD, D \rightarrow EG, F \rightarrow H, C \rightarrow EF, H \rightarrow A, G \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow B\}$ 

Find candidate keys for the relation R ? *prime attribute = {A, H, F, C}*

$$(AB)^+ = [ABCDEFGH]$$

$$(B)^+ = [B]$$

$$(A)^+ = [ABCDEFGH]$$

**A is Candidate key** -①

X Attribute  $\rightarrow$  [Prime Attribute]

$$(H)^+ = [ABCD EFG]$$

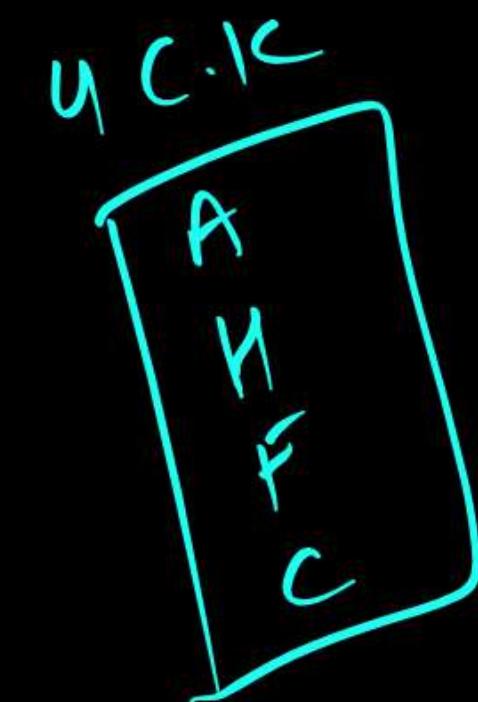
**H is Candidate key** -②

$$\begin{array}{c} F \rightarrow H \\ (F)^+ = [FHABCD E G] \end{array}$$

**F is CK** -③

$$\begin{array}{c} C \rightarrow EF \\ (C)^+ = [CFHABDEG] \end{array}$$

**C is CK** -④



Q.13

Consider a relation scheme  $R = (A, B, C, D, E, H)$  on which of the following functional dependencies hold:

$$\{A \rightarrow B, BC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow C, \underline{D \rightarrow A}\}$$

What are the candidate keys of R?

- A AE, BE
- B AE, BE, DE
- C AEH, BEH, BCH
- D AEH, BEH, DEH

$$(AE)^+ = [ABECD]$$

$$(AEH)^+ = [ABCDEH]$$

AEH is C.K

-①

$$\begin{array}{c} D \rightarrow A \\ \hline (DEH) \end{array}$$

P.A/key  
Attrbut = H, A, E, D

[GATE 2M]

$$\overline{BC \rightarrow D}$$

$$(BCEH)^+$$

$$(BEH)^+ = [BENCDHA]$$

$$(CEH)^+ = [CEH]$$

BEH is C.K

**Q.14**

Consider a relation R with five attributes V, W, X, Y, and Z. The following functional dependencies hold :  $VY \rightarrow W$ ,  $WX \rightarrow Z$ , and  $ZY \rightarrow V$ . Which of the following is a candidate key for R?

(GATE 2m)

- A  $VXZ$
- B  $VXY$
- C  $\underline{VWXY}$
- D  $\underline{VWX}YZ$

$$(VXZ)^+ = (VXZ)$$

$$(VXY)^+ = (VXYWZ)$$

**B** Ans

**Q.15**

P  
W

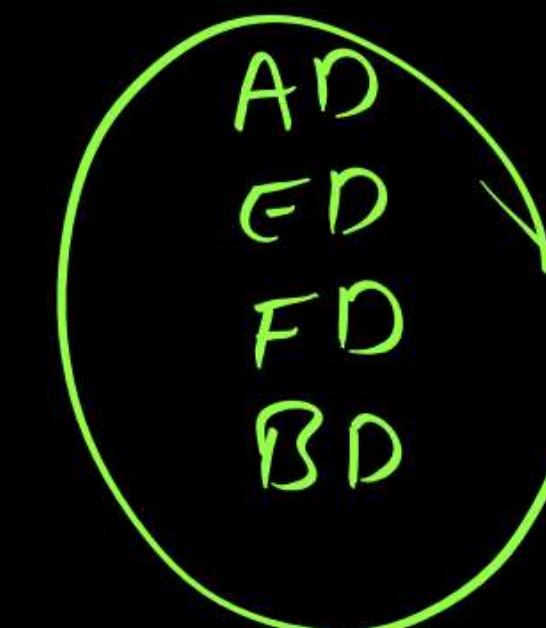
Relation R has eight attributes ABCDEFGH. Fields of R contain only atomic values.

$F = \{CH \rightarrow G, A \rightarrow BC, B \rightarrow CFH, E \rightarrow A, F \rightarrow EG\}$  is a set of functional dependencies (FDs) so that F is exactly the set of FDs that hold for R.

How many candidate keys does the relation R have?

[GATE 2013 : 2 marks]

- A 3
- B 4
- C 5
- D 6



4 Candidate key.

**Q.16**

Which of the following is NOT a superkey in a relational schema with attributes V, W, X, Y, Z and primary key VY?

P  
W

(GATE)

- A VX Y Z
- B V W X Z
- C V W X Y
- D V W X Y Z

VY

Any Sub Set of VY is Superkey.

**Q.17**

A prime key attribute of a relation scheme R is an attribute that appears

P  
W

[GATE]

- A In all candidate keys of R.
- B In some candidate key of R.
- C In a foreign key of R.
- D Only in the primary key of R.

C.K = {A, H, F, C}

- RDBMS Concept

- FD & its type

$$X \rightarrow Y$$

- Attribute closure

- Keys Concept

- Finding Multiple Candidate key

$t_1.x = t_2.x$  then  $t_1.y = t_2.y$   
must be same

Trivial

Non Trivial

Semi Non Trivial

Keys

Super key

minimal

Candidate key (lets Assume 4.c.k)

I Select  
or  
Primary key

Remaining  
CK's  
Alternative/Secondary  
key

## Finding Multiple Candidate Key

first we find Any One Candidate Key

If  $X_{\text{Attribute}} \rightarrow [\text{Prime Key Attribute}]$

then Multiple Candidate key are Possible.

## Membership Set

Let F be the Given FD Set.

$$F : [ \dots \dots \dots ]$$

⑧ Any  $X \rightarrow Y$  FD is a Member of FD Set F  $\circlearrowright$  Not ?

$X \rightarrow Y$  is member of FD Set F iff  $X \rightarrow Y$  logically implied in F.

$X \rightarrow Y$  logically implied means from the closure of X determine Y.  
 $[X]^+ = [ \dots \dots \underline{Y} ]$  yes its Member / logically implied /  
Valid FD.

(e3)

$$R(A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C)$$

$A \rightarrow C$  is member | logically implied | valid FD for F ?

~~Swm~~

$$[A]^+ = (A B \subseteq)$$

$A \rightarrow C$  is a Member | logically implied

Q)

$$F_1 \{ AB \rightarrow C, BC \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow EF \}$$

Check  $[A \rightarrow F]$  is logically implied  $\textcircled{\text{Q}}$  Not ?

$$[A]^+ = \cancel{[A]}$$

Not logically implied

Not Member of FD Set F.

