

Q1  $\rightarrow R(ABCDEFGH) \{ AB \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, A \rightarrow F, F \rightarrow G \}$

Solution  $\rightarrow$  i)  $(AB)^+ = \{ ABCDEFGH \}$

Hence Candidate Key (C.K) =  $\{ AB \}$

ii) Prime attribute =  $\{ A, B \}$   
Nonprime attribute =  $\{ C, D, E, F, G \}$

iii) Find Highest normal form?

$\Rightarrow$

$AB \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow E, A \rightarrow F, F \rightarrow G$

1NF	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2NF	✓	X	✓	X	✓
3NF	—	—	—	—	—
BCNF	—	—	—	—	—

{ Here  $B \rightarrow D$  &  $A \rightarrow F$  contains partial dependency  $\therefore$  it is not in 2NF }

$\therefore$  Highest normal form 1NF

(iv) - Decomposition in higher form (i.e BCNF).

$R(AB C D E F G)$

$A^+ = \{A F G\}$   
 $R_1$   

A	F	G
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$A \rightarrow F$   
 $F \rightarrow G$

$\{CK = A\}$

$B^+ = \{B D E\}$   
 $R_2$   

B	D	E
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$B \rightarrow D$   
 $D \rightarrow E$

$\{CK = B\}$

$R_3$   

A	B	C
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$AB \rightarrow C$

$\{CK = AB\}$



$R_1$  &  $R_2$  are  
in 2NF but  
not in 3NF  
Due to transitive  
dependency while  
 $R_3$  is in BCNF

$R_1$  &  $R_2$  are not in 3NF  $\therefore$  Decompose  
 $R_1$  &  $R_2$  these tables.

$R_1$   

A	F	G
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$R_{11}$   

A	F
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$A \rightarrow F$

$R_{12}$   

F	G
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$F \rightarrow G$

$R_2$   

B	D	E
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$R_{21}$   

B	D
---	---

$B \rightarrow D$

$R_{22}$   

D	E
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$D \rightarrow E$

$R_3$   

A	B	C
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$AB \rightarrow C$

No. of tables 5

Ans

Now  $R_{11}$ ,  $R_{12}$ ,  $R_{21}$ ,  $R_{22}$

&  $R_3$  are in BCNF  $\therefore$   
no further decomposition required

Q)  $\rightarrow R(ABCD) \{A \rightarrow C, B \rightarrow D\}$

Sol  $\Rightarrow$  i)  $(AB)^+ = \{A, B, C, D\}$

$\therefore$  Candidate Key =  $\{AB\}$

ii)  $\rightarrow$  Prime attribute =  $\{A, B\}$   
Non prime attribute =  $\{C, D\}$

