



# DTSA 5733 Relational Database Design Final Project

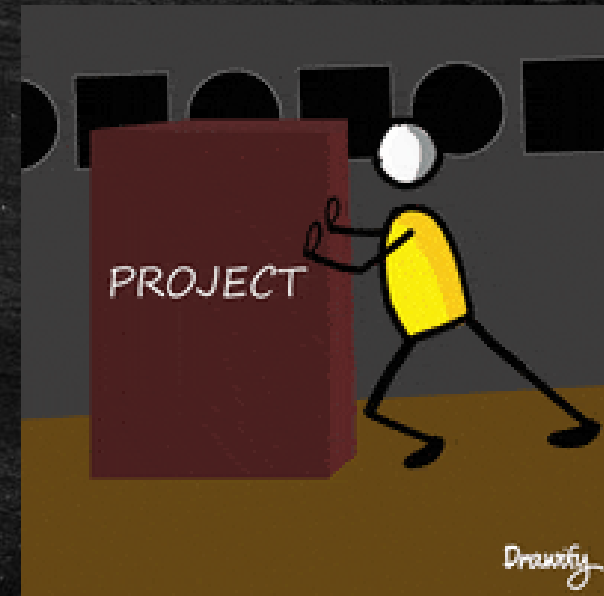
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# Project Objective & Learning Outcomes

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- Relational Database Design
- Dealing with project assumptions
- Carrying out the project in 6 main steps





# Business Background & Story

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The first step is to describe the background story of our case here, such that I chose a project that is related to my BSc background which is Civil Engineering. I hope this idea reflects effectively my learning outcomes to the Peer Evaluation, and I hope also this final project be useful to my career as a Data Scientist with a Civil Engineering background.

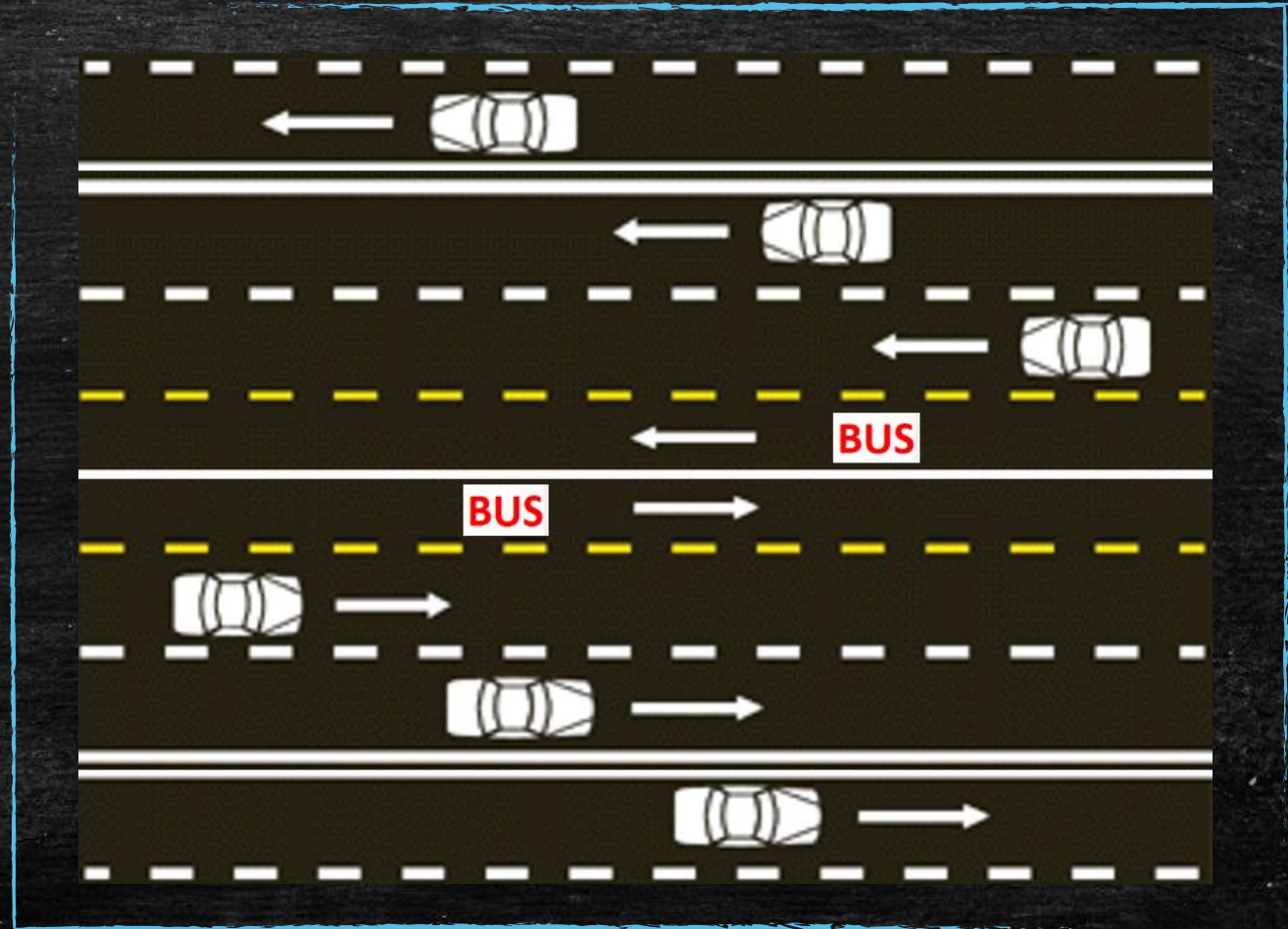
I am going to design a Relational Database for a Traffic Management system that is connecting to IoT sensors that collect information about the current status of the highway, such that I am going to assume some entities and their attributes from my mind, then I am going to apply the next five steps to reach to my goal mentioned earlier in this paragraph.