Q.1

In a schema with attributes A, B, C, D and E following set of functional dependencies are given

$$A \rightarrow B$$

$$A \rightarrow C$$

$$\underline{CD \rightarrow E}$$

$$\underline{B \rightarrow D}$$

$$\underline{E \rightarrow A}$$

[GATE: 2 marks + ISRO]

$$(CD)^+ = [C \underline{D E} \underline{A B}]$$

$$(BD)^+ = [BD]$$

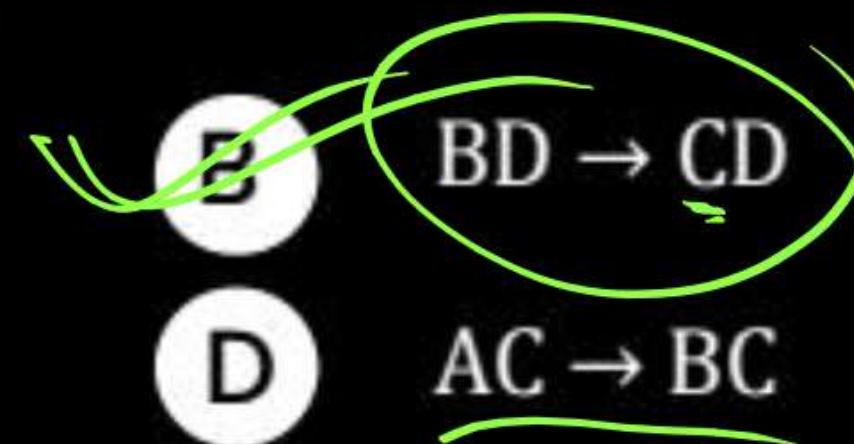
$$(BC)^+ = [B \underline{C D} \dots]$$

$$(AC)^+ = [AC \underline{B} \dots]$$

Which of the following functional dependencies is NOT implied by the above set

A

$$CD \rightarrow \underline{AC}$$



C

$$BC \rightarrow \underline{CD}$$

Ans (B)

**Q.2**

Suppose the following functional dependencies hold on a relation U with attributes P, Q, R, S and T:

$$P \rightarrow QR, RS \rightarrow T$$

(MSQ) (GATE 2021)

Which of the following functional dependencies can be inferred from the above functional dependencies?

~~C~~

$$PS \rightarrow T$$

~~D~~

$$R \rightarrow T$$

$$(PS)^+ = (PORST^+)$$

$$(R)^+ = (R)$$

A  $P \rightarrow R$   
B  $PS \rightarrow Q$

$$(P)^+ = (PUR)$$

$$(PS)^+ = (PSQRT)$$

A, B, C

Attribute closure  $[x]^+$

$[A]^+$

$[AC]^+$

Closure of FD Set



Set of ALL possible FD's which can be derived  
from given FD Set is called Closure of FD set.  $[F]^+$



$(F)^+$

Closure of FD

P  
W

$R(AB)$

$\phi$

A

B

$\neg AB$

$\phi \rightarrow \phi$

$A \rightarrow \phi$   
 $A \rightarrow A$

$A \rightarrow B$

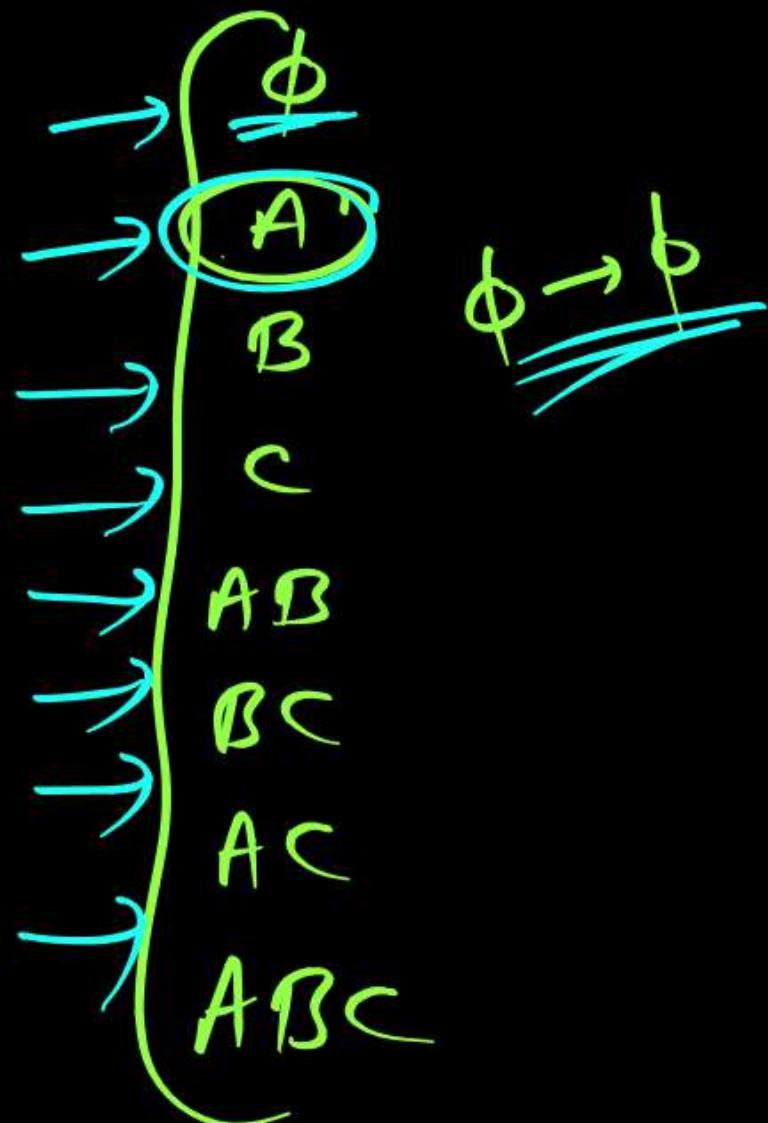
$A \rightarrow AB$

$B \rightarrow \phi$   
 $B \rightarrow A$   
 $B \rightarrow B$   
 $B \rightarrow AD$

$AB \rightarrow \phi$   
 $AB \rightarrow A$   
 $AB \rightarrow B$   
 $AB \rightarrow AB$

P  
W

$R(A B C)$



$A \rightarrow \phi$   
 $A \rightarrow A$   
 $A \rightarrow B$   
 $A \rightarrow C$   
 $A \rightarrow AB$   
 $A \rightarrow BC$   
 $A \rightarrow AC$   
 $A \rightarrow ABC$

$\frac{B \rightarrow \phi}{B \rightarrow B}$   
 $\frac{B \rightarrow B}{B \rightarrow C}$   
 $\frac{B \rightarrow AB}{B \rightarrow AC}$   
 $\frac{B \rightarrow AC}{B \rightarrow BC}$   
 $B \rightarrow ABC$

R(ABC)

[A → B, B → C]

