# CSC343 Worksheet 12 Solution

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## 1. • Keys

- {id of molecule}
- {x position, y position, z position}
- Functional Dependencies
  - 1. id of molecule  $\rightarrow$  x position, y position, z position, x velocity, y velocity, z velocity
  - 2. x position, y position, z position  $\rightarrow$  id of molecule, x velocity, y velocity, z velocity

#### Notes:

- Function Dependencies
  - Functional Dependency is a relationship between two attributes typically between the key and other non-key attributes within a table.

#### Example:

 $SIN \rightarrow Name$ , Address, Birthdate

## Example 2:

 $ISBN \rightarrow Title$ 

- Key of Relations
  - One or more attributes  $\{A_1, A_2, ..., A_n\}$  is a key for a relation R if
    - 1. Those attributes functionally determine all other attributes of the relation
    - 2. No proper subset of  $\{A_1, A_2, ... A_n\}$  functionally determines all other attributes of R

#### Example:

Given relation

R = Movies1(title, year, length, genre, studioName, starName)

i. {title, year, starName } form a key for the relation Movies1

- ii. { year, starName } is not a key. Same star can be in multiple movies per year
- Superkeys
  - \* Means a a set of attributes that contains a key
  - \* Don't need to be minimal

## Example:

Given relation

R = Movies1(title, year, length, genre, studioName, starName)

- · { title, year, starName } is a key and superkey
- { title, year, starName, title, year, length} is a superkey

## References:

- 1) OpenTextBC, Chapter 11 Functional Dependencies, link
- 2. a) 1.  $AB \rightarrow C$ 
  - 2.  $AB \rightarrow D$
  - 3.  $C \rightarrow A$
  - 4.  $C \rightarrow B$
  - 5.  $D \rightarrow B$
  - 6.  $D \rightarrow C$
  - 7.  $C \rightarrow D$
  - 8.  $D \rightarrow A$

# Second Attempt:

 $\{A,B\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so the following non-trivial FDs follows:  $AB\to C$  and  $AB\to D$ .

 $\{C\}^+ = \{D,A\}$ , so the following non-trivial FDs follows  $C \to D$  and  $C \to A$ .

 $\{D\}^+ = \{A\}$ , so the following non-trivial FDs follows:  $D \to A$ .

#### Notes:

- The Splitting / Combining Rule
  - Combining Rule

\* 
$$A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \to B_i \text{ for } i = 1, 2, ..., m$$
  
to  
 $A_1, A_2, \dots A_n \to B_1, B_2, \dots B_m$ 

## Example:

#### Given

title year  $\rightarrow$  length title year  $\rightarrow$  genre title year  $\rightarrow$  studioName it's combined form is

title year  $\rightarrow$ length genre studio Name

- Splitting Rule

\*  $A_{1}, A_{2}, \cdots A_{n} \to B_{1}, B_{2}, \cdots B_{m}$ to  $A_{1}, A_{2}, \cdots, A_{n} \to B_{i} \text{ for } i = 1, 2, ..., m$ 

## Example:

Given

title year  $\rightarrow$  length

It's splitted form is

 $title \rightarrow length$ year  $\rightarrow length$ 

- Trivial Functional Dependencies
  - A functional dependency  $FD: X \to Y$  is **trivial** if Y is a subset of X

#### Exmaple:

title year  $\rightarrow$  title

#### Example 2:

 $title \rightarrow title$ 

- Non-trivial Functional Dependencies
  - is a case where some but not all of the attributes on the R.H.S of an FD are also on L.H.S

#### Example:

title year  $\rightarrow$  title movieLength

- Can be simplified using **tirivial-dependency rule** 
  - \* The FD  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n\to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  is equivalent to  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n\to C_1C_2\cdots C_k$

where C's are all those B's that are not in A's.



