

# Normalization

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- It is the process of decomposing a database table into smaller tables so as to minimize data redundancy and data anomalies

# Why we need to normalize

- Redundancy
- Anomalies
  1. Insetion Anomaly
  2. deletion Anomaly
  3. Updation Anomaly

# Student table

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch	Hod	Hod_room No
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE	Manilal	202
55	A	Savion	CSE	Manilal	202
31	B	Malavika	CSE	Manilal	202
46	B	Rindish	CSE	Manilal	202

# Insertion Anomaly

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch	Hod	Hod_room No
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE	Manilal	202
55	A	Savion	CSE	Manilal	202
31	B	Malavika	CSE	Manilal	202
46	B	Rindish	CSE	Manilal	202
28	B	Kim	CSE	Manilal	202

# Deletion Anomaly

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch	Hod	Hod_room No
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE	Manilal	202
55	A	Savion	CSE	Manilal	202
31	B	Malavika	CSE	Manilal	202
46	B	Rindish	CSE	Manilal	202

# Deletion Anomaly

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch	Hod	Hod_room No
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE	Manilal	202

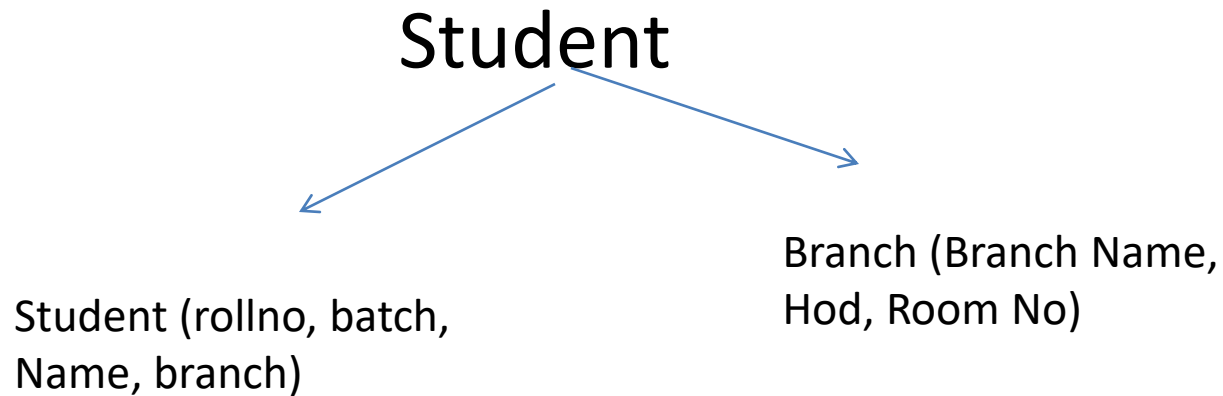
# Updation Anomaly

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch	Hod	Hod_room No
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE	Manilal	202
55	A	Savion	CSE	Manilal	202
31	B	Malavika	CSE	Manilal	202
46	B	Rindish	CSE	Manilal	202
42	B	Prithvi	CSE	Manilal	202
45	B	Rajath R	CSE	Manilal	202
9	A	Aleena	CSE	Manilal	202
56	A	shalu	CSE	Manilal	202



- It is the process of decomposing a database table into smaller tables so as to minimize data redundancy and inconsistency

# How do we Normalize it?????



# Student table After Normalization

Roll No	Batch	Name	Branch
20	A	ASHLEY	CSE
55	A	Savion	CSE
31	B	Malavika	CSE
46	B	Rindish	CSE
42	B	Prithvi	CSE
45	B	Rajath R	CSE
9	A	Aleena	CSE
56	A	shalu	CSE

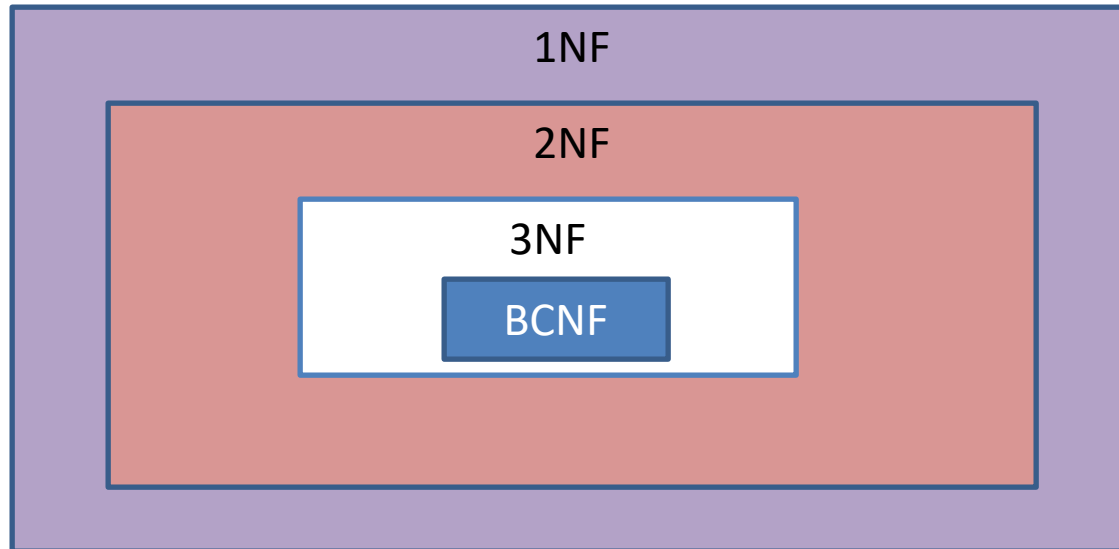
# Branch Table After Normalization

Branch	Hod	Room No
CSE	Manilal	202

# Normal Forms

- First Normal Form(1NF)
- Second Normal Form(2NF)
- Third Normal Form(3NF)
- Boyce Codd Normal Form(BCNF)