## Highway Conditions and Assumptions

1. We have two main sides in opposite directions for all vehicles.
2. We have two special sides in opposite directions for Amman Bus Rapid Transit
3. Refer to below image that describes directions of the vehicles.
4. please note that I used Amman Bus Rapid Transit project just as title to deliver this business case of my interest, other than the project name all information provided are only based on my own assumptions



# Business Background & Story





# Building the Entity Relationship Model (ER Model)

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- Highway: HighwayID, HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed. HighwayID is the identifier.
- Segment: SegmentID, StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions. SegmentID is the identifier.
- IoT\_Device: DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol. DeviceID is the identifier.



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- Traffic\_Camera: CameraID, Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus. CameraID is the identifier.
- Traffic\_Flow\_Sensor: SensorID, Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus. SensorID is the identifier.
- Weather\_Sensor: SensorID, Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus. SensorID is the identifier.



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- Maintenance: MaintenanceID, Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic. MaintenanceID is the identifier.
- Vehicle: VehicleID, PlateNumber, VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction. VehicleID, and PlateNumber are both identifiers



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The relationships are the following

- A highway may have one or more segments. A segment must belong to one and only one highway.
- An IoT Device may have one or more sensors. A sensor must belong to one and only one IoT Device.
- A highway may have one or more IoT Devices. An IoT Device must belong to one and only one highway.
- A highway may require one or more maintenance services. A maintenance may be implemented to one or more highways.
- A highway may have one or more (zero or more) vehicles. A vehicle may use one or more highways.
- A vehicle must exist in one and only one segment. A segment may contain one or more vehicles.
- A highway may have one or more cameras. A camera must belong to one and only one highway.