φ

0 Attribute ⇒  $\phi \rightarrow \phi$

A

B

C

AB

BC

AC

ABC

1 Attribute

$$[A]^+ = [A\bar{B}\bar{C}] \Rightarrow 2^3$$

$$[B]^+ = [B\bar{C}] \Rightarrow 2^2$$

$$[C]^+ = [C] \Rightarrow 2^1$$

$$[AB]^+ = [A\bar{B}C] \Rightarrow 2^3$$

$$[BC]^+ = [B\bar{C}] \Rightarrow 2^2$$

$$[AC]^+ = [A\bar{B}C] \Rightarrow 2^3$$

$$[ABC]^+ = [ABC] = 2^3$$

$$\underline{[F]}^+ = \underline{43} \quad \cancel{\text{Ansatz}} \quad \circlearrowleft 2^n$$

①

⑧  $[A \rightarrow \phi, A \rightarrow A, A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C]$   
 $[A \rightarrow AB, A \rightarrow BC, A \rightarrow AC, A \rightarrow ABC]$

④  $[B \rightarrow \phi, B \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow BC]$

②  $[C \rightarrow \phi, C \rightarrow C]$

⑥  $[AB \rightarrow \phi, AB \rightarrow A, AB \rightarrow B, AB \rightarrow C]$   
 $[AB \rightarrow AB, AB \rightarrow BC, AB \rightarrow AC, AB \rightarrow ABC]$

④  $[BC \rightarrow \phi, BC \rightarrow B, BC \rightarrow C, BC \rightarrow BC]$

③  $[AC \rightarrow \phi, AC \rightarrow A, AC \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow BC]$   
 $AC \rightarrow AB, AC \rightarrow BC, AC \rightarrow AC, AC \rightarrow ABC]$

⑧  $[ABC \rightarrow \phi]$

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$AB \hookrightarrow \phi$ ,  $ABC \rightarrow A$ ,  $ABC \rightarrow B$ ,  $ABC \rightarrow C$   
 $ABC \rightarrow AB$ ,  $ABC \rightarrow BC$ ,  $ABC \rightarrow AC$   
 $ABC \rightarrow A$