# Hierarchy of the Normal forms



# First Normal Form(1NF)

- All entries in the table should be atomic
- Atomic means
  - No Multivalued
  - No Composite
  - Two approaches

# Dealing with Multivalued Attribute

Roll No	Batch	Name	Phone Number
20	A	ASHLEY	984720,985632
55	A	Savion	99975,986258
31	B	Malavika	89885,72588,9856
46	B	Rindish	958548



# Create a separate table for each multi valued attribute

Roll No	Phone Number
20	984720
20	985632
55	99975,
55	986258
31	89885
31	72588
31	9856
46	958548

# Dealing with Composite attributes

Roll No	Name	Address
20	ASHLEY	10A, Plalarivattom,Kochi
55	Savion	30S,Changanassery, Kottayam
31	Malavika	23A,Thrikkaakara,Kochi

# Method 2: Add separate column for each atomic values

Roll No	Name	Address1	Address2	Address3
20	ASHLEY	10A,	Palarivattom,	Kochi
55	Savion	30S,	Changanassery,	Kottayam
31	Malavika	23A,	Thrikkaakara,	Kochi

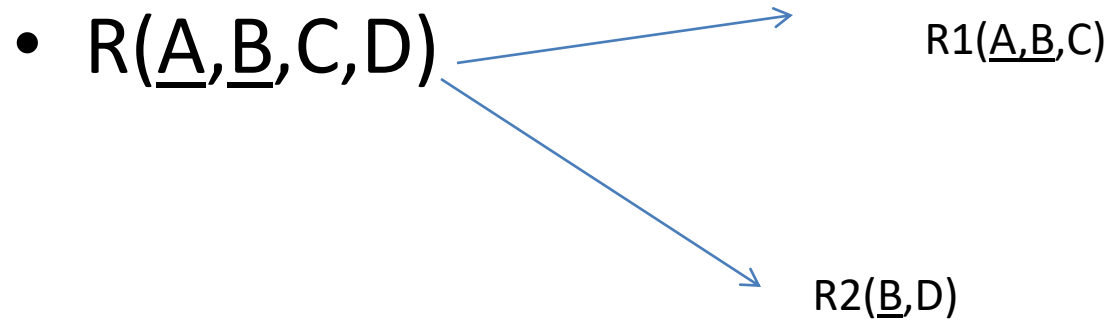
# Second Normal Form

- The relation should be in 1 NF
- No nonprime attribute is partially dependent on key

- Normalize  $R(\underline{A}, \underline{B}, C, D)$  with  $AB \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow D$
- Prime attributes =  $\{A, B\}$
- Non Prime attributes =  $\{C, D\}$
- Assumption
  - All attributes are atomic

- $AB \rightarrow C$
- AB is the full key
- C is the Non Prime attribute
- Non Prime attribute C is dependent on full key
- So full dependency
- $B \rightarrow D$
- B is the partial Key(it is a part of key)
- Non Prime attribute D is dependent on partial key
- So partial dependency

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- Non Prime attribute D is dependent on partial key
- So partial dependency



- Now both R1 and R2 are in second Normal form



- Consider the relation schema of the relation schedule shown below. Find the highest normal form? Transform it to next highest form
- **Schedule(Studentid, ClassNo, Student Name, Student Major, Class Time, Room, Instuctor)**
- Student id  $\rightarrow$  student Name
- Student id  $\rightarrow$  student Major
- Class No  $\rightarrow$  Class time
- Class No  $\rightarrow$  Room
- Class No  $\rightarrow$  Instructor

Here student id, classno combination is the key

- S1(Studentid, Student Name, Student Major,)
- S2(ClassNo, class time, Room, Instuctor)
- S3(Studentid, ClassNo)

We must ensure that all decomposition is reversible, that means when we take natural join of the decomposed relation , orginal relation should be obtained . For this we added the relation **S3**

- $R(\underline{A}, B, \underline{C}, D, E)$  WITH  $A \rightarrow D$ ,  $C \rightarrow E$  below. Find the highest normal form? Transform it to next highest form

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- Highest normal form-1NF
- $R_1(\underline{A}, D)$
- $R_2(\underline{C}, E)$
- $R_3(\underline{A}, \underline{C}, B)$

- $R(\underline{A}, B, \underline{C}, D, E)$  WITH  $A \twoheadrightarrow D$ ,  $B \rightarrow E$  .Find the highest normal form? Transform it to next highest form

Highest Normal form -1NF

Conversion to 2NF

$R_1(\underline{A}, D, B, E)$

$R_2(\underline{A}, \underline{C})$

- $R(A,B,C,D,E)$  WITH  $A \twoheadrightarrow B, B \rightarrow D, A \rightarrow E$ . Find the highest normal form? Transform it to next highest form
- $\{AC\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D,E\}$  Since  $\{AC\}^+$  contains all the attributes of the relation  $R$ ,  $AC$  is the key
- $AC$  is the Candidate key
- Highest normal form-1NF

### Conversion to 2NF

- $R_1(\underline{A}, B, D, E)$
- $R_2(\underline{A}, \underline{C})$

- $R(A,B,C,D,E)$  WITH  $A \twoheadrightarrow D, C \rightarrow E$ . Find the highest normal form? Transform it to next highest form
- $\{ABC\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D,E\}$

Highest normal form-1NF

Partial dependency present in both FD

2NF decomposition

1.  $R1(\underline{A}, D)$

2.  $R2(\underline{C}, E)$

3.  $R3(\underline{A}, \underline{B}, C)$