Figure 3.3: The trivial-dependency rule

- Computing the Clousre of Attributes
  - Closure of attribute set  $\{X\}$  is denoted as  $\{X\}^+$ .
  - The closure means a given set of attributes A satisfying FD, are a sets of all attributes B such that  $A \to B$

#### Example:

Given attributes A, B, C, D, E, F and FDs  $AB \to C, BC \to AD, D \to E$  and  $CF \to B$ , What is the closure of  $\{A, B\}$  or  $\{A, B\}^+$ 

- 1. Start with  $\{A, B\}$ .
- 2. Split  $BC \to AD$ 
  - \* We have  $BC \to A$  and BCtoD
  - \* Since A is in  $\{A, B\}$ , this is not included
  - \* Since D is not in  $\{A, B\}$ , this IS included

So, we have  $\{A, B, D\}$ 

- 3. Since C in  $AB \to C$  is NOT in  $\{A, B, C, D\}$ , C is included and we have  $\{A, B, C, D\}$
- 4. Since A in  $BC \to A$  is in  $\{A, B, C, D\}$ , this is skipped
- 5. Since E is not in  $D \to E$ , E is included and we have  $\{A, B, C, D, E\}$  as our solution
- Why the Closure Algorithm Works
- Transitive Rule
  - Definition

If 
$$A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to B_1B_2 \cdots B_m$$
 and  $B_1B_2 \cdots B_m \to C_1C_2 \cdots C_k$  hold in relation  $R, A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to C_1C_2 \cdots C_k$  also holds in  $R$ .

## Example:

Given

title year  $\rightarrow$  studioName studioName  $\rightarrow$  studioAddr

Transitive rule says the above is equal to the following

title year  $\rightarrow$  studioAddr

- Inference Rules
  - Is allso called Armstrong's Axioms
  - Has 3 axioms
    - 1. Reflexivity

\* If 
$$\{B_1, B_2, ..., B_n\} \subseteq \{A_1, A_2, ..., A_n\}$$
 then  $A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n \to B_1 B_2 \cdots B_m$ 

- \* also called **trivial FDs**
- 2. Augmentation

\* If 
$$A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n \to B_1 B_2 \cdots B_m$$
  
then  $A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n C_1 C_2 \cdots C_k \to B_1 B_2 \cdots B_m C_1 C_2 \cdots C_k$ 

- \*  $C_1C_2\cdots C_k$  are any set of attributes
- 3. Transitivity

\* If 
$$A_1A_2\cdots A_n \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$$
 and  $B_1B_2\cdots B_m \to C_1C_2\cdots C_k$   
then  $A_1A_1\cdots A_n \to C_1C_2\cdots C_k$ 

b) A, B is the only key of R.

#### Notes:

- Key of Attributes
  - **Definition:** A set of attributes  $\{A_1, A_2, \cdots, A_n\}$  is a key for a relation R if
    - 1. Those attributes functionally determine all other attributes

- 2. No proper subset of  $\{A_1, A_2, ..., A_n\}$  functionally determines all other attributes of R.
- c) The superkeys that are not keys are:  $\{A, B, C\}$ ,  $\{A, B, D\}$ ,  $\{A, B, C, D\}$
- 3. i) a)  $\{A\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $A\to A,\,A\to B,\,A\to C,\,A\to D$   $\{B\}^+=\{C,D\}, \text{ so we have }B\to C \text{ and }B\to D$ 
  - b)  $\{A\}$  is the key of S.
  - c) The super keys that are not keys are:

$${A, B}, {A, C}, {A, D}, {A, B, C}, {A, B, D}, {A, B, C, D}$$

- ii) a)  $\{A\}^+ = \{A\}$ , so this FD is trivial.
  - $\{B\}^+ = \{B\}$ , so this FD is trivial.
  - $\{C\}^+ = \{C\}$ , so this FD is trivial.
  - $\{D\}^+ = \{D\}$ , so this FD is trivial.
  - $\{A,B\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $AB \to A$ ,  $AB \to B$ ,  $AB \to C$ ,  $AB \to D$
  - $\{A,C\}^+ = \{A,C\}$ , so we have  $AC \to A$ ,  $AC \to C$
  - $\{A,D\}^+ = \{A,D,B\}$ , so we have  $AD \to A$ ,  $AD \to D$ ,  $AD \to B$
  - $\{B,C\}^+=\{B,C,D,A\}$ , so we have  $BC\to A,\,BC\to B,\,BC\to C,\,BC\to D$
  - $\{D,C\}^+=\{D,C,A,B\}$ , so we have  $DC\to D$ ,  $DC\to C$ ,  $DC\to A$ ,  $DC\to B$
  - $\{A,B,C\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $ABC\to A$ ,  $ABC\to B$ ,  $ABC\to C$ ,  $ABC\to D$
  - $\{B,C,D\}^+=\{B,C,D,A\}$ , so we have  $BCD\to A,\ BCD\to B,\ BCD\to C,\ BCD\to D$
  - $\{C,D,A\}^+=\{C,D,A,B\}$ , so we have  $CDA\to A$ ,  $CDA\to B$ ,  $CDA\to C$ ,  $CDA\to D$
  - $\{D,A,B\}^+=\{D,A,B,C\}$ , so we have  $DAB\to A,\ DAB\to B,\ DAB\to C,\ DAB\to D$
  - $\{D,A,B\}^+=\{D,A,B,C\},$  so we have  $DAB\to A,\ DAB\to B,\ DAB\to C,\ DAB\to D$
  - ${A, B, C, D}^+ = {A, B, C, D}$ , so this FD is trivial.

- b)  $\{A, B\}, \{A, C\}, \{B, C\}, \{D, C\}$  are the keys of T.
- c) The super keys that are not keys are:

$${A,B,C}, {A,B,D}, {B,C,D}, {A,D,C}, {A,B,D}, {A,B,C,D}$$

iii) a) 
$$\{A\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\},$$
 so we have  $A\to C,\,A\to D$ 

$$\{B\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $B \to A, B \to D$ 

$$\{C\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\},$$
 so we have  $C\to A,\,C\to B$ 

$$\{D\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $D \to B$ ,  $D \to C$ 

$$\{A,B\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $AB \to C$ ,  $AB \to D$ 

$$\{B,C\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $BC \to A,\,BC \to D$ 

$$\{B,D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $BD \to A,\,BD \to C$ 

$$\{C,D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $CD \to A,CD \to B$ 

$$\{C,D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $CD \to A,\,CD \to B$ 

$$\{A, B, C\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $ABC \to D$ 

$$\{B,C,D\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $BCD\to A$ 

$$\{C, D, A\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $CDA \rightarrow B$ 

$$\{D,A,B\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\},$$
 so we have  $DAB\to C$ 

#### **Correct Solution:**

$$\{A\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $A \to C$ ,  $A \to D$ 

$$\{B\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $B \to A, B \to D$ 

$$\{C\}^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$$
, so we have  $C \to A, C \to B$ 

$$\{D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $D \to B,\, D \to C$ 

$$\{A,B\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $AB \to C$ ,  $AB \to D$ 

$$\{A,C\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\},$$
 so we have  $AC\to B,\,AC\to D$ 

$$\{A,D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $AD \to B$ ,  $AD \to C$ 

$$\{B,C\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $BC \to A,\,BC \to D$ 

$$\{B,D\}^+ = \{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $BD \to A$ ,  $BD \to C$ 

$$\{C,D\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$$
, so we have  $CD\to A$ ,  $CD\to B$   $\{A,B,C\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $ABC\to D$   $\{B,C,D\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $BCD\to A$   $\{C,D,A\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $CDA\to B$   $\{D,A,B\}^+=\{A,B,C,D\}$ , so we have  $DAB\to C$ 

- b)  $\{A\}, \{B\}, \{C\}, \{D\}$  are the keys of U.
- c) The super keys that are not keys are:

$$\{A,B\},\{A,C\},\{A,D\},\{B,C\},\ \{B,D\},\{C,D\},\ \{A,B,C\},\ \{B,C,D\},\ \{C,D,A\},\{D,A,B\}.\ \{A,B,C,D\}$$

4. a) We need to show the closure of attributes  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C\}$  in  $FD\ A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C \to B$  is  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C, B\}$ , that is  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C\}^+ = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C, B\}$ 

Since we know  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$  functionally determines B, we can conclude B can be added to  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C\}$ .