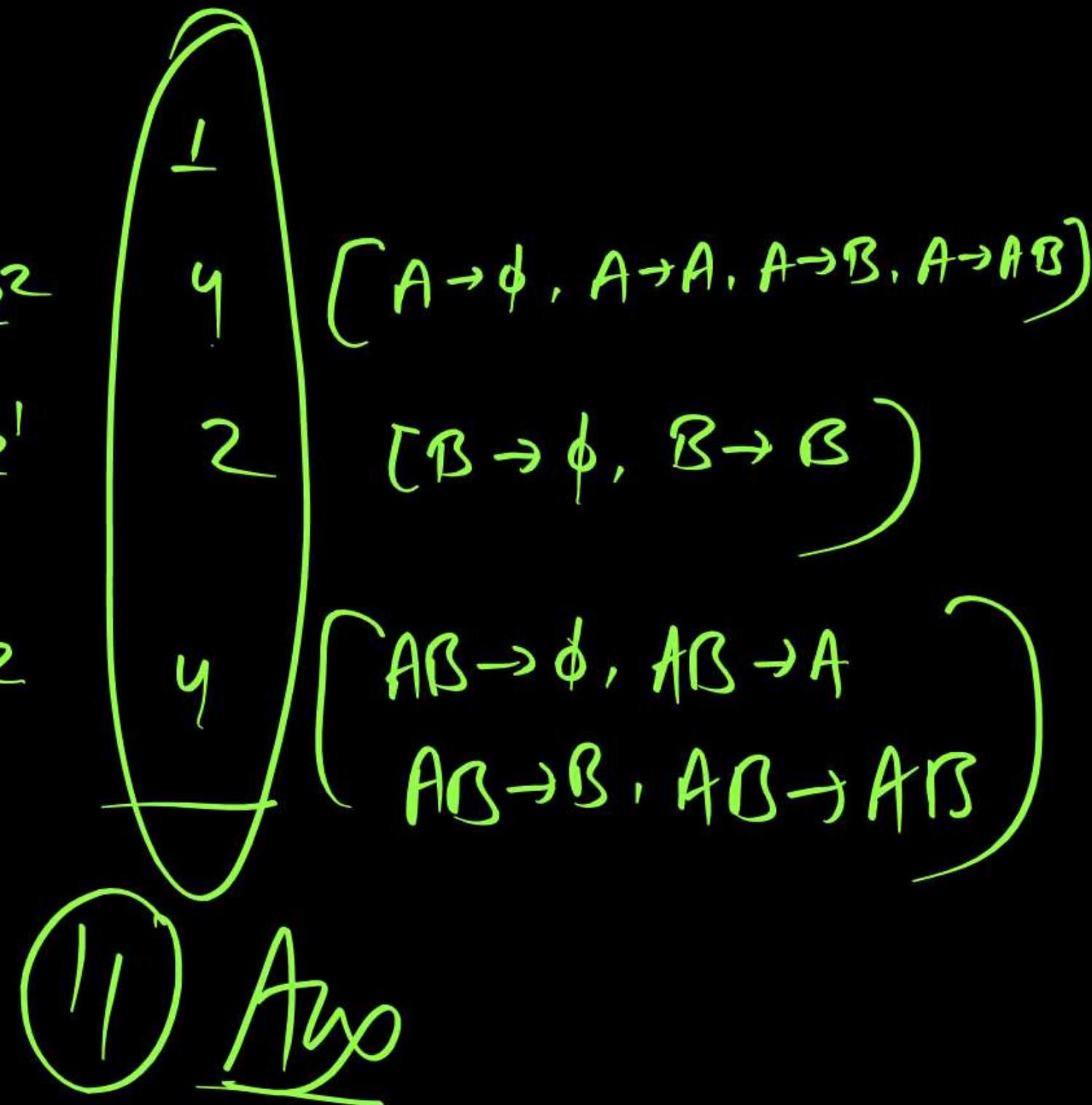
$R(AB)$      $(A \rightarrow B)$

$$\phi \quad \text{0 Attribute} = \perp$$

$$A \quad \frac{\perp \text{ Attribute}}{(A)^+ = (AB) = 2^2}$$

$$B \quad (B)^+ = (B) = 2^1$$

$$AB \quad 2 \text{ Attribute} \quad (AB)^+ = (AB) = 2^2$$



Equality between 2 FD set $F: [ - - - - - ]$  $G: [ - - - - - - - ]$ 

$$\boxed{F \equiv G} ?$$

$F \& G$  equal only  
if  $[F]^+ \equiv [G]^+$

$F: [ \dots \dots \dots ]$  $G: [ \dots \dots \dots ]$  $F \equiv G$ 

$F$  and  $G$  are equal only if

$F$  Cover  $G$ : True

$G$  Cover  $F$ : True

 $\boxed{F \equiv G}$ 

True

False

 $\boxed{F \supset G}$ 

False

True

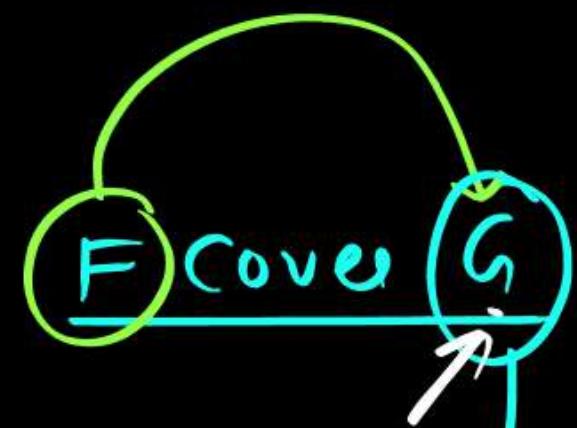
 $\boxed{G \supset F}$ 

False

False

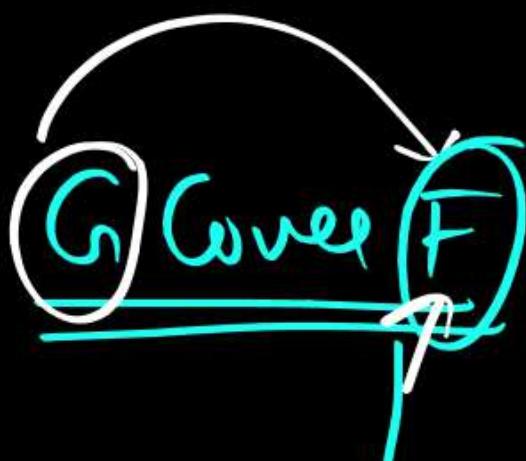
Uncomparable

$F$  Cover  $G$ : True  
 $G$  Cover  $F$  : True



$F \text{ Cover All the FD's of } G$

→ All the Dependency (FD)'s of  $G$  is logically implied (member) of ' $F$ ' FD Set.



$G \text{ Cover all the FD of } F$

→ All the FD's of  $F$  is logically implied in  $G$  FD Set.

Q.3

Consider relation schema A(P Q R S) with two set of FD's

$$F : [P \rightarrow Q, PQ \rightarrow R, PR \rightarrow S, Q \rightarrow R, Q \rightarrow P]$$

$$G : [PQ \rightarrow S, PR \rightarrow Q, Q \rightarrow S, QS \rightarrow R]$$

Which of the following is correct?

- A F Cover G
- B G Cover F
- C F and G are equivalent
- D None of these

F Cover G

$$\begin{array}{ll} \cancel{PQ \rightarrow S} & [PQ]^+ = [PQRS] \\ \cancel{PR \rightarrow Q} & [PR]^+ = [PRQ\_] \\ \cancel{Q \rightarrow S} & [Q]^+ = [QRP\$] \\ \cancel{QS \rightarrow R} & [QS]^+ = [QSRP] \end{array}$$

G Cover F

$$\begin{array}{ll} \cancel{P \rightarrow Q} & [P]^+ = [P] \\ \cancel{PQ \rightarrow R} & [PQ]^+ = [PQRS] \\ \cancel{PR \rightarrow S} & [PR]^+ = [PRQS] \\ \cancel{Q \rightarrow R} & [Q]^+ = [QSR] \\ \cancel{Q \rightarrow P} & [Q]^+ = [QSR] \end{array}$$

False

True

**Q.4**

Consider relation schema R(A C D E H) with two set of FD's

$F : [A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H]$

$G : [A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH]$

Which of the following is correct?

[MSQ]

$$F \equiv G$$

- A F Cover G
- B G Cover F
- C F and G are equivalent
- D None of these

## Minimal Cover



eliminate extra (Redundant) FD

Extra (Redundant FD) : Extra FD is a FD if we Delete that from FD Set then after

Deletion, No Effect on FD Set F.

$$F: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, \underline{A \rightarrow C}]$$

$A \rightarrow C$  is extra (Redundant) FD.

$$G: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C]$$

$$[A]^+ = [ABC]$$



Minimal Cover

## Canonical Cover

- ❑ Sets of functional dependencies may have redundant dependencies that can be inferred from the others
  - ❖ For example:  $A \rightarrow C$  is redundant in:  $\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C\}$

$$G: (A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C)$$

$$[A]^+ = [ABC]$$

$$F: (A \rightarrow B, \underline{B \rightarrow C}, \underline{\underline{A \rightarrow C}})$$

Assume  $A \rightarrow C$  is R.F.D

$$\boxed{G: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C]}$$

$$\boxed{\text{If } F \sqsubseteq G} \quad \begin{array}{l} F \text{ covers } G: \text{True} \\ G \text{ covers } F: \text{True} \end{array}$$

We consider  $A \rightarrow C$  is R.F.D

F covers G

$$A \rightarrow B \checkmark (A)^+ = (ABC)$$

$$B \rightarrow C \checkmark (B)^+ = (BC)$$

True

G covers F

$$A \rightarrow B \quad (A)^+ = (ABC)$$

$$B \rightarrow C = (B)^+ = (BC)$$

$$A \rightarrow C \quad (A)^+ = (ABC)$$

True

$$\boxed{F \sqsubseteq G}$$

$A \rightarrow C$  is R.F.D

$F: (A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C)$

lets Assume  $B \rightarrow C$  is R.F.D

$G: [A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C]$

F Cover G

$\checkmark A \rightarrow B \quad [A]^+ = [ABC]$

$\checkmark A \rightarrow C \quad [A]^+ = [ABC]$

True

$B \rightarrow C$  is NOT  
extra FD.

G Cover F

$\checkmark A \rightarrow B$

$[A]^+ = [ABC]$

$\times B \rightarrow C$

$[B]^+ = [B]$

$\checkmark A \rightarrow C$

$[A]^+ = [ABC]$

False

Q.5

$AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$  is a minimal cover for the set of functional dependencies  $AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, AB \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$ .

(Not)

[GATE 2013]

F: [  $AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, AB \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$  ]

G: [  $AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$  ].

F Cover G

~~$AB \rightarrow C$~~

$(AB)^+ = ABC \dots$

~~$D \rightarrow E$~~

$(D)^+ = DE \dots$

~~$E \rightarrow C$~~

$(E)^+ = EC \dots$

True

G Cover F

~~$AB \rightarrow C$~~

$(AB)^+ = ABC$

~~$D \rightarrow E$~~

$(D)^+ = DE$

~~$AB \rightarrow E$~~

$(AB)^+ = ABC$

~~$E \rightarrow C$~~

$(E)^+ = EC$

False

Procedure

Step 1

R.H.S

'single Attribute'

(e.g)  $A \rightarrow BC$   
 $(A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C)$

Step 2

Find Redundant FD & Delete them

Step 3

L.H.S Redundant Attribute

## Procedure to find minimal set

### Step

(1) Split the FD such that RHS contain single Attribute.

Ex.  $A \rightarrow BC,$   $\Rightarrow A \rightarrow B$  and  $A \rightarrow C$

### Step

(2) Find the redundant FD and delete them from the set

Ex.  $\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C\}$

~~$\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C\}$~~   
 $\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C\}$

**Step**

(3) Find the redundant attribute on L.H.S and delete them.

