

Canonical cover
Lossless join
dependency preserving joins

~~What's Next~~ Priority

~~Practice Problems~~ on Functional Dependencies

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Find Prime and Non Prime Attributes using Functional Dependencies:

- ~~QUESTION~~

 1. R(ABCDEF) having FDs {AB → C, C → D, D → E, F → B, E → F}
 2. R(ABCDEF) having FDs {AB → C, C → DE, E → F, C → B}
 3. R(ABCDEFGHIJ) having FDs {AB → C, A → DE, B → F, F → GH, D → IJ}
 4. R(ABDLPT) having FDs {B → PT, A → D, T → L}
 5. R(ABCDEFGH) having FDs {E → G, AB → C, AC → B, AD → E, B → D, BC → A}
 6. R(ABCDE) having FDs {A → BC, CD → E, B → D, E → A}
 7. R(ABCDEH) having FDs {A → B, BC → D, E → C, D → A}

~~ANSWER~~
~~RA : ABC
Rn RA = DEF~~

$$\checkmark \text{ PA : } \text{ DEC } \\ \text{ non PA } = \text{ DEF}$$

- **Prime Attributes** – Attribute set that belongs to any candidate key are called Prime Attributes
 - It is union of all the candidate key attribute: {CK1 U CK2 U CK3 U
 - If Prime attribute determined by other attribute set, then more than one candidate key is possible.
 - For example, If A is Candidate Key, and X→A, then, X is also Candidate Key .
 - **Non Prime Attribute** – Attribute set does not belongs to any candidate key are called Non Prime Attributes

Source: <http://www.edugrabs.com/prime-and-non-prime-attributes/>

R(ABCDEF) having FDs {AB→C, C→D, D→E, F→B, E→F}

Candidate keys?

$$A^+ = A$$

$$AB^+ = ABCDEF = R. : \underline{AB} \text{ is CK}$$

$$\cancel{AC^+} = ACDEFB = R. : \underline{AC} \text{ is CK}$$

$$AD^+ = ABCDEF = R. : \underline{AD} \text{ is CK}$$

$$AE^+ = ABCDEF = R. : \underline{AE} \text{ is CK}$$

$$\cancel{AF^+} = AFBCDE = R. : \underline{AF} \text{ is CK}$$

Prime attributes: A B C D E F

Non Primeattribute : m?L

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ALGORITHMS FOR FUNCTIONAL DEPENDENCIES

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:

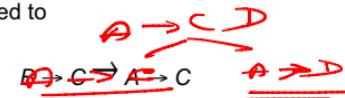
$$\{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C\}$$

Parts of a functional dependency may be redundant

E.g.: on RHS: $\{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad A \rightarrow CD\}$ can be simplified to

$$\{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad A \rightarrow D\}$$

In the forward: (1) $A \rightarrow CD \rightarrow A \rightarrow C$ and $A \rightarrow D$ (2) $A \rightarrow B$,



In the reverse: (1) $A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow C$ (2) $A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow CD$

E.g.: on LHS: $\{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad AC \rightarrow D\}$ can be simplified

to

$$\{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow D\} \rightarrow A \rightarrow AC$$

In the forward: (1) $A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow AC$ (2) $A \rightarrow AC, AC \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow D$

In the reverse: $A \rightarrow D \rightarrow AC \rightarrow D$

no redundancy

Intuitively, a canonical cover of F is a “minimal” set of functional dependencies equivalent to F, having no redundant dependencies or redundant parts of dependencies

Canonical Cover



A **canonical cover** for F is a set of dependencies F_c such that

F logically implies all dependencies in R

F_c logically implies all dependencies in F , and

No functional dependency in F_C contains an **extraneous attribute**, and

Each left side of functional dependency in F_c is unique

To compute a canonical cover for F :

repeat

- 1 Use the union rule to replace any dependencies in F
 $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1$ and $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_2$ with $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1 \beta_2$
 - 2 Find a functional dependency $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ with an extraneous attribute either in α or in β
/* Note: test for extraneous attributes done using F_c , not F */
If an extraneous attribute is found, delete it from $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$

until F does not change

Note: Union rule ~~may become~~ applicable after some extraneous attributes have been deleted, so it has to be re-applied