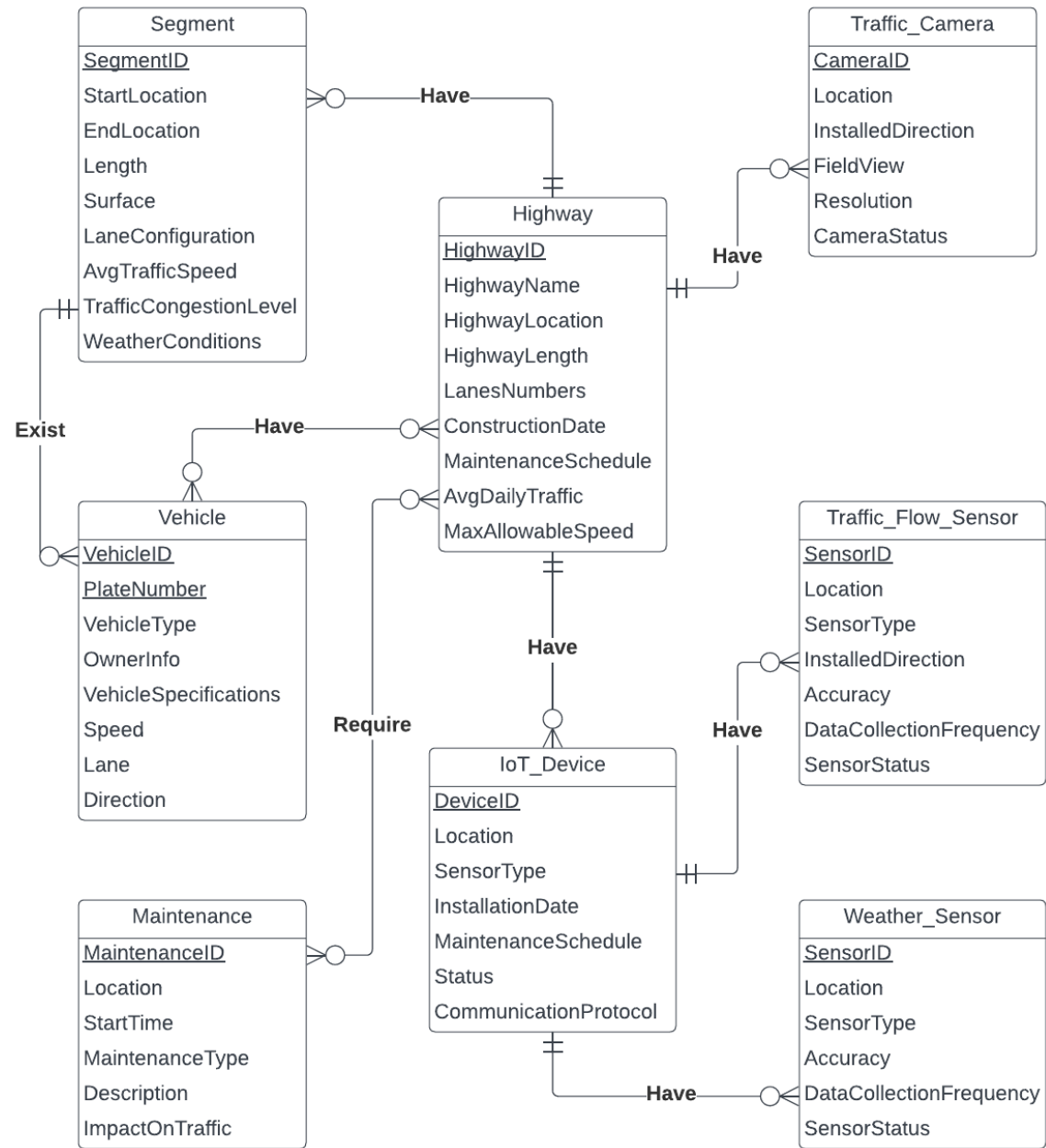
# Drawing the Entity Relationship Diagram (ERD)