Thus, it follows from above that  $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C\}^+ = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, C, B\}$ .

b) Let  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n\to B$  is FD. That is,  $\{A_1A_2\cdots A_n\}^+=\{A_1A_2\cdots A_n,B\}$ 

We need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to BC$  follows. That is,  $\{A_1,A_2,\cdots,A_n,C\}^+=\{A_1,A_2,\cdots,A_n,C,B\}$ 

It follows from the combine and split rule that  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to BC$  can be splitted into  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to B$  and  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to C$ .

So, we need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to B$  and  $A_1A_2\cdots ,A_nC\to C$  follows from the given.

We will do so in parts.

1. Part 1 (Showing  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to B$ ):

Here, we need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to B$  follows.

And indeed, this follows from the work of *augmenting left sides*. That is the solution to previous problem.

2. Part 2 (Showing  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to C$ ):

Here, we need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC\to C$  follows.

The definition of trivial FD tells us  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to B_1B_2 \cdots B_m$  holds when  $\{B_1, B_2, \cdots, B_m\} \subseteq \{A_1, A_2, \cdots, A_n\}$ 

Since  $\{C\} \subseteq \{A_1, A_2 \cdots, A_n, C\}$ , we can conclude this FD follows trivially.

c) Let  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  and  $C_1C_2\cdots C_k \to D$ , where B are each among the C's.

We need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nE_1E_2\cdots E_j\to D$  follows, where the E's are all of those C's not found among the B's.

The transitive rule tells us if  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to B_1B_2 \cdots B_m$  and  $B_1B_2 \cdots B_m \to C_1C_2 \cdots C_k$ , then  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to C_1C_2 \cdots C_k$  also holds in R.

Since we know  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  and  $C_1C_2\cdots C_k \to D$  where B's are each among the C's, we can conclude from the transitive rule that  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n \to D$ .

Then using **augmenting left sides** to all C's not found among the B's on  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to D$ , we can conclude  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_nE_1E_2 \cdots E_j \to D$  follows.

d) Assume FD's  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n\to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  and  $C_1C_2\ldots C_k\to D_1D_2\cdots D_i$  holds.

We need to show FD  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC_1C_2\cdots C_k \to B_1B_2\cdots B_mD_1D_2\cdots D_k$  follows.

Using the split / combine rule, we can conclude showing  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_nC_1C_2 \cdots C_k \rightarrow B_1B_2 \cdots B_mD_1D_2 \cdots D_k$  is the same as showing  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_nC_1C_2 \cdots C_k \rightarrow B_1B_2 \cdots B_m$  and  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_nC_1C_2 \cdots C_k \rightarrow D_1D_2 \cdots D_k$ 

So, we will prove the two, in parts

1. Part 1 (Showing  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC_1C_2\cdots C_k \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$ )

Here, we need to show  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC_1C_2\cdots C_k\to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$ .

The header of problem tells us  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  holds.

Then by using **Augmenting Left Sides** rule to all Cs not found among the As,  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC_1C_2\cdots C_k \to B_1B_2\cdots B_m$  follows.

2. Part 2 (Showing  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_nC_1C_2 \cdots C_k \rightarrow D_1D_2 \cdots D_k$  follows)

Here, we need to show  $A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n C_1 C_2 \cdots C_k \rightarrow D_1 D_2 \cdots D_k$ .

The header of problem tells us  $C_1C_2\cdots C_k \to D_1D_2\cdots D_k$  holds.

Then by using **Augmenting Left Sides** rule to all As not found among the Cs,  $A_1A_2\cdots A_nC_1C_2\cdots C_k \to D_1D_2\cdots D_k$  follows.

- 5. a) An example is
  - A being movieID and
  - B being movie length.
  - b) An example is
    - A being movieID
    - B being movieTitle
    - C being movieLength
  - c) An example is
    - A being movieTitle
    - B being year
    - C being length
- 6. Assume a relation has no attribute that is functionally determined by all the other attributes.

And, assume for the sake of contradiction that there is a relation with non-trivial FD  $X \to Y$ .

Then, it follows from the definition of non-trivial functional dependency that  $Y \neq \subseteq X$ .

Then, we can conclude the attributes in Y is functionally determined by other attributes in X.

But this contradicts the assumption that no attribute is functionally determined by all other attributes.

7. Let X and Y be sets of attributes. Assume  $X \subseteq Y$ .

I need to show  $X^+ \subseteq Y^+$ .

