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Off Keys.

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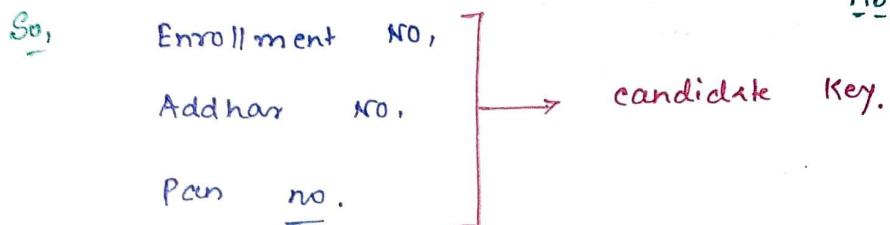
In this, we will talk about different keys on databases.
There are various keys that are used in databases.
Such as: candidate key, super key and primary key.

candidate key:: A candidate key is the minimal set of attributes that derives all other attributes.

Example.

Enroll. No.	Student Name	AAdhar No.	Address	Pan. No.	Contact
101	Ram	101---9	ABC	AEJO---9	62----09
102	Ramesh	201---8	BCD	BJK---8	62---94
103	Suresh	501---6	EFG	CKS---6	98---50
104	Sunil	809---1	GHI	MIK---5	93----62
105	Mohan	725---6	IJKL	KLM---4	95----68
106	Kamlesh	421---5	MNOS	MNO---6	63----95
107	Ritesh	015---6	PQR	STV---5	98---96

- * Name is not a candidate key bcz. Another person with the same name may be there.
- * Aadhar No. is a candidate key. bcz. it is unique.
- * Enroll. No. is a " " " " "
- * Address is not a candidate key. bcz. two students they might be brother with the same address.
- * Pan no. is a candidate key. (Assuming it is unique).
- * Contact may or may not be candidate key. bcz. it is dependent upon business logic. If it is allowed to give phone no. only once then it is a candidate key otherwise not.

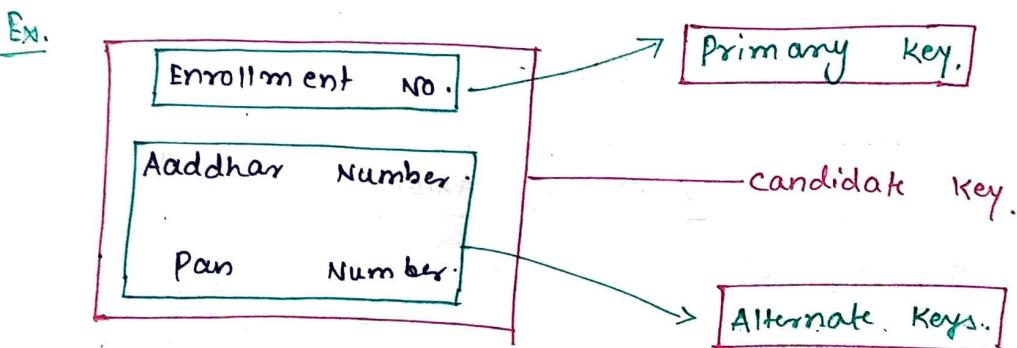


We only pick one out of above candidate key that is called Primary key. (chosen by the Database Designer).

Ex. Enrollment no. → Primary key.

Primary key : The one key that is chosen from multiple candidate key is called Primary key.

and other keys are called alternate keys.



* candidate key must be distinct and not null.
Properties: ↗ (unique).

Super Key: : Greater than or equal to Super key.

→ Any set of Attributes that uniquely identifies all the rows is Super key.

Ex. (Enrollment no, Student Name)

* If we minimise super key,
 if we remove unnecessary Attributes
 out of it then it becomes the
 candidate key.

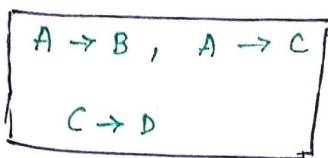
→ This is a key but
 This can not be a candidate
 key bcz candidate key must be
 nominal.