- *Minimal Sets of Functional Dependencies*
 - *Irreducible Set of Functional Dependencies*

Canonical Cover: RHS

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$$\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow CD\} \xrightarrow{\quad} \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D\}$$

(1) $A \rightarrow CD \rightarrow A \rightarrow C$ and $A \rightarrow D$ (2) $A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow C$

$$A^+ = \underline{\underline{ABCD}}$$

$$\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D\} \xrightarrow{\quad} \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow CD\}$$

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

$A \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow CD$

$$A^+ = \underline{\underline{ABCD}}$$

$$F = F_C$$

Canonical Cover: LHS

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad AC \rightarrow D\} \rightarrow \{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \\
 A \rightarrow D\} & & \\
 A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow AC & & \\
 A \rightarrow AC, \quad AC \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow D & & \\
 \\
 \{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad B, \quad A+ = ABCD\} \rightarrow \{A \rightarrow D\} \rightarrow \{A \rightarrow B, \quad B \rightarrow C, \quad AC \rightarrow D\} & & \\
 A \rightarrow D \rightarrow AC \rightarrow D & & \\
 AC+ = ABCD & &
 \end{array}$$

LHS
 $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$
RHS
 β



Extraneous Attributes

Consider a set F of functional dependencies and the functional dependency $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ in F .

Attribute A is **extraneous** in α if $A \in \alpha$
and F logically implies $(F - \{\alpha \rightarrow \beta\}) \cup \{(\alpha - A) \rightarrow \beta\}$.

Attribute A is **extraneous** in β if $A \subseteq \beta$
and the set of functional dependencies
 $(F - \{\alpha \rightarrow \beta\}) \cup \{\alpha \rightarrow (\beta - A)\}$ logically implies F .

Note: Implication in the opposite direction is trivial in each of the cases above, since a “stronger” functional dependency always implies a weaker one

Example: Given $F = \{A \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow C\}$

B is extraneous in $AB \rightarrow C$ because $\{A \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow C\}$ logically implies $A \rightarrow C$ (I.e. the result of dropping B from $AB \rightarrow C$).

$A^+ = AC$ in $\{A \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow C\}$

Example: Given $F = \{A \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow CD\}$

C is extraneous in $AB \rightarrow CD$ since $AB \rightarrow C$ can be inferred even after deleting C

$AB^+ = ABCD$ in $\{A \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow D\}$

$=$ ~~AB^+~~ $\overbrace{AB}^{\cancel{C}} \overbrace{D}$

~~Testing if an Attribute~~ is Extraneous

Consider a set F of functional dependencies and the functional dependency $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ in F .

To test if attribute $A \in \alpha$ is extraneous in α

1. Compute $(\{\alpha\} - A)^-$ using the dependencies in F
 2. Check that $(\{\alpha\} - A)^+$ contains β ; if it does, A is extraneous in α

To test if attribute $A \in \beta$ is extraneous in β

3. Compute α^+ using only the dependencies in $F' = \underline{F} + \underline{\beta} +$
 $(F - \{\alpha \rightarrow \beta\}) \cup \{\alpha \rightarrow (\beta - A)\},$

1. Check that α^+ contains A ; if it does, A is extraneous in β

Computing a Canonical Cover

$R = (A, B, C)$ $F = \{A \rightarrow BC, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow B, AB \rightarrow C\}$
Combine $A \rightarrow BC$ and $A \rightarrow B$ into $A \rightarrow BC$

$\alpha \rightarrow \beta_1$ $\beta_1 \rightarrow \beta_2$ $\beta_2 \rightarrow \gamma$

A is extraneous in $AB \rightarrow C$

Set is now $\{A \rightarrow BC, B \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow C\}$

~~— Check if the result of deleting A from $AB \rightarrow C$ is implied by the other dependencies~~

Yes: in fact, $B \rightarrow C$ is already present!