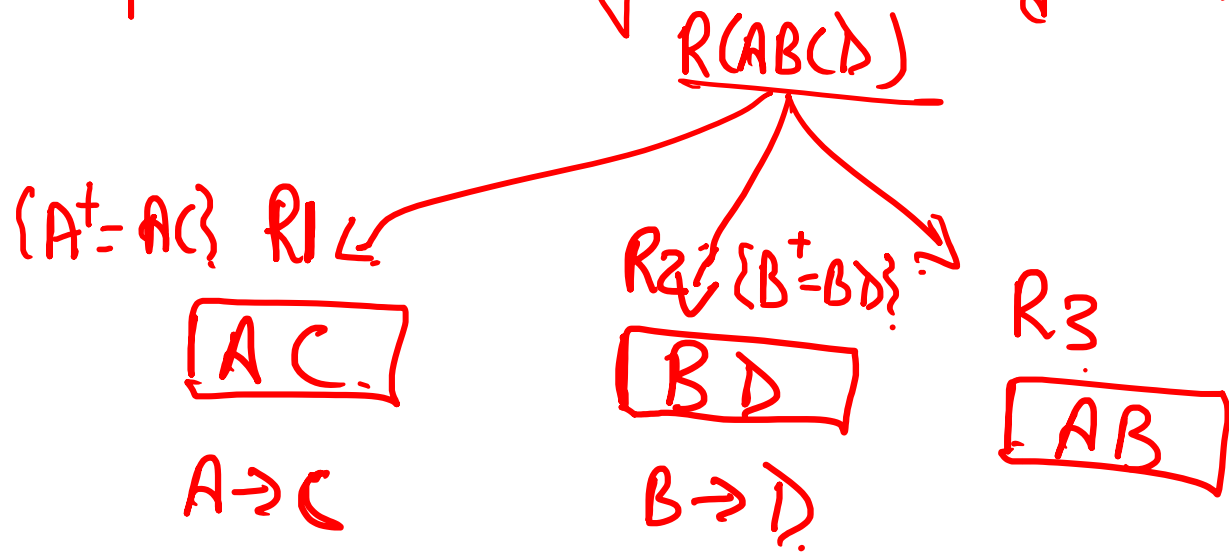
iii)  $\rightarrow$

	$A \rightarrow C$	$B \rightarrow D$
1NF	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
2NF	X	X
3NF	—	—
BCNF	—	—

Here  $A \rightarrow C$  &  $B \rightarrow D$  holds partial dependency  $\therefore$  It is not in 2NF.

$\therefore$  Highest normal form is 1NF

Q1). Decomposition into higher normal form:-



Now  $R_1, R_2, R_3$  holds (1NF, 2NF, 3NF & BCNF)

∴ No further decomposition required.

NO. of tables = 3 (i.e.,  $R_1, R_2, R_3$ )

Q  $\rightarrow R(ABCDEF) \{A \rightarrow BC, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow F\}$

Sol  $\rightarrow$  (1)  $(AD)^+ = \{ABCDEF\}$

Candidate Key (C.K) =  $\{AD\}$

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  Prime Attribute =  $\{A, D\}$   
Non prime attribute =  $\{B, C, E, F\}$

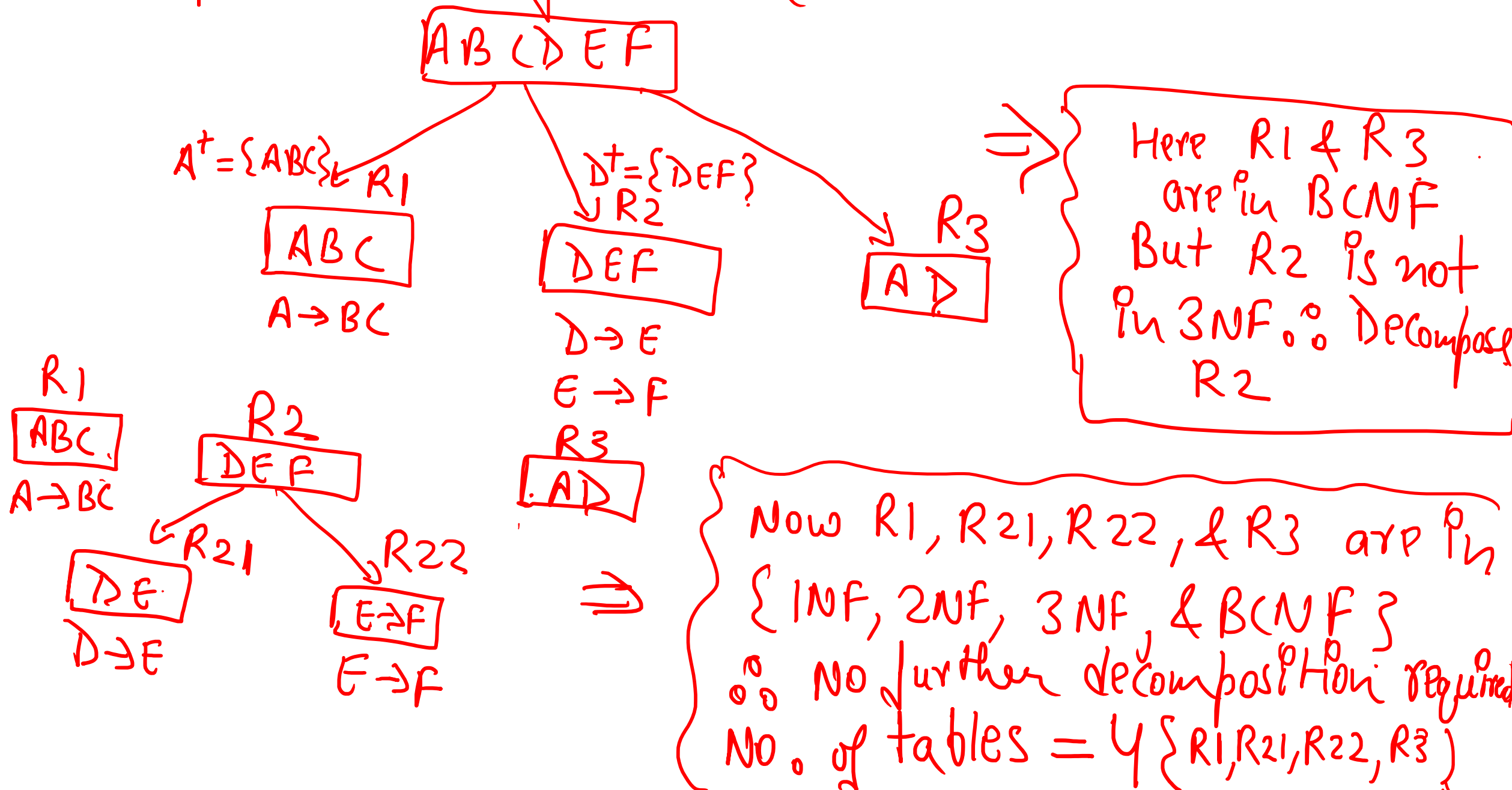
(3)