It is a super key.

* Example to find keys (candidate key, Super Key, Primary key)

Ex: 1) $R_1 (A, B, C, D)$

($A \rightarrow B$ means A derives B)



Here A derives B, A derives C

and C derives D. and A derives itself.

$A^+ = \{A, B, C, D\} \rightarrow$ closure of a candidate key.

That means 'A' is the candidate key. and $A, AB, ABC, AC,$
and many more are super key.
The Rule that Derives $A \rightarrow C$ and $C \rightarrow D$

is called Armstrong Axioms.

- Armstrong Axioms.
- 1) Reflexivity : A derives A (itself).
 - 2) Transitivity : $A \rightarrow C$ and $C \rightarrow D$
then $A \rightarrow D$.
 - 3) Augmentation : It says:- if
 $x \rightarrow y$
then $xz \rightarrow yz$.

These are
the three
Armstrong
Axioms.

using these
three basic
rules we
can find
closure of a candidate
key.

Example : 2.

$R_2 (A, B, C, D)$

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$$\boxed{AB \rightarrow CD}$$

Here, AB derives CD so AB is the candidate key.

Example : 3.

$R_3 (A, B, C, D)$

$$\boxed{B \rightarrow AC, C \rightarrow D}$$

using Reflexivity Rule we can say that B derives A,B,C and using transitivity we can say B derives C and C derives D so. B derives D.

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

so, B is the candidate key.

for super key, we can add anything in B like.

BA, B, BAC, BAD, BD and many more are super keys.

$$\boxed{\text{super keys : } 2^n - 1}$$

$$2^4 - 1 = 15 \uparrow \text{in}$$

the above 3 examples.

* candidate keys and super keys does not having NULL value.

that means Every Table does have atleast one super key

which means atleast one candidate key.

So, you always have one Super key, one candidate key

and one primary key as well.

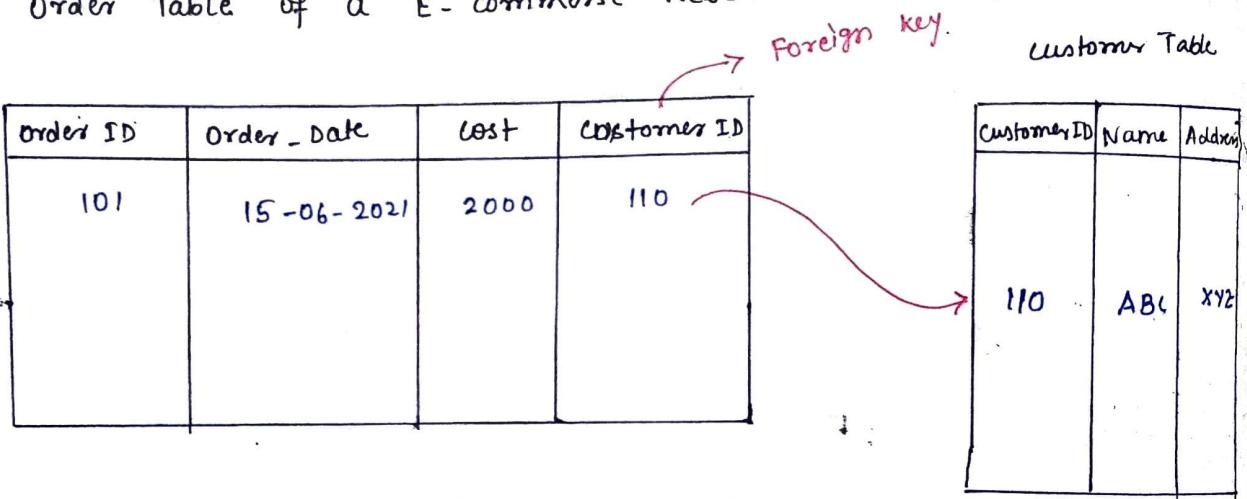
08. Foreign Keys

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- Foreign Keys refers to primary key of some other table.
- It may refer primary key of same table. but it most of the time referring to some other table.
- It doesn't have to be primary key all time, it might be unique key as well. but we prefer to take Primary Key.