Set is now $\{A \rightarrow BC, B \rightarrow C\}$

C is extraneous in $A \rightarrow BC$

Check if $A \rightarrow C$ is logically implied by $A \rightarrow B$ and the other dependencies.

Yes: using transitivity on $A \rightarrow B$ and $B \rightarrow C$.

Can use attribute closure of A in more complex cases

$$A \rightarrow B \quad B \rightarrow C \quad \{ A \Rightarrow C$$

The canonical cover is:

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow B \\ B \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

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Find the Minimal Cover or Irreducible Sets or Canonical Cover of a Set of Functional Dependencies:

1. $AB \rightarrow CD$, $BC \rightarrow D$

- Step 1: Use the union rule to replace any dependencies in F

$\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1$ and $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_2$ with $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1 \beta_2$

So we can write $AB \rightarrow C$, $AB \rightarrow D$, $BC \rightarrow D$

Step 2: find the redundancy step by step:

$$(AB)^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

// Now check for $AB \rightarrow C$

$$(AB)^+ = \{A, B, D\} \text{ without considering this FD : } AB \rightarrow C$$

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

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

So $AB \rightarrow C$ is essential not redundancy.[left side multiple attribute is also essential]

$$(AB)^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

// Now check for $AB \rightarrow D$

$$(AB)^+ = \{A, B, C, D\} \text{ without considering this FD : } AB \rightarrow D \text{ [we got the same closure]}$$

So $AB \rightarrow D$ is redundancy.[SO delete this one]

$$(BC)^+ = \{B, C, D\}$$

// Now check for $BC \rightarrow D$

$$(BC)^+ = \{B, C\} \text{ without considering this FD : } BC \rightarrow D$$

SO this FD $: BC \rightarrow D$ is essential.

So canonical cover set of the above set of FD is $AB \rightarrow C$, $BC \rightarrow D$

Find the Minimal Cover or Irreducible Sets or Canonical Cover of a Set of Functional Dependencies:

2. $ABCD \rightarrow E$, $E \rightarrow D$, $AC \rightarrow D$, $A \rightarrow B$

- Step 1: Use the union rule to replace any dependencies in F

$\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1$ and $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_2$ with $\alpha_1 \rightarrow \beta_1 \beta_2$

We have nothing like this.

Step 2: find the redundancy step by step:

Now check for $ABCD \rightarrow E$

$$(ABCD)^+ = \{A, B, C, D, E\}$$

$(ABCD)^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$ without considering this FD : $ABCD \rightarrow E$

$$(A)^+ = \{A, B\}$$



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

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

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

So $ABCD \rightarrow E$ is essential not redundancy.

Now check for $E \rightarrow D$

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

$(E)^+ = \{E\}$ without considering this FD: $E \rightarrow D$,

So $E \rightarrow D$ is essential.

Find the Minimal Cover or Irreducible Sets or Canonical Cover of a Set of Functional Dependencies:

$ABCD \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow D, AC \rightarrow D, A \rightarrow B$

Now check for $AC \rightarrow D$,

$$\begin{aligned}(AC)^+ &= \{A, C, D\} // \text{USING } AC \rightarrow D \\ &= \{A, B, C, D\} // \text{USING } A \rightarrow B \\ &= \{A, B, C, D, E\} // \text{USING } ABCD \rightarrow E\end{aligned}$$

$(AC)^+ = \{A, B, C\}$ without considering this FD : $AC \rightarrow D$

$(A)^+ = \{A, B\}$

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

SO this FD : $AC \rightarrow D$ is essential.[LEFT HAND ATTRIBUTE IS ALSO ESSENTIAL]

Now check for $A \rightarrow B$

$(A)^+ = \{A, B\}$

$(A)^+ = \{A\}$ without considering this FD: $A \rightarrow B$

SO $A \rightarrow B$ this FD is essential

So canonical cover set of the above set of FD is $ABCD \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow D, AC \rightarrow D, A \rightarrow B$

Equivalence of Sets of Functional Dependencies

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Let F & G are two functional dependency sets

These two sets F & G are equivalent if $F^+ = G^+$

Equivalence means that every functional dependency in F can be inferred from G, and every functional dependency in G can be inferred from F

F and G are equal only if

F covers G: Means that all functional dependency of G are logically numbers of functional dependency set $F \Rightarrow F \supseteq G$.

