HW 1 - Normalization

Overview

- Assignment points: 10 points or **10%** toward your final grade.
- Due date: 9/17/2020, 11:59 pm.
- Late submission: grace period of 2 days with 20% late penalty. After that time, assignment will NOT be accepted.
- Submission: submit your assignment in PDF format in Canvas. You can use word, excel or similar tools and convert into pdf.

Instructions

- Go through below form with all data elements/attributes and organize all attributes to create 3NF design to remove data redundancy and dependency.
- Your un-normalized, 1st and 2nd normal forms will NOT be scrutinize for grading purposes. They are the means to the end (3NF). However, you need to display unnormalized, 1st NF, 2nd NF and 3rd NF, as shown in below sample output.
- Identify each **ENTITY** names by highlighting them in vellow color and list each attributes.
- Identify the **Primary Keys** and **Foreign Keys**, if any, and show them within a bracket next to the field name, e.g. **OrderID (PK)**, **ProductID (FK)**, etc. and highlight them in a different color other than yellow e.g. grey color.
- If an entity does not change from 1st to 2nd normal form, then simply copy over the data into the 2nd normal form to show that the data is already in second normal form, and so on.
- Your final 3NF should contain all data in the document organized by entity, listing all attributes in each entity with primary and foreign keys, if any.
- Ensure that each attribute is functionally dependent on the primary key for that entity. If an attribute appears multiple times, list it only once in your final normalization design.

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Example of Normalization Sample output:

Tabular form:			
UNNORMALIZED	1st NF	2nd NF	3rd NF
project_code	Project	Project	Project
project_title	project_code	project_code	project_code (PK)
project_manager	project_title	project_title	project_title
project_budget	project_manager	project_manager	project_manager
employee_no	project_budget	project_budget	project_budget
employee_name			
Dept_no	Employee	Proj_Emp	Proj_Emp
Dept_name	project_code	project_code	project_code (PK)
Hourly_rate	employee_no	employee_no	employee_no
	employee_name	Hourly_rate	Hourly_rate
	Dept_no		
	Dept_name	Employee	Employee
	Hourly_rate	employee_no	employee_no (PK)
		employee_name	employee_name
		Dept_no	Dept_no (FK)
		Dept_name	
			Department
			Dept_no (PK)
			Dept_name

INPUT

Please use below form and normalize into 3 NF.

School of Computing

Course ID	CSCI 3287			
Course Name	Database System			
Instructor ID	12345			
Instructor Name	Mark West			
Student Name	DOB	Gender	Grade	
Alex Smith	9/10/1997	F	90	
Ravi Grace	1/15/1999	M	95	
Tom Ford	2/10/1998	M	80	
Lily Mars	3/20/1999	F	85	

Assumptions:

This form represents the School of Computing record of all the courses it offers - one document for each course. Here sample data given for Database System course with instructor and list of students.

- Each course has only one instructor, however Instructor may teach more than one courses.
- Students may register for several course, i.e. different courses will have different numbers of students.
- Student's grade will be different for different courses.

Sample data are given for illustration purposes only. You just need to use entities/attributes and normalize into 3NF as shown in sample output above. If there is no obvious primary key, then create appropriate primary key.