Example of Foreign keys.

Order Table of a E-commerce website.



- * customer ID is the primary key of order table. so we will took it and referencing to another table that represents the customer table of that same customer ID.
- * This is the function of ^{Foreign} Primary Key.
- * In code the Examples will be like this

Order Table Order (

- * Order-id INTEGER Primary Key,
- * Order-Date Date,
- * cost Integer,

Customer - ID REFERENCES Customer (customer ID)
↑
// Primary Foreign Key //

* If we want to delete that information from the customer table (110) then we will use "ON DELETE CASCADE".
there are many ↓ methods that are provided by databases like default, NULL and many more.
and this integrity which is maintained by databases
(to delete the data if the customer wants) is called Referential Integrity.

09. DATABASE Normalisation.

We do Database Normalisation to ensure that data Redundancy is minimum (↓) and data Integrity is maximum (↑).

DATA Redundancy : having the same data in multiple places specially string type of data not ID type of DATA.

DATA Integrity : Ensuring that there is no erroneous data inside your Database, maintenance of data follows the Business Rule.

Data Base Normalisation.

Data Redundancy (↓). Low

Data Integrity (↑). High

* Objectives of Good Database design.

* NO updation, insertion, deletion anomalies.

* Early Extendible.

↳ ~~Normalisation~~ (Doesn't follow the rules)

* Good Performance for all query sets.

* More informative.

1) updation Anomaly

If we want to update something in our database table.

updation Anomaly occurs when we have Redundancy in our database.

How we will remove these ??

Ans:- we will split the database table in two or more tables.

Example:

Student ID	Student name	Subject ID	Subject Name
1001	ABC	CS101	Database Management Syst
1002	MNO	CS101	Database Management Syst
1001	PQR	CS102	Operating System
1003	ABC	CS102	Operating System
1002	XYZ	CS102	Database Management System

If we want to update here DBMS.

so we have to work more upon the all Query.

Feasible way: , split the table into 2 table and update

ii) Insertion Anomaly.

we can't insert only student name or student ID if there is already said that you have to fill all the column.

This is called insertion Anomaly.

Example: 2

Student id	Student Name	Subject ID	Subject Name
1004	JKL	??	??

we have to fill all the columns. This is called. Insertion Anomaly.

iii) Deletion Anomaly.

If we delete some record but the deleted record which was required to be their even after deletion then it is Deletion Anomaly.

Example: 3

suppose student 1001 and 1002 Leaves the college and we Deleted both the entries from our database.

so, the subject database management system

also deleted from our record. But we

don't want to delete it

This is called Deletion Anomaly.

All these Anomaly which we learnt happens in our databases bcz. we have Data Redundancy. for get rid of them we need to make separate tables.

Keep it in mind:- Breaking into tables in more tables we also have caused problem. bcz. if we do this we have many many tables and which is not easy to handle.

so break the tables but not into many tables.

10. Functional Dependency.

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We studies functional dependency for normalisation of our databases.

Q) Why we study normalisation?

A.: To Avoid Redundancy in our databases.

Q) Why we avoid Redundancy in databases?

A.: To Avoid Anomalies in our databases

like insertion, deletion, update Anomalies.

Now we will see functional dependency.

$$A \rightarrow B$$

i.e. B is functionally dependent on A.

Example 1

Enroll No.	Name	Address	Phone No.

$$\text{Enroll No.} \rightarrow \text{Name.}$$

$$\text{Enroll No.} \rightarrow \text{Address}$$

$$\text{Enroll No.} \rightarrow \text{Phone No.}$$

i.e. Name, Address and phone no. is dependent on Enroll no.