G covers F: Means that all ~~functional~~ dependency of F are logically members of functional dependency set $G \Rightarrow G \supseteq F$

F

Condition	CASES			
	F Covers G	True	True	False
G Covers F	True	False	True	False
Result	$F=G$	$F \supseteq G$	$G \supseteq F$	No Comparison

Practice Problems on Functional Dependencies

Check the Equivalence of a Pair of Sets of Functional Dependencies:

1. Consider the two sets F and G with their FDs as below :
 1. $F : A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H$
 2. $G : A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH$
 2. Consider the two sets P and Q with their FDs as below :
 1. $P : A \rightarrow B, AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow ACE$
 2. $Q : A \rightarrow BC, D \rightarrow AE$

Check the Equivalence of a Pair of Sets of Functional Dependencies:

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- 1. $F : A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H$
- 2. $G: A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH$

• Step 1 : Find out the closure of all lefthand attributes of F functional dependency(FD) using the FD of G and vice versa.

$F: A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H$	$G: A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH$
$(A)^+ = \{A, C, D\} // \text{USING } A \rightarrow CD, \text{ OF FD } G$	$(A)^+ = \{A, C\} // \text{USING } A \rightarrow C, \text{ OF FD } F$ $= \{A, C, D\} // \text{USING } AC \rightarrow D, \text{ OF FD } F$
$(AC)^+ = \{A, C, D\} // \text{USING } A \rightarrow CD, \text{ OF FD } G$	$(E)^+ = \{E, A, D, H\} \\ \text{USING } E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H$ $= \{E, A, C, D, H\} \\ \text{USING } A \rightarrow C$
$(E)^+ = \{A, E, H\} // \text{USING } E \rightarrow AH, \text{ OF FD } G$ $= \{A, C, D, E, H\} // \text{USING } A \rightarrow CD$	IF YOU WANT YOU CAN FIND FOR $(AC)^+ = \{A, C, D\} // \text{USING } AC \rightarrow D \text{ OF } F$
$F \subseteq G$	$G \subseteq F$

- $F \subseteq G$ and $G \subseteq F$
- So $F=G$
- So two sets of functional dependency is equivalent.

F covers G
or
G covers F

Check the Equivalence of a Pair of Sets of Functional Dependencies:

Q2. Consider the two sets F and G with their FDs as below :

1. P : A → B, AB → C, D → ACE
2. Q : A → BC, D → AE

- Step 1 : Find out the closure of all lefthand attributes of P functional dependency(FD) using the FD of Q and vice versa.

P : A → B, AB → C, D → ACE	Q : A → BC, D → AE
(A)+ ={A,B,C} //USING A → BC // Q FD	(A)+ ={A,B} //USING A → B //FD OF P ={A,B,C} //USING AB → C, //FD OF P
(AB)+ ={A,B,C} //USING A → BC //Q FD	(D)+ ={D,A,C,E} //USING D → ACE //FD OF P ={A,B,C,D,E} //USING A → B //FD OF P
(D)+ ={D,A,E} // USING D → AE OF Q FD ={A,B,C,D,E} // USING A → BC,	IF YOU WANT YOU CAN FIND FOR (AB)+ ={A,B,C} //USING A → B, AB → C, //FD OF P

- $P \subseteq Q$ and $Q \subseteq P$
- So $P = Q$
- So two sets of functional dependency is equivalent.

