

Assignment 5

1. $R(A, B, C, D, E)$ $FD = \{ AB \rightarrow C, CD \rightarrow E, C \rightarrow A, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow B \}$

| L | M | R |
|---|------------|---|
| | A, B, C, D | E |

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Therefore C, AB, AD are candidate keys

2. $R(A, B, C, D, E, F)$ $FD = \{ AB \rightarrow C, AD \rightarrow B, C \rightarrow B, F \rightarrow AD, F \rightarrow E \}$

given

$$F \rightarrow AD$$

Decomposition

$$F \rightarrow A$$

$$F \rightarrow D$$

Transitivity

$$AD \rightarrow B$$

$$F \rightarrow B$$

Union

$$F \rightarrow A \cup$$

$$F \rightarrow B$$

$$AB \rightarrow C$$

Transitivity

$$F \rightarrow C$$

Given

$$F \rightarrow E$$

Reflexive

$$F \rightarrow F$$

Therefore F is a superkey of R

3. Student (StudNo, StudName) satisfies BCNF

| L | M | R |
|--------|---|----------|
| StudNo | | StudName |

✓ F: StudNo \rightarrow StudName

Stud Major (Studno, Major, Advisor)

| L | M | R |
|--------|----------------|---|
| Studno | Major, Advisor | |

X F: StudNo, Major \rightarrow Advisor
Advisor \rightarrow Major

Stud Major 1 (StudNo, Advisor)

Stud Major 2 (Major, Advisor)

| L | M | R |
|--------|------------|---|
| Studno | Major, Adv | |

✓ F: StudNo, Major \rightarrow Advisor
Advisor \rightarrow Major

Stud Course (StudNo, Major, CourseNo, Ctitle, Instrname, InstrLocn, Grade)

| L | M | R |
|-----------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| StudNo CourseNo Major | Instrname | Ctitle InstrLocn Grade |

X F: StudNo \rightarrow StudName
CourseNo \rightarrow Ctitle, Instrname
Instrname \rightarrow InstrLocn

Stud Course (StudNo, Major, CourseNo, Grade)

Stud Course 2 (InstruName, InstruLocn)

Stud Course 3 (CourseNo, Ctitle, InstruName)

F: StudNo \rightarrow StudName

CourseNo \rightarrow Ctitle, InstruName

InstruName \rightarrow InstruLocn