Ex.  $\text{AB} \rightarrow C$ , A - Can be deleted  $[B]^+ = [A]$   
extra  $B^+$  Contains 'A'

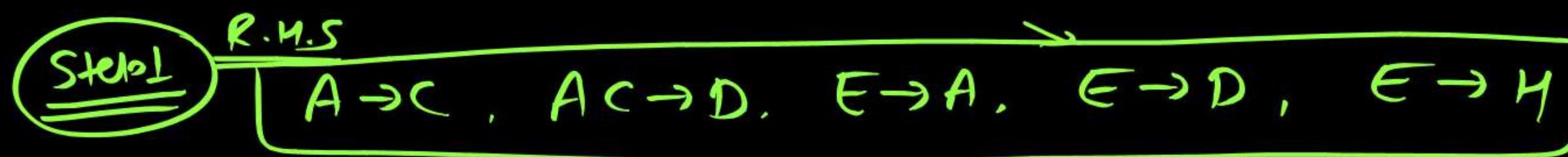
B can be delete if  $A^+$  contain 'B'  $[A]^+ = [...B]$   
extra

In my  
When x extra  $\Rightarrow [y]^+ = [- \dots x]$

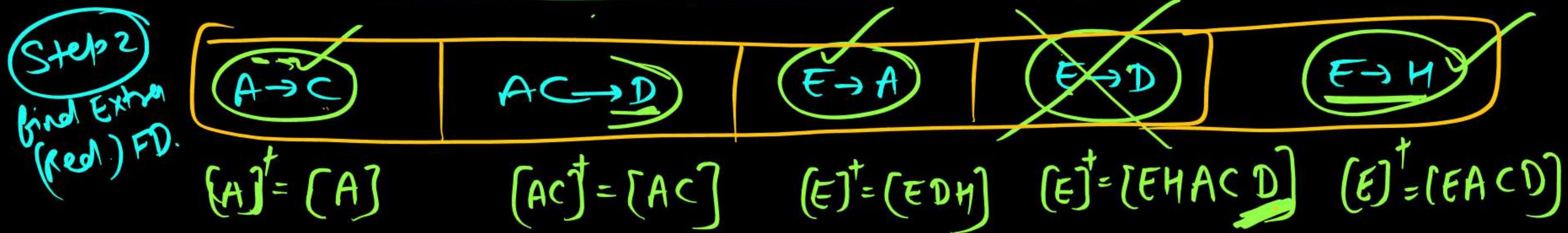
When y extra  $\Rightarrow [x]^+ = [- \dots y]$

Example:

$$[A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H]$$



$E \rightarrow D$  is extra FD.



$$\underline{AC} \rightarrow D.$$

$$\underline{ABC} \rightarrow D$$

$C$  is extra if  $[A]^t = [\dots \underline{C}]$

$A$  is extra if  $[C]^t = [\dots \underline{A}]$

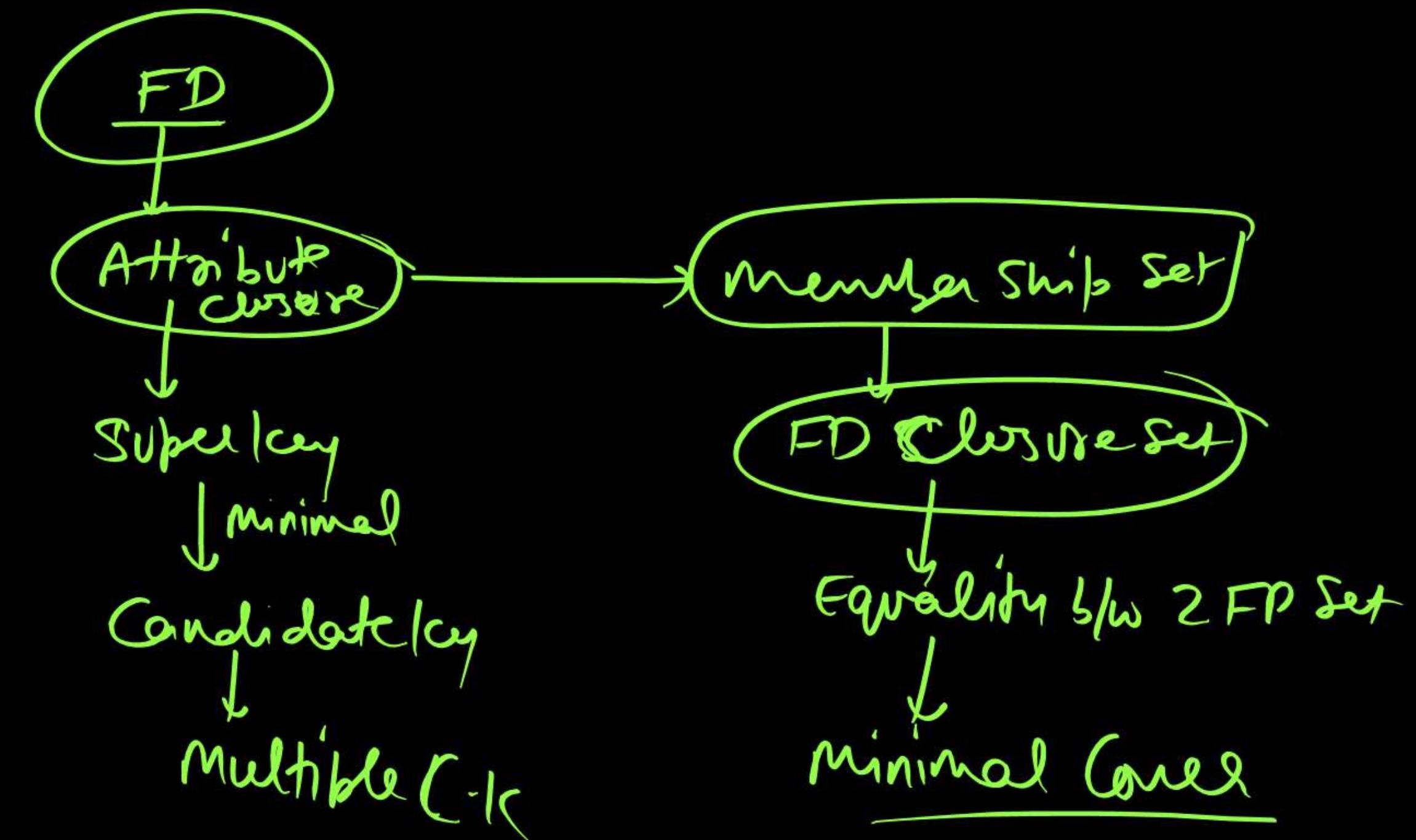
$[C]^t = [C]$      $A$  is NOT extra

$[A]^t = [AC]$      $C$  is extra

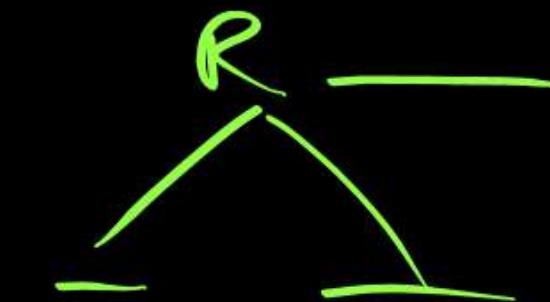
$A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A, E \rightarrow H$  ] Ans

or

$A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH$  ] Ans



## Normal Form



Lossless Join

Dependency Preferred

## Properties of Decomposition

- ① Lossless Join
- ② Dependency Preserving

## Lossless Join

$R$  is Decomposed into Sub Relation  $R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n$

If  $R_1 \bowtie R_2 \bowtie R_3 \dots \dots \bowtie R_n = R$   
lossless Join

If  $R_1 \bowtie R_2 \bowtie R_3 \dots \dots \bowtie R_m > R$   
lossy Join

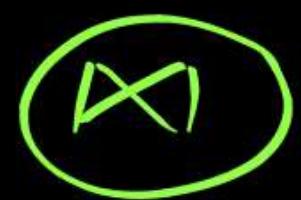
## Lossless - Join Decomposition

- For the case of  $R = (R_1, R_2)$ , we require that for all possible relations  $r$  on schema  $R$

$$\underline{r} = \pi_{R_1}(r) \bowtie \pi_{R_2}(r)$$

- A decomposition of  $R$  into  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  is lossless join if at least one of the following dependencies is in  $F^+$ :

- ❖  $R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow \underline{R_1}$
- ❖  $R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_2$



Natural Join ( $\bowtie$ )

$R \bowtie S$ .