LOSSLESS JOIN DECOMPOSITION

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Lossless-join Decomposition

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

$$r = \prod_{R1}(r) - \prod_{R2}(r)$$

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

$$R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_1$$

$$R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_2$$

The above functional dependencies are a sufficient condition for lossless join decomposition; the dependencies are a necessary condition only if all constraints are functional dependencies

To Identify whether a decomposition is lossy or lossless, it must satisfy the following conditions :

- $R_1 \cup R_2 = R$
 - $R_1 \cap R_2 \neq \emptyset$ and
 - $R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_1$ or $R_1 \cap R_2 \rightarrow R_2$

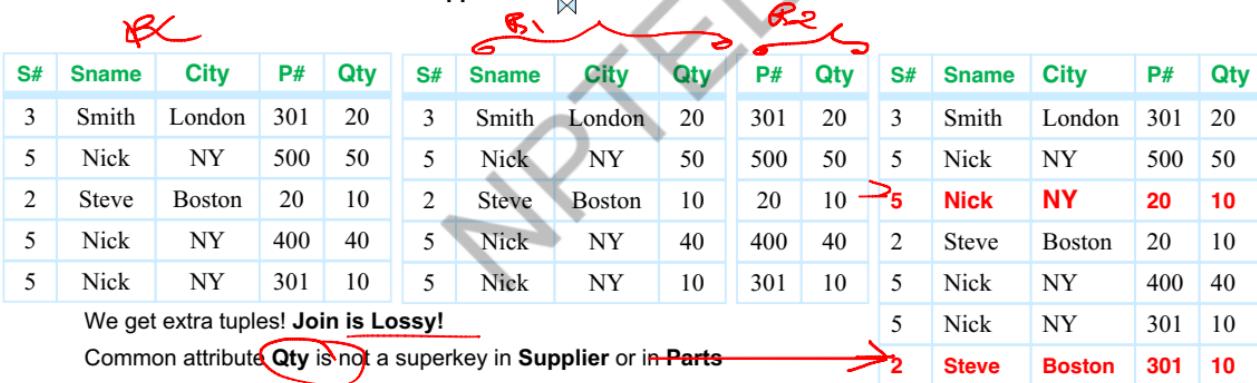
Example

Consider **Supplier_Parts** schema: **Supplier_Parts(S#, Sname, City, P#, Qty)**

Having dependencies: $S\# \rightarrow Sname$, $S\# \rightarrow City$, $(S\#, P\#) \rightarrow Qty$

Decompose as: **Supplier(S#, Sname, City, Qty)**: **Parts(P#, Qty)**

Take Natural Join to reconstruct: Supplier Part



Source: <http://www.edugrabs.com/lossy-join-decomposition>

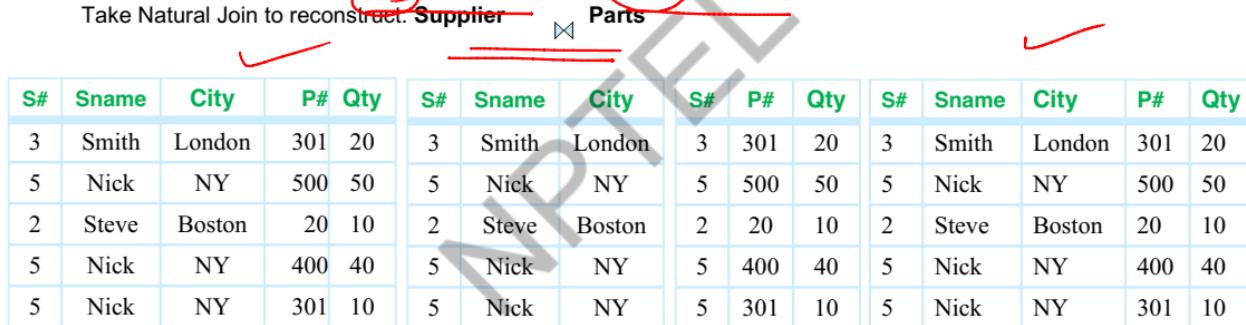
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Having dependencies: $S\# \rightarrow Sname$, $S\# \rightarrow City$, $(S\#, P\#) \rightarrow Qty$

