# Assignment 1 — Tech Crunch

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### Introduction

In this project, I will learn about table normalization in databases. Let's find out what 1NF (First Normal Form), 2NF (Second Normal Form), and 3NF (Third Normal Form) are using TechCrunch data. Secondly, I will add two recipes to the SQL 'recipes' database using MySQL Workbench. I will utilize various SQL queries and use the JOIN and ORDER BY functions.

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### **Problem 1. Normalization**

1) What is a good choice for a primary key here? In contrast, give an example of an attribute (or composite) that would not be a valid primary key.

Fund\_id is a primary key. A primary key is a unique identifier for each record in a table (herovired, 2023). In other words, a primary key is unique within a table and is used to identify each row. A table can have only one primary key. The techcrunch csv file contains: fund\_id, company, numEmps, category, city, state, fundedDate, raisedAmt, raisedCurrency, round. There are a total of 10 columns, of which Fund\_id is a unique number with different numbers from 1 to 523, and can be used to identify each row.

## 2) Does the table satisfy 1NF? Why or why not?

Yes. The table satisfies 1NF (First Normal Form).

1NF is a table where columns have unique records (ShareTheSameSky, 2021). Because every value contains only one value or item. In other words, there is no cell with multiple values connected by ',' (or other symbol). For example, looking at the 'company' column, each row

contains only one company. There is no table that contains two or more values, such as Twitter or Facebook. All columns are configured to satisfy this condition.

# 3) Does the table satisfy 2NF? Why or why not?

No. The table does not satisfies 2NF (Second Normal Form).

To satisfy 2NF, the table must be fully dependent to Primary Key. In this case the table has partial dependency. For example, city may be completely dependent on state. If the company does not include each branch, numEmps (which represent the number of employees), city, state can be fully dependent to 'company'. We can make new table whose primary key is company.

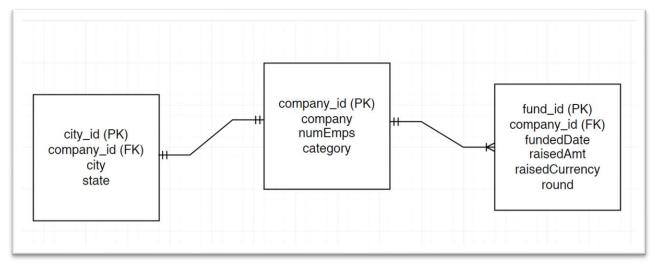
# 4) Does the table satisfy 3NF? Why or why not?

No. The table does not satisfies 3NF (Third Normal Form).

To satisfy 3NF, A relation that is in First and Second Normal Form and in which no non-primary-key attribute is transitively dependent on the primary key (Upadhyay, M). All its attributes are not only fully functionally dependent on the primary key but also non-transitively dependent, meaning no non-prime attribute depends on another non-prime attribute. In other words, there should be no functional dependency between any two non-key attributes (Jay, 2023).

In order to satisfy 3NF, it must be non-transitively dependent, meaning no non-prime attribute depends on another non-prime attribute. There is transitive dependency between attributes like company and others. For example, city is dependent on state, city is dependent on company, numEmps is dependent on company. We can manage the table separately to satisfy 2NF and 3NF.

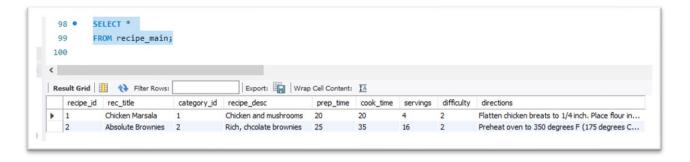
5) Sketch a proposed Entity-Relationship diagram that would bring this dataset into 3NF. If you answered "yes" to (4), for example, your ERD would just be the raw data table with no changes. If however your ERD requires multiple tables to be in 3NF, you should draw all relationships between them and indicate their type (one-to-one, one-to-many, etc.)



One company\_id can have one or multiple fund\_ids (one-to-many). One company\_id can have one city\_id (one-to-one).

## Problem 2. Case study (adapted from Comeau, Chapter 9)

1) Once you run the sql code you'll notice that each table has data populated for two recipes, Chicken Marsala and Absolute Brownies.



### Guideline:

- Use the INSERT INTO statement to insert new information about two (2)
   completely new recipes of your choosing into the database.
- 1. -- Lasagna and Korean short ribs are added in 'recipe\_main' column INSERT INTO 'recipe\_main' VALUES (3,'Easy Lasagna',3,'Cheese and meat sauce',10,30,8,1,'poon meat sauce on the bottom of a lightly greased casserole dish. Add 4 boiled lasagna noodles (or use no-boil or fresh noodles). Spread 1/3 of the ricotta cheese mixture on top. Add 1.5 cups of meat sauce. Top with mozzarella cheese. Cover and bake at 375° for 30 minutes. Remove cover and bake for 15 more minutes. Broil at the end if desired. Let it rest for 15 minutes prior to serving with Garlic Bread With Cheese.');
- 2. INSERT INTO `recipe\_main` VALUES (4,'Korean short ribs',4,'Beef short ribs and soy sauce',5,10,4,1,'Before cooking your short ribs in the air fryer, make sure to defrost them. This is easy to do in a bowl of cold water for 10 15 minutes (do not open the plastic bag if using the water to defrost). The time you cook your short ribs in the air fryer will depend on your air fryer model and how thick the meat is. Cooked at 400 degrees F, they should be ready in 15 minutes. Korean short ribs cook very quickly, so keep an eye on them so they don't overcook.');
  - You can make up your own recipes or copy them from a website. Be sure to
    insert values into each of the tables generated by the recipe.sql file:
    recipe\_main, rec\_ingredients, ingredients, and categories.
- -- Add ingredients for Lasagna INSERT INTO `ingredients` VALUES (20, 'Ricotta Cheese'), (21, 'Meat Sauce'), (22, 'Mozzarella Cheese');