Cross Product (Cartesian Product) of  $R$  &  $S$ .

$R$                      $S$   
 $n_1$  Table           $n_2$  Table  
 $c_1$  Attribute       $c_2$  Attribute

$R \times S \Rightarrow$   $n_1 \times n_2$  Table  
 $c_1 + c_2$  Attribute



Select the Table which satisfy equality condition on all common attribute from  $R \times S$ .



Projection of Distinct Attribute.

$$R \bowtie S = \pi_{\text{Distinct Attribute}} \left[ \text{equality condition } (R \times S) \right]$$

Q.

R(ABC)

$A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C$

A	B	C
1	5	5
2	5	8
3	8	8

Decomposed into

Q.1  $R_1(AB) \& R_2(BC)$

Q.2  $R_1(AB) \& R_2(AC)$

$[A]^+ = [AB]$

Super Key of  $R_1$  lossless

$(B)^+ = B$  lossy

A	B	
1	5	
2	5	
3	8	

1 Table      3 Table  
1 Attrb.      2 Attrb

$3 \times 3 = 9$  Table

$2+2=4$  Attribute

A	B	C
1	5	5
1	5	8
2	5	5
2	5	8
3	8	8

lossy  
Join

R <sub>1</sub> .A	R <sub>1</sub> .B	R <sub>2</sub> .B	R <sub>2</sub> .C
1	5	5	5
1	5	5	8
1	5	8	8
2	5	5	5
2	5	5	8
2	5	8	8
3	8	5	5
3	8	5	8
3	8	8	8

P  
W

Q.

$R(ABC)$

A	B	C
1	5	5
2	5	8
3	8	8

Decomposed into

- Q.1  $R_1(AB) \& R_2(BC)$
- Q.2  $R_1(AB) \& R_2(AC)$

A	B
1	5
2	5
3	8

A	C				
1	5				
2	8				
3	B				

$$R_1.A = R_2.A$$

A	B	C
1	5	5
2	5	8
3	8	8

lossless



P  
W

Lossless Join: Let  $R$  be the Relation Schema with FD set is Decomposed into SubRelation  $R_1 \& R_2$

$R_1 \bowtie R_2$  is Lossless

①  $R_1 \cup R_2 \Rightarrow R$

- ② If Common Attribute of  $R_1 \& R_2$  either Super key of  $R_1$  or Super key of  $R_2$
- $(R_1 \cap R_2)^+ \rightarrow R_1$
- $(R_1 \cap R_2)^+ \rightarrow R_2$

## Lossy Join

① If Common Attribute of  $R_1$  &  $R_2$

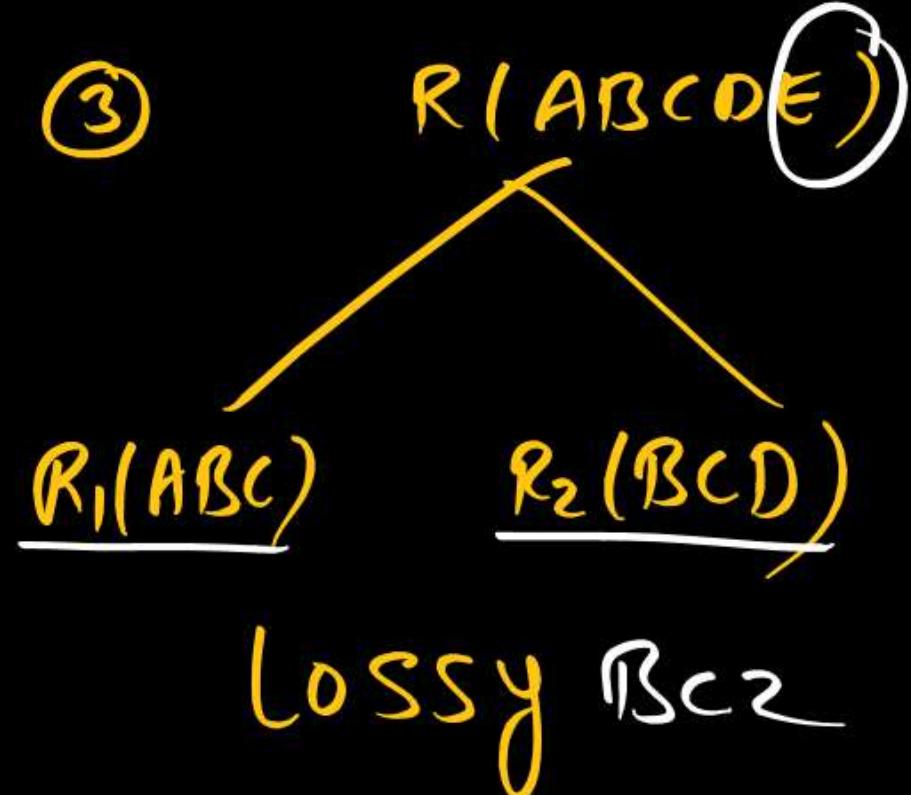
neither a Super key of  $R_1$ ,  $(R_1 \cap R_2)^+ \not\rightarrow R_1$

