

COMPUTER SCIENCE



Database Management System

FD's & Normalization

Lecture_05

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TOPICS
TO BE
COVERED

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01

Membership Set

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02

Equality between FD Set



RDBMS Concept

- Arity / Degree : (# Attributes)
- Cardinality : (# Tuples)
- Relational Schema
- Relational Instance

Type of FD

- ① Trivial FD
- ✓ ② Non Trivial FD
- ③ Semi Non Trivial FD

FD [Functional Dependency]

$X \rightarrow Y$ If $t_1.X = t_2.X$ then $t_1.Y = t_2.Y$ must be same.



Attribute closure $[X]^+$

Keys Concept

↳ Super key

↳ Candidate key

Finding Multiple C.K

If $X_{\text{Attribute}} \rightarrow [\text{Prime Attribute}]$
Multiple C.K possible.

key/prime Attribute

Non key / Non Prime Attribute

a) CC with Engaging Channel Concept

b) CC

c) C

d) Doubt

Doubt ?

Q.13

5 CK

ABG

BEG

FG

DG

CG

Q.14

A

DE

B

A	<u>B</u>	C	D
1	5	4	8
2	6	5	8
2	9	6	7
3	8	4	4

①

Candidate key = B

② AC, AD, CD

Candidate key → Primary key
 → Alternate/secondary key

Not Candidate key

BC : Super key

Note

① At Most One Primary key Per Table.

P.K [Unique + NOT NULL]

② More than One Alternative/Secondary key Possible.

Membership set : $F: [\dots]$

Let F be the Given FD Set. Any $X \rightarrow Y$ FD is a member
of FD Set F iff $X \rightarrow Y$ logically implied in F .

$X \rightarrow Y$ logically implied means $\{X\}^+$ determines Y .
then we can say $X \rightarrow Y$ is a member / logically implied /
valid FD in FD Set F .

Q

$F: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C]$

Check $\boxed{A \rightarrow C}$ is Member or Not ?

Soln

$$[A]^+ = [A B C]$$

$A \rightarrow C$ is Member / Valid FD / Logically implied in FD set F.

F: $\{AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow BE, C \rightarrow EA, D \rightarrow F\}$

\checkmark (i) $AB \rightarrow E$	$[AB]^+ = [ABCE]$
\times (ii) $D \rightarrow C$	$[D]^+ = [DBEF]$
\checkmark (iii) $C \rightarrow A$	$[C]^+ = [CEA...]$
\times (iv) $BD \rightarrow A$	$[BD]^+ = [BDEFF]$

Which FD's are logically implied?

(i) YES

(iii) YES

F: $[AB \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow DE, B \rightarrow F, F \rightarrow GH, D \rightarrow IJ]$

✓ (i) $A \rightarrow J$ $[A]^+ = [ADEIJ]$

X (ii) $B \rightarrow I$ $[B]^+ = [BFGH]$

X (iii) $B \rightarrow G$ $[B]^+ = [BFGH]$

✓ (iv) $AB \rightarrow GH$ $[AB]^+ = [ABCDEFGHIJ]$

X (v) $F \rightarrow IJ$ $[F]^+ = [FGH]$

X (vi) $B \rightarrow CD$ $[B]^+ = [BFGH]$

(i) & (iv) Ans

Q.

PW

In a schema with attributes A, B, C, D and E following set of functional dependencies are given

$A \rightarrow B$

$$(CD)^+ = [CDEAB]$$

$A \rightarrow C$

$$(BD)^+ = [BD]$$

$CD \rightarrow E$

$$(BC)^+ = [BCDEA]$$

$B \rightarrow D$

$$(AC)^+ = [AC \dots]$$

$E \rightarrow A$

Which of the following functional dependencies is NOT implied by the above set

C $CD \rightarrow AC$
Implied

D $BC \rightarrow CD$
Implied

A $BD \rightarrow CD$
Not Implied

B $AC \rightarrow BC$
Implied

Ans(A)

[MCQ: GATE - 2M]
[ISRO - 3M]



Suppose the following functional dependencies hold on a relation U with attributes P, Q, R, S and T:

$$P \rightarrow QR$$

$$RS \rightarrow T$$

Which of the following functional dependencies can be inferred/implied from the above functional dependencies?

[MSQ: 2021 - 2M]

☒ A $PS \rightarrow T$

☐ B $R \rightarrow T$

☒ C $P \rightarrow R$

☒ D $PS \rightarrow Q$

$$(PS)^+ = \{P, Q, R, S, T\}$$

$$(R)^+ = \{R\}$$

$$(P)^+ = \{P, Q, R\}$$

$$(PS)^+ = \{P, S, Q, R, T\}$$

Ans (A) [C] & [D]

Equality between 2 FD set

$F: [\dots]$

$G: [\dots]$

Let F & G be the 2 FD Set.

