

# DATABASE DESIGN I - 1DL300

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## **An Introductory Course on Database Systems**

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# Normalization Example

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# The Database *Car\_sale*



Is *Car\_sale* in 1NF, 2NF or 3NF? Why or why not ?  
How would you normalize it?

1. A car may be sold by multiple salesmen.
2. One salesman can sale only one car per day.
3. The commission (in %) depends on who you buy a car from, i.e. the salesman.
4. The discount (in %) varies from date to date.

## Car\_sale

<u>Car</u>	<u>Salesman</u>	<u>Date_sold</u>	<u>Commission</u>	<u>Discount</u>
Saab 9-3	Erik P	2012-01-15	15	5
Saab 9-3	Mia F	2012-01-20	20	8
Saab 9-5	Nina O	2012-01-20	10	8
Volvo C30	Mia F	2012-01-21	20	3
Volvo S80	Erik P	2012-01-15	15	5

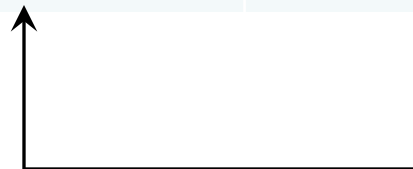
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Is *Teach* in BCNF? Why or why not ?  
How would you normalize it?

## Teach

<u>department</u>	<u>course</u>	teacher
Informational Technology	Database 1	Sara S
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# Normalization to BCNF



Is *Street* in BCNF? Why or why not ?  
How would you normalize it?

Street

<u>street</u>	<u>city</u>	length	zipcode
Rydsvägen	Linköping	19	58248
Mårdtorpsgatan	Linköping	0.7	58248
Storgatan	Linköping	1.5	58223
Storgatan	Gnesta	0.014	64631





# The Database *Order*



Apply a natural join on the relations. What will be the key of the resulting relation? Is it in 2NF ? Is it in 3 NF ? Normalize if needed!

## Order

<u>order</u>	<u>customer</u>	o_date	total_amount
1000	Joy	2012-01-15	15
1002	Joy	2012-01-20	20
1050	Spec	2012-01-20	10

## Order\_item

<u>order</u>	<u>item</u>	price	discount
1000	shirt	400	2
1000	dress	1000	5
1002	shirt	400	7
1050	trousers	600	1

- Each *item* has different discount
- *Price* refers to one item
- *Odate* is the date on which the order was placed
- *Total\_amount* is the amount of the order

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