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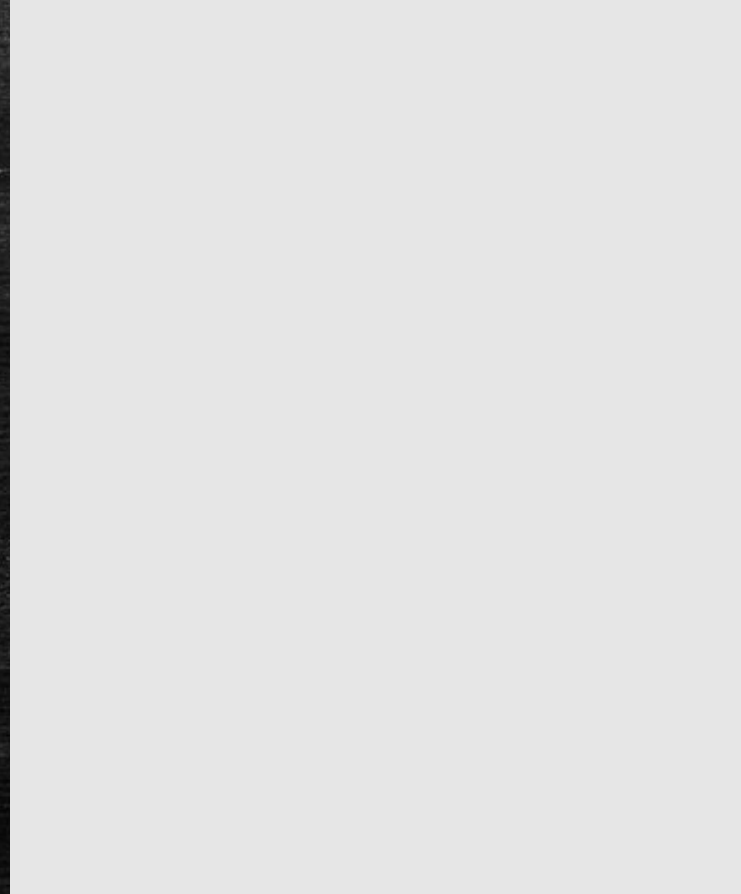






# Converting the ERD into a Relational Model

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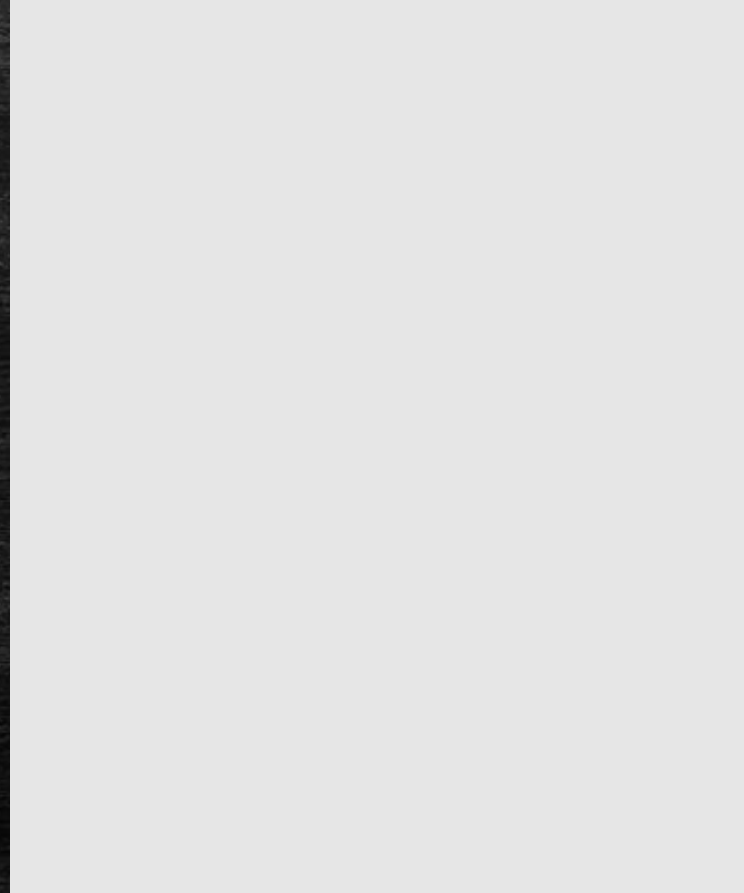
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- Highway (HighwayID, HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed).
- Segment (SegmentID, StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions).
- IoT\_Device (DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol).
- Traffic\_Camera (CameraID, Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus).
- Traffic\_Flow\_Sensor (SensorID, Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).
- Weather\_Sensor (SensorID(fk), Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).
- Maintenance (MaintenanceID, Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic).
- Vehicle (VehicleID, PlateNumber, VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction).