Or Enroll no. uniquely defines Name, Address and phone no.

Enroll no. is the functional dependency Here.

Example: 2

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Subject ID	Student ID	Marks	Grade.

Subject ID, student ID \rightarrow Marks.

Subject ID, Student ID \rightarrow Grade.

Or we can write : Subject ID, Student ID \rightarrow Marks, Grade.
Only Subject ID or Student ID can't define marks bcz.

A student have more than one marks he can be enrolled in many subjects. that why we have to take both.

Here. Subject ID & student ID is functional dependency.

Ex: 3

A	B
x	1
y	1
z	2

Here

$A \rightarrow B$ ✓ (True).

$B \rightarrow A$ ✗ (Not True)

bcz. if we say '1' it may be x or y.

Functional dependency.

For a given attribute,
if you can uniquely
define the other attributes
then there is a functional
dependency.

Example: 4

Enroll No.	Name	Address
101	Raj	ABC
102	Rani	ABC
103	Raj	XYZ

Enroll No \rightarrow Name, Address. ✓ (True)

Name \rightarrow Address ✗ (False)

Address \rightarrow Name. ✗ (False)

Q) Why do we study Functional Dependency ?? Abhishek Sharma Notes

Sol: If we are given a database like this

Student ID	Name	Department ID	Depart. Name.
101	ABC	10	CS
102	BCD	11	ECE
103	ABC	10	CS
104	XYZ	11	ECE
105	CDE	10	CS

Now from the given above table first we will find the functional dependency. i.e.

$$\text{Depart. ID} \rightarrow \text{Depart. Name.}$$

Now we will delete that column (Department name) and create a separate table and link with that table.

Depart - ID	Depart. Name.
10	CS
11	ECE

That's How we reduce Data Redundancy.

Two Types:

Functional Dependency.

Trivial

Ex:-

$$AB \rightarrow A$$

$$A \rightarrow A$$

$$ABC \rightarrow AC$$

Non Trivial.

Ex:-

$$A \rightarrow B$$

$$AB \rightarrow C$$

$$BC \rightarrow DEA$$

Attributes that defines itself.

Attributes that gives some information.

II. First Normal Form (1NF)

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Rule: Every Attribute ^{should} contain only single value (Atomic).

Rule: Every Attribute should contain only single value. i.e. Atomic.

Example:

Customer ID	Name	Mobile No.
101	ABC	6290903490 , 629100570
102	BCD	95984627 ,
103	XYZ	95867567 ,
104	PQR	93543201 .

This table is not in 1NF bcz as the def'n says every Attribute should contain only single value, but the Attribute Mobile No. containing 2 values.



Converting the table in 1NF.

1st possible way.

We can add a new column for mobile No. 2. like this

Customer ID	Name	Mobile No. 1.	Mobile No. 2
101	ABC	6290903490	629100570
102	BCD	95984627	-
103	XYZ	95867526	-
104	PQR	93543201	-

Theoretically it is in 1NF but the problem

with this table is that there are too many empty fields.



Now we will further optimise this table for better 1NF.

Customer ID	Name	Mobile No.
101	ABC	6290903490
102	BCD	95984627
103	XYZ	95867526
104	PQR	93943201
101	ABC	629100570

* Now '101' has two entry. This is in 1NF and Better than previous one bcz. previously we are wasting too much empty spaces. we are repeating item in the same table. This is Better 1NF than previous one.

* But this table has its own demerit though it is in 1NF. we already know that customer ID should be unique but here it is repeating.

We will remove this problem in 2NF and 3NF.

As of now this is in 1NF.



We can modify it via breaking it in two tables like this

↓ Better solution =

Customer ID	Name
101	ABC
102	BCD
103	XYZ
104	PQR

ID	Customer ID	Mobile No.
1	101	6290903490
2	102	95984627
3	103	95867526
4	104	93943201

* Now customer ID is unique.

Best Idea!

We will see further in 2NF & 3NF.