	$A \rightarrow BC$	$D \rightarrow E$	$E \rightarrow F$
1NF	✓	✓	✓
2NF	X	X	✓
3NF	—	—	—
BCNF	—	—	—

Here  $A \rightarrow BC$  &  $D \rightarrow E$  Hold  
Partial dependency  $\circ \circ$   
It is not in 2NF

$\circ \circ$  Highest normal form  
1NF

(10). Decomposition into Higher normal form.



Q4)  $\rightarrow R(ABCDE) \{ A \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A \}$

Sol  $\rightarrow$  ①  $A^+ = ABCDE$

$E^+ = ABCDE$

$(CD)^+ = ABCDE$

$(BC)^+ = ABCDE$

② Prime attribute =  $\{A, B, C, D, E\}$

Non prime attribute =  $\{ \emptyset \}$

∴ Candidate keys =  $\{A, E, CD, BC\}$

③  $\rightarrow$

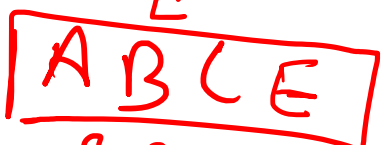
	$A \rightarrow BC, CD \rightarrow E, B \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow A$			
1NF	✓	✓	✓	✓
2NF	✓	✓	✓	✓
3NF	✓	✓	✓	✓
BCNF	✓	✓	✗	✓

$\Rightarrow$  In  $B \rightarrow D$   
 $B$  is not a  
COK or Superkey  
∴ It is not in BCNF  
Highest normal  
form = 3NF

④ Decomposition into highest normal form.



$R_1$



Derived attrins {  
 $BC \rightarrow EA$   
 $A \rightarrow BCE$   
 $E \rightarrow ABC$

$R_2$



{  
 $B \rightarrow D$

Here  $R_1$  &  $R_2$  are in BCNF But not Dependency preserving (D.P)  
 ∴  $CD \rightarrow E$  is missing in both  $R_1$  &  $R_2$  table

⇒ To make dependency preserving we need to add one more relation with attribute  $C, D, E$

$R_1$



$A \rightarrow BC$   
 $E \rightarrow A$

$R_2$



$B \rightarrow D$

$R_3$



$CD \rightarrow E$   
 $E \rightarrow CD$

$R_1, R_2$  &  $R_3$  are in BCNF & hold lossless & D.P  
 ∴ No. of tables = 3