I will do so in cases

1. Case 1 (X = Y):

Assume X = Y.

I need to show  $X^+ \subseteq Y^+$  follows.

The header tells us X = Y.

Using this fact,  $X^+ = Y^+$  is true.

Then it follows from above that  $X^+ \subseteq Y^+$  is also true.

# 2. Case 2 $(X \subset Y)$

Assume  $X \subset Y$ .

I need to show  $X^+ \subseteq Y^+$  follows.

Since the attributes in X is in Y, we can conclude the attributes in  $X^+$  is also in  $Y^+$ .

And, since Y has attributes not in X, we can conclude  $Y^+$  may contain attributes not in  $X^+$ .

Thus, we can conclude  $X^+ \subseteq Y^+$ .

### 8. 1. The following

- 1.  $A \rightarrow C$
- $2. B \rightarrow A$
- 3.  $B \rightarrow C$
- 4.  $C \rightarrow A$
- 5.  $C \rightarrow B$
- 6.  $AB \rightarrow C$
- 7.  $AC \rightarrow B$
- 8.  $BC \rightarrow A$
- 9.  $A \rightarrow BC$
- 10.  $A \rightarrow A$

can be simplified to

- 1.  $A \rightarrow C$
- 2.  $B \rightarrow A$
- 3.  $B \rightarrow C$
- 4.  $C \rightarrow A$
- 5.  $C \rightarrow B$
- 6.  $A \rightarrow C$  B removed from here!!
- 7.  $AC \rightarrow B$
- 8.  $BC \rightarrow A$
- 9.  $A \rightarrow BC$
- 10.  $A \rightarrow A$

since **augmenting left sides** rule tells us  $AB \to C$  can be attained by adding B to L.H.S of  $A \to C$ .

# Rough Works:

- 1. Add attributes from  $A^+$  to L.H.S of  $A_1A_2\cdots A_n\to A^+$ .
- 2. Show that the R.H.S is still  $A^+$ .

#### Notes:

- Closure (Definition)
  - Suppose  $A = \{A_1, A_2, ..., A_n\}$  is a set of attributes of R and S is a set of FD'.

The closure of A under the set S, denoted by  $A^+$ , is the set of attributes B such that any relation that satisfies all the FD's in S is also satisfies  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_n \to A^+$ .

- In other words  $A_1 \cdots A_n \to A^+$  follows from the FD's of S.
- I wish the definition is a little more clear :(

### 9. Notes:

- Basis
  - Is the set of FD's that represent the full set of FD's of a relation
- Finding minal bases for FD's
  - A minimal basis for a relation satisfies three conditions
    - 1. All the FD's in B have singleton right sides.
    - 2. If any FD is removed from B, the result is no longer a basis
    - 3. If for any FD in B we remove on or more attributes from the left side of F, the result is no longer a basis
  - Steps
    - 1. Get rid of redundant attributes

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- 2. Get rid of redundant dependencies
- Example

The following

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ABCD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACDF \rightarrow E$
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

can be simplified to

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$  B removed here!!
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACDF \rightarrow E$
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

since by **augmentation rule**,  $A \to B$  can be re-written as  $ACD \to BCD$ . And by **trivial rule**,  $ACD \to BCD$  can be re-written as  $ACB \to ABCD$ , which then can be used to get E from  $ABCD \to E$ .

Second, the following

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACDF \rightarrow E$
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

can be simplified to

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACD \rightarrow E$  F Removed here!!
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

since **augmenting left side** rule tells us  $ACDF \to E$  can be attained by adding F to ACD in  $ACD \to E$ .

Then, the following

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

can be simplified to

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$

- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

by removing redundant  $ACD \to E$ .

Then, the following

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$
- 5.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 6.  $ACDF \rightarrow G$

can be simplified to

- 1.  $A \rightarrow B$
- 2.  $ACD \rightarrow E$
- 3.  $EF \rightarrow G$
- 4.  $EF \rightarrow H$

since **augmentation** rule tells us  $ACDF \to G$  can be re-written to get  $ACDF \to EF$  and then use **transtivity rule** on  $EF \to G$  to get  $ACDF \to G$ .