nor

Super key of  $R_2$

$(R_1 \cap R_2)^+ \not\rightarrow R_2$

③



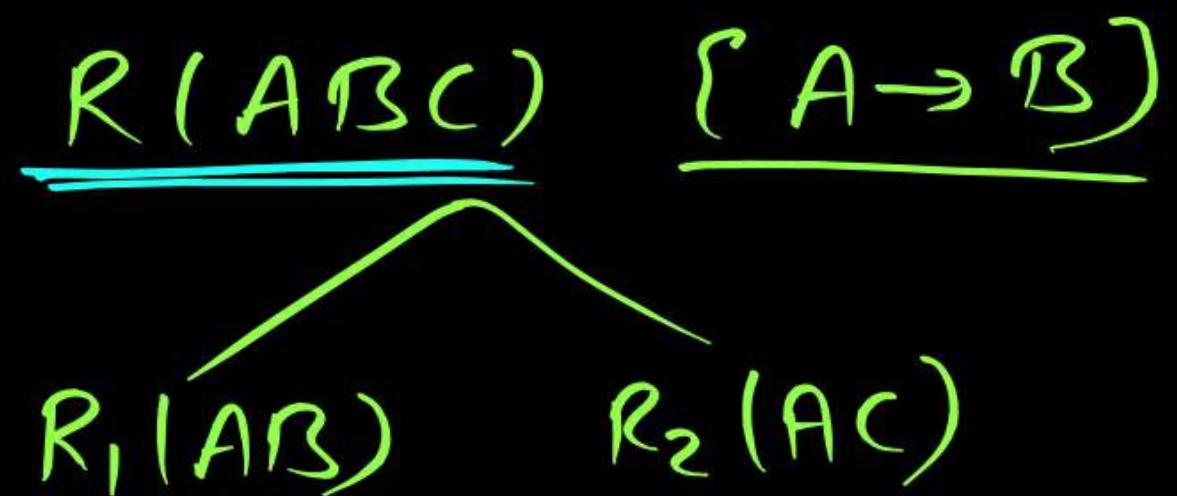
②

$R(ABCDEF)$

$R_1(ABC)$

$R_2(DEF)$

} lossy  
BC<sub>2</sub> No  
Common Attribute

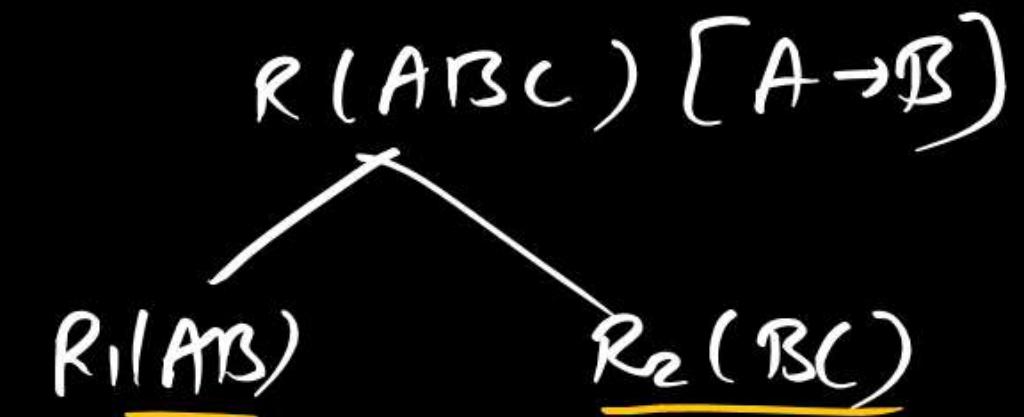


*Soln* ①  $R_1(AB) \cup R_2(AC) \Rightarrow [ABC]$

$R_1(AB) \cap R_2(AC) \Rightarrow [A]$

$[A]^+ = [AB]$  Subkey of  $R_1$

Lossless Join



- ①  $R_1(AB) \cup R_2(BC) = ABC$
- ②  $R_1(AB) \cap R_2(BC) = B$

$[B]^+ = [B]$  Not a Superkey  
of  $R_1$  or  $R_2$

Lossy Join

Q.

$R(ABCDEFG) \{AB \rightarrow CD, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow FG\}$

P  
W

Decomposed into  $R_1(ABCD)$  and  $R_2(DEFG)$

~~Step 1~~  
Step 1

$$R_1(ABCD) \cup R_2(DEFG) \Rightarrow R(ABCDEFG)$$

~~Step 2~~  
Step 2

$$R_1(ABCD) \cap R_2(DEFG) \ni (D)$$

$[D]^t = [DEFG]$  Super key of  $R_2$ .

Lossless Join

Q.

R(ABCDEFG) {AB → C, C → D, D → EFG}

P  
W

Decomposed into R<sub>1</sub>(ABCE) and R<sub>2</sub>(DEFG)

Step1

$$R_1(ABCE) \cup R_2(DEFG) \Rightarrow R(ABCDEF)$$

Step2

$$R_1(ABCE) \wedge R_2(DEFG) \Rightarrow [E]$$

$[E]^+ = [E]$  Neither Superkey of R<sub>1</sub>  
nor R<sub>2</sub>

Lossy Join

Q.

Consider the relation  $R(P, Q, S, T, X, Y, Z, W)$  with the following functional dependencies

$$PQ \rightarrow X; P \rightarrow YX; Q \rightarrow Y; Y \rightarrow ZW$$

GATE: 2 marks

Consider the decomposition of the relation  $R$  into the constituent relations according to the following two decomposition schemes.

*Lossy* ←  $D_1 : R = [R_1(P, Q, S, T); R_2(P, T, X); R_3(Q, Y); R_4(Y, Z, W)]$

$$D_2 : R = [(P, Q, S); (T, X); (Q, Y); (Y, Z, W)]$$

$$(PQST) \cap (R_2(PTX) \rightarrow PT) \\ (PTYX)$$

Which one of the following options is correct?

A

$D_1$  is a lossy decomposition, but  $D_2$  is a lossless decomposition.

B

Both  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  are lossless decompositions.

C

Both  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  are lossy decompositions.

D

$D_1$  is a lossless decomposition, but  $D_2$  is a lossy decomposition.

$$R_{12}(PQSTX) \cap R_3(QY)$$

$$(Q)^t = (QY \sim)$$

$$R_{123}(PQSTXY) \cap R_4(YZW)$$

$$(Y)^t = (YZW)$$

$R_1, R_2, R_3, \dots, R_n$   
 $F_1, F_2, F_3, \dots, F_n$

If  $F_1 \cup F_2 \cup F_3 \cup \dots \cup F_n \equiv F$

Dependency Preserved.

$R(ABCD)$  $(A \rightarrow B, C \rightarrow D)$  $R_1(AB), R_2(CD)$ 

Non Trivial

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
\begin{array}{c} AB \\ A \rightarrow B \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} CD \\ C \rightarrow D \end{array} \\
\hline
& \cong
\end{array}$$

$(A)^+ = (A)$

$(B)^+ = (B)$

$(C)^+ = (CD)$

$(D)^+ = (D)$

 $F_1 \quad F_2$   
 $A \rightarrow B \vee C \rightarrow D$

$F: [$ 

]

~~Non trivial~~

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c|c} R_1() & R_2() & R_3() \\ \hline & & & \end{array}$$

## Dependency Preservation

- Let  $F_i$  be the set of dependencies  $F^+$  that include only attributes in  $R_i$ .
  - ❖ A decomposition is dependency preserving, if
$$(F_1 \cup F_2 \cup \dots \cup F_n) = F^+$$

Q.