Decompose as: **Supplier(S#, Sname, City)**: **Parts(S#, P#, Qty)**

Take Natural Join to reconstruct. ~~Supplier~~



We get back the original relation. **Join is Lossless.**

Common attribute **S#** is a superkey in **Supplier**

Preserves all dependencies

Source: <http://www.edugrabs.com/desirable-properties-of-decomposition/#lossless>

Example

$$R = (A, B, C)$$
~~$$F = \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C\}$$~~

~~Can be decomposed in two different ways~~

$$R_1 = (A, \check{B}), \quad R_2 = (\check{B}, C)$$

Lossless-join decomposition

$R_1 \cap R_2 = \{B\}$ and $B \rightarrow BC$

Dependency preserving

$$R_1 = (A, B), \quad R_2 = (A, C)$$

~~Lossless-join decomposition~~

$R_1 \cap R_2 = \{A\}$ and $A \rightarrow AE$

Not dependency preserving

(cannot check $B \rightarrow C$ without computing R_1, R_2)



Practice Problems on Lossless Join

Check if the decomposition of R into D is lossless:

1. $R(ABC): F = \{A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C\}$. D = R_1(AB), R_2(BC)
 2. $R(ABCDEF): F = \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow F\}$. $D = R_1(AB), R_2(BCD), R_3(DEF)$
 3. $R(ABCDEF): F = \{A \rightarrow B, C \rightarrow DE, AC \rightarrow F\}$. $D = R_1(BE), R_2(ACDEF)$
 4. $R(ABCDEG): F = \{AB \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow B, AD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, BC \rightarrow A, E \rightarrow G\}$
 1. $D_1 = R_1(AB), R_2(BC), R_3(ABDE), R_4(EG)$
 2. $D_2 = R_1(ABC), R_2(ACDE), R_3(ADG)$
 5. $R(ABCDEFGHIJ): F = \{AB \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow F, D \rightarrow IJ, A \rightarrow DE, F \rightarrow GH\}$
 1. $D_1 = R_1(ABC), R_2(ADE), R_3(BF), R_4(FGH), R_5(DIJ)$
 2. $D_2 = R_1(ABCDE), R_2(BFGH), R_3(DIJ)$
 3. $D_3 = R_1(ABCD), R_2(DE), R_3(BF), R_4(FGH), R_5(DIJ)$

DEPENDENCY PRESERVATION

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Dependency Preservation

Let F_i be the set of dependencies F^+ that include only attributes in R_i

A decomposition is **dependency preserving**, if $(F_1 \cup F_2 \cup \dots \cup F_n)^+ = F^+$

If it is not, then checking updates for violation of functional dependencies may require computing joins, which is expensive

Let R be the original relational schema having FD set F . Let R_1 and R_2 having FD set F_1 and F_2 respectively, are the decomposed sub-relations of R . The decomposition of R is said to be preserving if

- $F_1 \cup F_2 = F$ {Decomposition Preserving Dependency}
 - If $F_1 \cup F_2 \subset F$ {Decomposition NOT Preserving Dependency} and
 - $F_1 \cup F_2 \supset F$ {this is not possible}

Testing for Dependency

To check if a dependency $R \rightarrow P$ is preserved in a decomposition of R into R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n we apply the following test (with attribute closure done with respect to F):

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result = α
while (changes to result) do
    for each  $R_i$  in the decomposition  $t = (result \cap R_i)^+ \cap R_i$   $result = result \cup t$ 

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If result contains all attributes in β , then the functional dependency $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ is preserved.

We apply the test on all dependencies in F to check if a decomposition is dependency preserving.