# Normalization the Relational Model to the Third Normal Form (3NF)

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Step 5 is implemented in two steps as follows, the first is by understanding and collecting Functional Dependencies based on the business understanding according to stakeholders of the project.

The second step is by eliminating partial dependencies ending up with 2NF, then eliminating transitive dependencies reaching to 3NF as required.

The normalization process is implemented in the following slides



# Normalization the Relational Model to the Third Normal Form (3NF)

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## 1- Summarising the Functional Dependencies



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Highway (HighwayID, HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed).

FD1: HighwayID  $\rightarrow$  HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed

IoT\_Device (DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol).

FD1: DeviceID  $\rightarrow$  Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol

FD2: Status  $\rightarrow$  MaintenanceSchedule

Segment (SegmentID, StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions).

FD1: SegmentID  $\rightarrow$  StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions

FD2: Length  $\rightarrow$  StartLocation, EndLocation

Traffic\_Camera (CameraID, Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus).

FD1: CameraID  $\rightarrow$  Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus



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Traffic\_Flow\_Sensor (SensorID, Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).

FD1: SensorID  $\rightarrow$  Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus

Weather\_Sensor (SensorID(fk), Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).

FD1: SensorID  $\rightarrow$  Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus

Maintenance (MaintenanceID, Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic).

FD1: MaintenanceID  $\rightarrow$  Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic

Vehicle (VehicleID, PlateNumber, VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction).

FD1: VehicleID, PlateNumber  $\rightarrow$  VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction



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## 2- Eliminating Partial and Transitive Dependencies



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The entities Highway, Traffic\_Camera, Traffic\_Flow\_Sensor, Weather\_Sensor, Maintenance, and Vehicle are all in 3NF, because they are in 1NF; they have no partial functional dependencies so they are in 2NF; and they have no transitive functional dependencies so they are in 3NF.

The entities Segment, and IoT\_Device are in 2NF, because they are in 1NF, they have no partial functional dependencies so they are in 2NF, but they are not in 3NF, because FD2 in both entities is a transitive functional dependency, such that we need to normalize these two entities, so let's start with normalization steps for Segment entity as follows :



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Segment Entity



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Segment (SegmentID, StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surafce, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions).

FD1: SegmentID  $\rightarrow$  StartLocation, EndLocation, Length, Surafce, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions

FD2: Length  $\rightarrow$  StartLocation, EndLocation

FD2 is a transitive functional dependency the we need to eliminate, so we need to create new relations to achieve that.



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- Segment (SegmentID, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions)  
FD1: SegmentID  $\rightarrow$  Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions
- Segment\_Length (Length, StartLocation, EndLocation)  
FD1: Length  $\rightarrow$  StartLocation, EndLocation

Both new relations are now normalized to 3NF



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IoT\_Device Entity



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- IoT\_Device (DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol).