- 4. -- Add rec\_ingredients for Lasagna INSERT INTO `rec\_ingredients` VALUES (20, 3, 4, 20), (21, 3, 3, 21), (22, 3, 4, 22);
- -- Add ingredients for Korean short ribs INSERT INTO `ingredients` VALUES (23, 'Beef short ribs'), (24, 'Soy Sauce');
- 6. -- Add rec\_ingredients for Korean short ribs INSERT INTO `rec\_ingredients` VALUES (23, 4, 5, 23), (24, 4, 6, 24);
- 7. -- insert categories INSERT INTO `categories` VALUES (3, 'Entree'), (4, 'Main');
  - Use Chicken Marsala and Absolute Brownies as your guides for the problem as
    the instructions follow similar steps as what was already done in the code, but
    remember you need to do the same thing for two new recipes.

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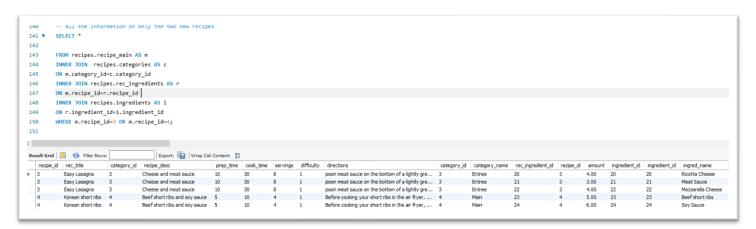
2) Write only one SQL query that returns all information on only the two new recipes you inserted from all the tables you created in step 1 above.

## Guideline:

- Your query should show all relevant information from all four of the tables from step 1.
- Don't worry that the output table may duplicate rows, for example the
  recipe\_main table will duplicate rows for each of the ingredients you enter which
  is ok. The idea is to get you comfortable with joins.
- Show the results of your query as screenshots pasted in below:
- 8. SELECT \* FROM recipes.recipe\_main AS m

INNER JOIN recipes.categories AS c ON m.category\_id=c.category\_id INNER JOIN recipes.rec\_ingredients AS r ON m.recipe\_id=r.recipe\_id INNER JOIN recipes.ingredients AS I ON r.ingredient\_id=i.ingredient\_id

WHERE m.recipe id=3 OR m.recipe id=4;



3) Write a SELECT query that identifies the recipe name, category name, and ingredient name, and ingredient amount. No other variables should be included.

## Guideline:

- Your output should be sorted first by descending category name, then by ascending recipe name, followed by descending ingredient name.
- Recall that string variables are sorted alphabetically (ascending only) when you
  check your query results.
- 9. SELECT m.rec\_title, c.category\_name, i.ingred\_name, r.amount

FROM recipes.recipe\_main AS m

INNER JOIN recipes.categories AS c

ON m.category\_id=c.category\_id

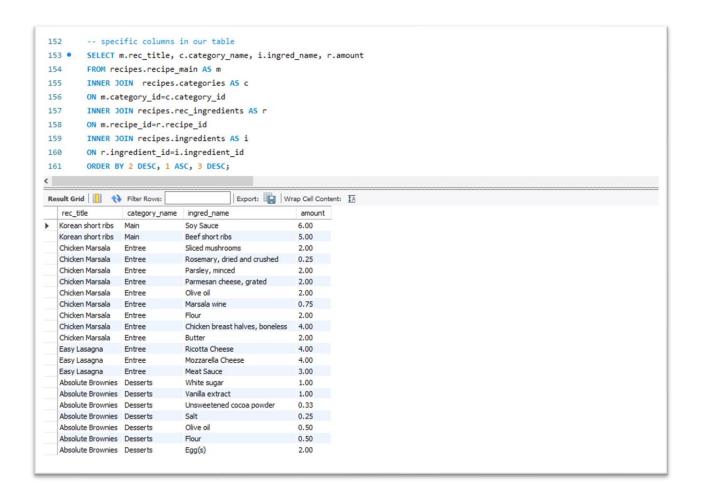
INNER JOIN recipes.rec\_ingredients AS r

ON m.recipe\_id=r.recipe\_id

INNER JOIN recipes.ingredients AS i

ON r.ingredient\_id=i.ingredient\_id

ORDER BY 2 DESC, 1 ASC, 3 DESC;



### Conclusion

In this project, I learned how to normalize data such as 1NF, 2NF, and 3NF using a single CSV file. Normalization is a key data organization method for building a database. In the 'recipes' section, I learned how to add data using SQL and how to extract the necessary information using JOIN. Through JOIN, I can extract and check all the necessary data from the normalized data at once.

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