# Question 1

a. isrc -> mln

isrc -> artist, genre 1. Assumption

isrc, msin -> artist, genre, msin 2. Augmentation of (1)

isrc, msin -> msin 3. Decomposition of (2)

msin -> mln, inst 4. Assumption

msin -> mln 5. Decomposition of (4)

isrc, msin -> mln 6. Transitivity of (3)(5)

The functional dependency is **not** implied by F because there does not exist a valid axiom to reduce equation 6.

b. isrc, rep -> enddate

artist, label -> enddate, rep 1. Assumption

rep -> label 2. Assumption

artist, rep -> artist label 3. Augmentation of (2)

artist, rep -> enddate, rep 4. Transitivity of (1)(3)

isrc -> artist, genre 5. Assumption

isrc -> artist 6. Decomposition of (5)

isrc, rep -> enddate, rep 7. Pseudotransitivity of (6)(4)

isrc, rep -> enddate 8. Reflexivity of (7)

c. label, msin, artist -> inst, mfn, rep

artist, label -> enddate, rep 1. Assumption artist, label -> rep 2. Decomposition of (1) msin -> mln, inst 3. Assumption artist, label, msin -> msin, enddate, rep 4. Augmentation of (1) artist, label, msin -> msin 5. Decomposition of (4) msin -> mln, inst 6. Assumption msin -> inst 7. Decomposition of (6) msin, mln -> msin, mfn 8. Assumption msin, msin -> msin, mfn 9. Pseudotransitivity of (6)(8) msin -> mfn 10. Reverse augmentation of (9) artist, label, msin -> rep 11. Decomposition of (4) artist, label, msin -> mfn 12. Transitivity of (5)(10) artist, label, msin -> inst 13. Transitivity of (5)(7) label, msin, artist -> inst, mfn, rep 14. Union of (11)(12)(13)

d. wsin, artist -> genre, royalty

wsin -> wfn, wln
wsin, artist -> artist, wfn, wln
Augmentation of (1)
wsin, artist -> artist
Decomposition of (2)
artist -> members, genre
Assumption

5. Decomposition of (4) artist -> genre wsin, artist -> genre 6. Transitivity of (3)(5) wsin, artist, royalty -> genre, royalty 7. Augmentation of (6) 8. Reflexivity of (7) wsin, artist -> genre, royalty Question 2 What is the attribute closure of (msin, wsin)? (msin, wsin)<sup>+</sup> = msin, wsin, mln, inst, mfn, wfn, wln b. What is the attribute closure of (isrc, label)? (isrc, label)<sup>+</sup> = isrc, label, lcity, lcountry, artist, genre, members, title, album, enddate, rep, syear Identify a minimal superkey for the entire set of attributes, R? Minimal superkey: isrc, wsin, msin, rep Question 3 Compute Fc (the canonical cover of F) Original list of dependencies: artist -> members, genre

{msin}+ includes all the attributes on the left

c.

msin -> mln, inst

msin, mln -> msin, mfn

isrc, title, album, artist -> syear

{isrc}+ includes year; union with other isrc

isrc, artist -> title, album, artist, genre, syear

{isrc}+ includes title, album; union added

artist, label -> enddate, rep

rep -> label

label -> lcity, lcountry

isrc, wsin, title -> royalty, title, album

{isrc, wsin}+ includes attributes on left

wsin -> wfn, wln

isrc -> artist, genre

union with other isrc

## **Canonical Cover:**

Fc = {artist -> members, genre; msin -> mln, inst, mfn; isrc -> syear, artist, title, album, genre; artist, label -> enddate, rep; rep -> label; label -> lcity, lcountry; isrc, wsin -> royalty; wsin -> wfn, wln}

# **Question 4**

a. lossless join decomposition

Yes

b. dependency preservation

Yes

c. BCNF

Yes, because all X's are superkeys for their corresponding relation R.

d. 3NF

Yes, because it satisfies the conditions for BCNF, therefore will also sastify conditions for 3NF.

# **Question 5**

a. lossless join decomposition

Yes

b. dependency preservation

Yes

c. BCNF

No, not in BCNF because isrc in isrc -> artist, genre is not a superkey for the song relation.

d. 3NF

No, schema is not in 3NF because artist in artist -> members is not a superkey for the artist relation, nor is (Y - X) contained in a candidate key for the artist relation.

# **Question 6**

a. lossless join decomposition

No, schema is **not** lossless because the musicians' relation does not intersect with any other relation in the schema.

b. dependency preservation

Yes

c. BCNF

Yes, because all X's are superkeys for their corresponding relation R.

d. 3NF

Yes, because it satisfies the conditions for BCNF, therefore will also satisfy conditions for 3NF.