Consider a schema  $R(A, B, C, D)$  and functional dependencies

$A \rightarrow B$  and  $C \rightarrow D$ . Then the decomposition of  $R$  into  $R_1(AB)$  and  $R_2(CD)$  is

$R_1(AB) \quad R_2(CD) \Rightarrow$  lossy

Dependency preserving and lossless join

A

B

C

D



Lossless join but not dependency preserving

Dependency preserving but not lossless join

Not dependency preserving and not lossless join

$$(A)^t = (AB)$$

$$(B)^t = (B)$$

$$(AB)^t = (AB)$$

$$(C)^t = (CD)$$

$$(D)^t = (D)$$

$$(CD)^t = (CD)$$

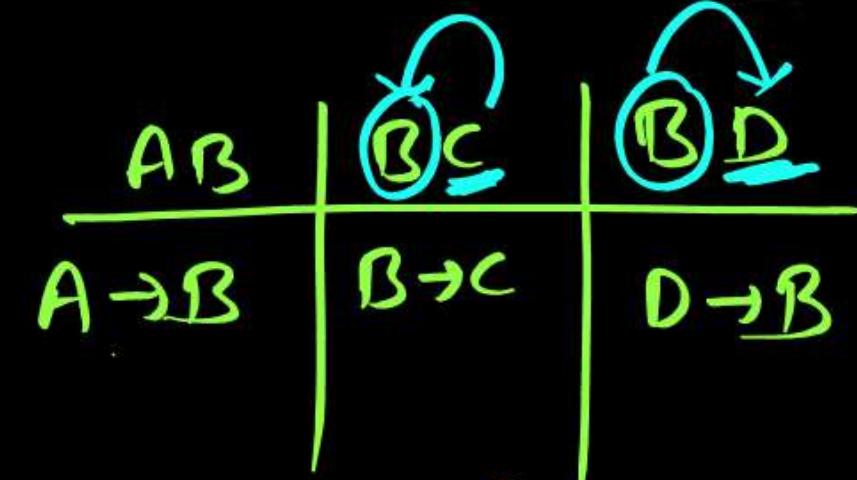
$$(CD)^t = \emptyset$$

Q.

Let  $R(A, B, C, D)$  be a relational schema with the following function dependencies:

$A \rightarrow B$ ,  $B \rightarrow C$ ,  $C \rightarrow D$  and  $D \rightarrow B$ .

The decomposition of  $R$  into  $(A, B)$ ,  $(B, C)$ ,  $(B, D)$

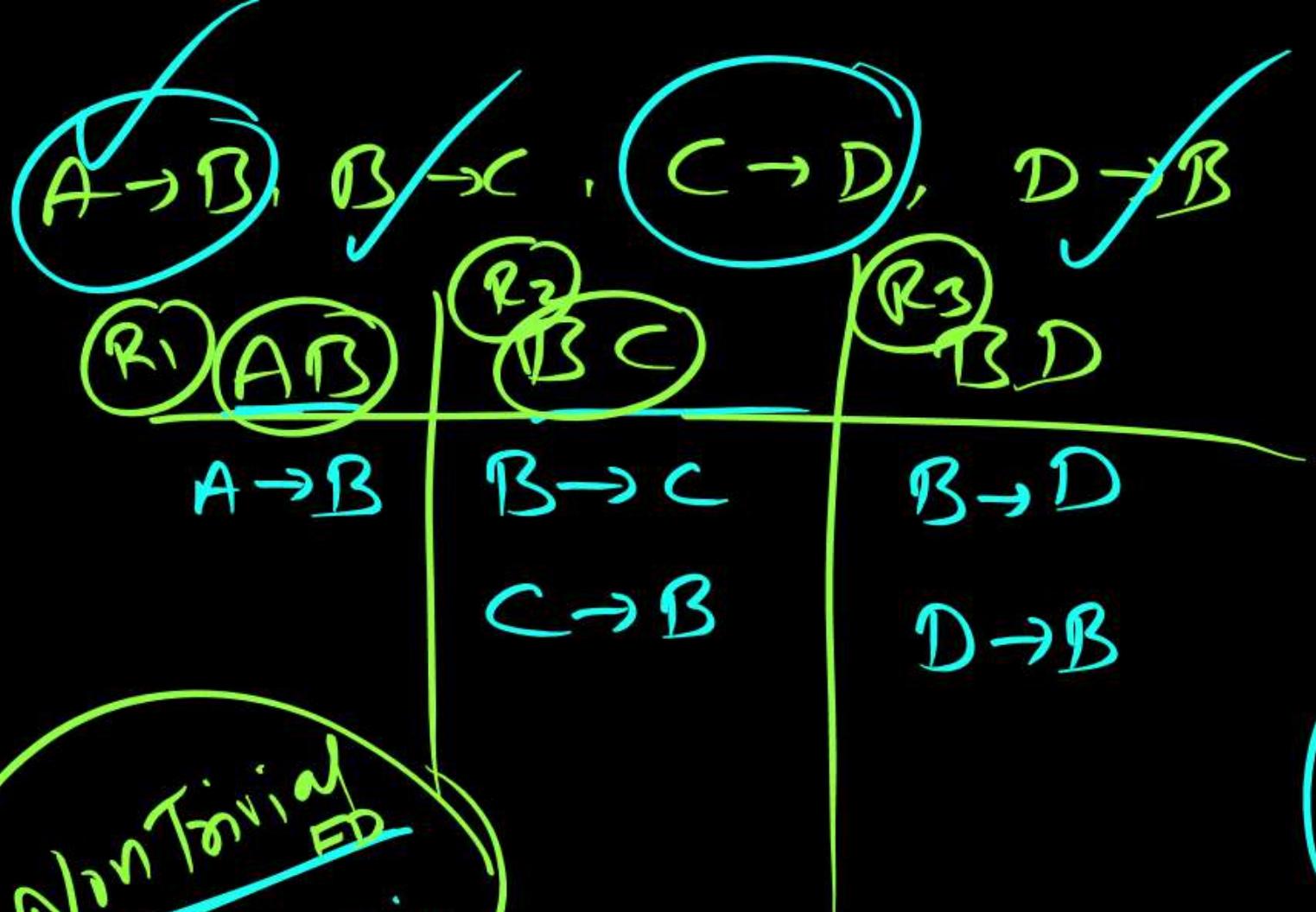


Gives a lossless join, and is dependency preserving

- A Gives a lossless join, and is dependency preserving
- B Gives a lossless join, but is not dependency preserving
- C Does not give a lossless join, but is dependency preserving
- D Does not give a lossless join and is not dependency preserving

$$(C)^t = [CDB] \quad (Q)^t = [BCD]$$

P  
W



$F_1 \cup F_2 \cup F_3$

$(A \not\rightarrow B, B \not\rightarrow C, C \not\rightarrow D, D \not\rightarrow B)$

$C \rightarrow D$

Non Trivial  
Domain

$$(A)^+ = (ABCD)$$

$$(B)^+ = (BCD)$$

$$(C)^+ = (CDB)$$

$$(D)^+ = (DB)$$

Whenever Any Attribute Not Present in FD then  
Make a Part of Candidate Key

R(ABCDEF)

(AB → CD, CD → E)

$$\underline{(AB)^+ = ABCDE}$$

F is Not Present in dependent  $\textcircled{or}$  determinant.  
 then add (make a part) in Candidate key.

$$\begin{array}{c} AF \\ \nearrow \\ AB \end{array} \rightarrow (ABF)^+ = ABCDEF$$

$$\begin{array}{c} BF \\ \nearrow \\ AF \end{array} \quad \cancel{\begin{array}{c} AF \\ \nearrow \\ BF \end{array}}$$

$$(AF)^+ = AF$$

$$(BF)^+ = BF$$

ABF is C.K

Ans

RDBMS Concept

FD & its type

Keys Concept ( Subkey, Candidate, P.K , A.k/S.Ic )

Finding Multiple Candidate key.

**THANK  
YOU!**