FD1: DeviceID  $\rightarrow$  Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, MaintenanceSchedule, Status, CommunicationProtocol

FD2: Status  $\rightarrow$  MaintenanceSchedule

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- IoT\_Device (DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, Status, CommunicationProtocol)

FD1: DeviceID  $\rightarrow$  Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, Status, CommunicationProtocol

- IoT\_Device\_Status (Status, MaintenanceSchedule)

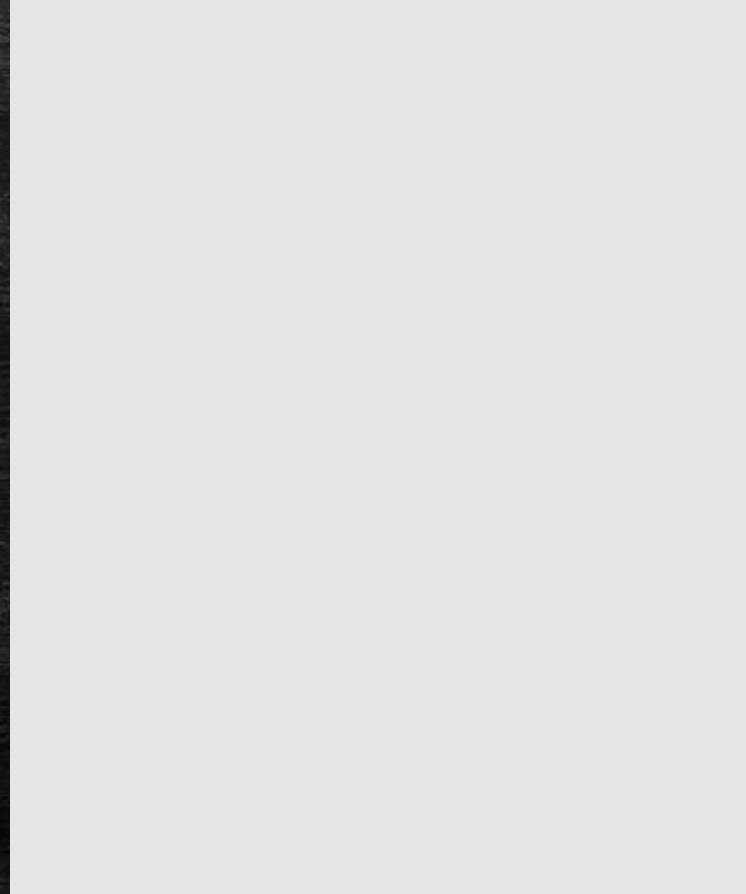
FD1: Status  $\rightarrow$  MaintenanceSchedule

Both new relations are now normalized to 3NF.



# Final Output of the Relational Model in 3NF

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Highway (HighwayID, HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed).

FD1: HighwayID → HighwayName, HighwayLocation, HighwayLength, LanesNumbers, ConstructionDate, MaintenanceSchedule, AvgDailyTraffic, MaxAllowableSpeed

IoT\_Device (DeviceID, Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, Status, CommunicationProtocol)

FD1: DeviceID → Location, SensorType, InstallationDate, Status, CommunicationProtocol

IoT\_Device\_Status (Status, MaintenanceSchedule)

FD1: Status → MaintenanceSchedule

Segment (SegmentID, Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions)

FD1: SegmentID → Length, Surface, LaneConfiguration, AvgTrafficSpeed, TrafficCongestionLevel, WeatherConditions

Segment\_Length (Length, StartLocation, EndLocation)

FD1: Length → StartLocation, EndLocation

Traffic\_Camera (CameraID, Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus).

FD1: CameraID → Location, InstalledDirection, FieldView, Resolution, CameraStatus



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Traffic\_Flow\_Sensor (SensorID, Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).

FD1: SensorID → Location, SensorType, InstalledDirection, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus

Vehicle (VehicleID, PlateNumber, VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction).

FD1: VehicleID, PlateNumber → VehicleType, OwnerInfo, VehicleSpecifications, Speed, Lane, Direction

Weather\_Sensor (SensorID(fk), Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus).

FD1: SensorID → Location, SensorType, Accuracy, DataCollectionFrequency, SensorStatus

Maintenance (MaintenanceID, Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic).

FD1: MaintenanceID → Location, StartTime, MaintenanceType, Description, ImpactOnTraffic



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