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1 .Parts Order Form for a Local Supply Company

Assumption

- Many Employees help many customers
- The cage code is the place in the store that holds the partType
- A customer can place an order with multiple parts

An order table is created using all of the information from the order form:

order

customerName
customerNumber
customerType
date
time
employeeName
partNumber
partType
partName
cageCode
quantityOrdered
unitPrice

This table is in 1NF because there are no repeating groups. However, it is not in 2NF because it has partial dependencies. The primary keys for the order_quantity table are customerNumber, date, time, and partNumber. employeeName depends on customerNumber, date, and time. partName, partType, cageCode, and unitPrice depend only on partNumber, and customerName and customerType depend only on customerNumber. The 2NF tables are:

 $order_quantity$

<u>customerNumber</u>

<u>date</u>

time

<u>partNumber</u>

quantityOrdered

 $order_employee$

<u>customerNumber</u>

<u>date</u>

<u>time</u>

employeeName

part

<u>partNumber</u>

partName

partType

cageCode

unitPrice

customer

<u>customerNumber</u>

customerName
customerType

To get to 3NF, we need to move cageCode to a separate table because it has a transitive dependency to partType. The 3NF tables with the italicized FKs are:

order_quantity

<u>customerNumber</u>

<u>date</u>

time

<u>partNumber</u>

quantityOrdered

order_employee

<u>customerNumber</u>

<u>date</u>

time

employeeName

part

partNumber

partName
partType
unitPrice

part_location

<u>partType</u>

cageCode

customer

<u>customerNumber</u>

customerName customerType

2. Panacea Mental Health Corporation

Assumptions:

- A patient is given an appointment at a specific time and date at a particular branch with one therapist.
- Patients may have multiple appointments in any given day and with multiple different therapists.
- The data has appointment date time, which is a column for date and time

The data is in 1NF as there is no repeating group. The PKs are staffNo, appointmentDate, and appointmentTime.

The 1NF table is:

appointment

staffNo

therapistName

patNo

patName

<u>appointmentDate</u>

<u>appointmentTime</u>

branchNo

These tables are not in 2NF as it has partial dependencies. The therapistName is dependent on staffNo. branchNo are dependent on staffNo and appointmentDate.

The 2NF tables are:

appointment

staffNo

patNo

patName

<u>appointmentDate</u>

<u>appointmentTime</u>

staff

staffNo

therapistName

staff branch

<u>staffNo</u>

<u>appointmentDate</u>

branchNo

To get to 3NF, we have to remove the transitive dependency in the appointment table. patName is dependent on patNo. The 3NF tables with the italicized FKs are:

| appointment |
|------------------------|
| staffNo patNo |
| <u>appointmentDate</u> |
| <u>appointmentTime</u> |
| |

staff

<u>staffNo</u>

therapistName

staff_branch

staffNo

<u>appointmentDate</u>

branchNo

patient

<u>patNo</u>

patName

3. Maid Better temp agency supplies The 1NF table is:

employee_hour

<u>eNo</u>

<u>contractNo</u>

hour

eName

eventNo

eventLoc

The data is in 1NF because there is no repeating groups. The PKs are contractNo and eNo. To convert it into 2NF, we need to get rid of the partial dependencies. eName is dependent on eNo. eventNo and eventLoc are dependent on contractNo. Therefore, these have to be moved to other tables. The 2NF of the tables are:

employee_hour

<u>eNo</u>

<u>contractNo</u>

hour

employee

<u>eNo</u>

eName

contract

<u>contractNo</u>

eventNo

eventLoc

There is a transitive dependency in contract table with eventNo. The 3NF tables with the italicized FKs are:

employee_hour

<u>eNo</u>

<u>contractNo</u>

hour

employee

<u>eNo</u>

eName

contract

<u>contractNo</u>

eventNo

event

<u>eventNo</u>

eventLoc