This procedure takes polynomial time, instead of the exponential time required to compute F^+ and $(F_1 \cup F_2 \cup \dots \cup F_n)^+$

Example

~~Find dependency preserving.~~

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R(ABCDEF):

$$F = \{A \rightarrow BCD, A \rightarrow EF, BC \rightarrow AD, BC \rightarrow E, BC \rightarrow F, B \rightarrow F, D \rightarrow E\}$$

$$D = \{\underline{ABCD}, \underline{BF}, \underline{DE}\}$$

On projections:

ABCD (R1)	BF (R2)	DE (R3)
A \rightarrow BCD BC \rightarrow AD	B \rightarrow F	D \rightarrow E

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check

Need to check for: A \rightarrow BCD, A \rightarrow EF, BC \rightarrow AD, BC \rightarrow E, BC \rightarrow F, B \rightarrow F, D \rightarrow E

(BC) $+/F_1 = ABCD$, (ABCD) $+/F_2 = ABCDF$. $(ABCD) +/F_3 = ABCDEF$. Preserves BC \rightarrow E, BC \rightarrow F

(A) $+/F_1 = ABCD$, (ABCD) $+/F_2 = ABCDF$. $(ABCD) +/F_3 = ABCDEF$. Preserves A \rightarrow EF

$$1. \underline{BC} + \text{using } F_1 = \underline{ABCD}$$

$$2. (\underline{ABCD}) + \text{using } F_2 = \underline{ABCD}F$$

$$3. (\underline{ABCD}F) + \text{using } F_3 = \underline{ABCDEF}$$

$BC \rightarrow \underline{EF}$
 $F \rightarrow P$

Example

$$R(ABCDEF): F = \{A \rightarrow BCD, A \rightarrow EF, BC \rightarrow AD, BC \rightarrow E, BC \rightarrow F, B \rightarrow F, D \rightarrow E\}. D = \{ABCD, BF, DE\}$$

On projections:

On projections:	ABCD (R1)	BF (R2)	DE (R3)
$\text{A} \rightarrow \text{B}, \text{A} \rightarrow \text{C}, \text{A} \rightarrow \text{D}, \text{BC} \rightarrow \text{A}, \text{BC} \rightarrow \text{D}$	$\text{B} \rightarrow \text{F}$	$\text{D} \rightarrow \text{E}$	

Infer reverse FD's:

$B+F = BF$; $B \rightarrow A$ cannot be inferred

$C+F \equiv C$; $C \rightarrow A$ cannot be inferred

$D \vdash F \equiv DE$: $D \rightarrow A$ and $D \rightarrow BC$ cannot be inferred.

$A + F = ABCDEF$: $A \rightarrow BC$ can be inferred, but it is equal to $A \rightarrow B$ and $A \rightarrow C$

$E^+ / E^- = E^-$: $E \rightarrow B$ cannot be inferred.

$E \pm E \equiv E$: $E \rightarrow D$ cannot be inferred.

Need to check for: $A \rightarrow BCD$, $A \rightarrow EEF$, $BC \rightarrow AD$, $BC \rightarrow E$, $BC \rightarrow F$, $B \rightarrow E$, $D \rightarrow E$

$(BC)^t/F \equiv ABCDEF$ Preserves $BC \rightarrow F$, $BC \rightarrow F$

(A) $\pm/\text{F} \equiv \text{ABCDEF}$ Preserves $\text{A} \rightarrow \text{EF}$

This is new method
but use last slide
method

Practice Problems on Dependency Preservation

Check whether the decomposition of R into T is preserving dependency.

1. R(ABCD): $F = \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A\}$. $D = \{AB, BC, CD\}$
 2. R(ABCDEF): $F = \{AB \rightarrow CD, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow F\}$. $D = \{AB, CDE, EF\}$
 3. R(ABCDEG): $F = \{AB \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow B, BC \rightarrow A, AD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow G\}$. $D = \{ABC, ACDE, ADG\}$
 4. R(ABCD): $F = \{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow B\}$. $D = \{AB, BC, BD\}$
 5. R(ABCDE): $F = \{A \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A\}$. $D = \{ABCE, BD\}$