$\boxed{F \equiv G}$ F & G are equals only if

$F \text{ Cover } G : \text{True}$

$G \text{ Cover } F : \text{True}$

F Cover G : F Cover all the FD's of G.

(OR)

All G FD's should be Logically implied in F FD Set.

G cover F : G Cover All the FD's of F.

(OR)

ALL F FD'S should be Logically implied in G FD Set.

$F \text{ Cover } G$:	True	False	True	False
$G \text{ Cover } F$:	<u>False</u>	<u>True</u>	<u>True</u>	<u>False</u>
		$F \supset G$	$G \supset F$	$F \equiv G$	Un comparable

$F: [AB \rightarrow CD, B \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D]$

$G: [AB \rightarrow C, AB \rightarrow D, C \rightarrow D]$

(F) Cover G

$\checkmark AB \rightarrow C \quad (AB)^+ = [ABCD]$

$\checkmark AB \rightarrow D \quad (AB)^+ = [ABCD]$

$\checkmark C \rightarrow D \quad (C)^+ = [CD]$

True

$F \supset G$

(G) Cover F

$\checkmark AB \rightarrow CD \quad (AB)^+ = [ABCD]$

$\times B \rightarrow C \quad (B)^+ = [B]$

$\checkmark C \rightarrow D \quad (C)^+ = [CD]$

False
Ans

Q.

Consider relation schema $A(P\ Q\ R\ S)$ with two set of FD's

$F : [P \rightarrow Q, PQ \rightarrow R, PR \rightarrow S, Q \rightarrow R, Q \rightarrow P]$

$G : [PQ \rightarrow S, PR \rightarrow Q, Q \rightarrow S, QS \rightarrow R]$

Which of the following is correct?

- ☒ A F Cover G
- ☐ B G Cover F
- ☐ C F and G are equivalent
- ☐ D None of these

Ans (A)



F: $[P \rightarrow Q, PQ \rightarrow R, PR \rightarrow S, Q \rightarrow R, Q \rightarrow P]$

G: $[PQ \rightarrow S, PR \rightarrow Q, Q \rightarrow S, QS \rightarrow R]$

F Cover G

$\checkmark PQ \rightarrow S$ $(PQ)^+ = [PQRS]$
 $\checkmark PR \rightarrow Q$ $(PR)^+ = [PRQS]$
 $\checkmark Q \rightarrow S$ $(Q)^+ = [QSPS]$
 $\checkmark QS \rightarrow R$ $(QS)^+ = [QSRP]$

True

G Cover F

$\times P \rightarrow Q$ $(P)^+ = [P]$
 $\checkmark PQ \rightarrow R$ $(PQ)^+ = [PQSR]$
 $\checkmark PR \rightarrow S$ $(PR)^+ = [PRQS]$
 $\checkmark Q \rightarrow R$ $(Q)^+ = [QSR]$
 $\times Q \rightarrow P$ $(Q)^+ = [QSR]$

False



Consider relation schema $R(A\ C\ D\ E\ H)$ with two set of FD's

$F : [A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H]$

$G : [A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH]$

[MSQ]

Which of the following is correct?

- ☒ A F Cover G
- ☒ B G Cover F
- ☒ C F and G are equivalent
- ☐ D None of these

$F: [A \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow AD, E \rightarrow H]$

$G: [A \rightarrow CD, E \rightarrow AH]$

F Cover G

✓ $A \rightarrow CD$ $(A)^+ = [ACD]$

✓ $E \rightarrow AH$ $(E)^+ = [EADHC]$

True

$F \equiv G$

G Cover F

✓ $A \rightarrow C$

✓ $AC \rightarrow D$

✓ $E \rightarrow AD$

✓ $E \rightarrow H$

True

$(A)^+ = [ACD]$

$(AC)^+ = [ACD]$

$(E)^+ = [EAHCD]$



Minimal cover : The objective of Minimal Cover is
4 R. Attribute.
Elimination of Redundant FD (R.FD) / Extra
FD.

Redundant FD (R.FD) is a FD if we Delete that FD
From original FD set (F) then After
Deletion does not effect the Power of
FD Set.

$F: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C]$

Assume

Here $A \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D.

; After Deletion of $A \rightarrow C$ FD from original FD set. then from new FD set

$G: [\underline{A} \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow \underline{C}]$

$(A)^+$ = (ABC)

$A \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D.

$(A)^+ = [\dots C]$

then $A \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D

Minimal Cover: $A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C$



$$F \equiv G$$

[?] F covers G
G covers F

$$F: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C]$$

(i) Let's Assume $A \rightarrow B$ is R.F.D (ii) Let's Assume $B \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D (iii) Assume $A \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D

$$G: [B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C]$$

$$G: [A \rightarrow B, A \rightarrow C]$$

$$G: [A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C]$$

F covers G

G covers F

$$\begin{array}{l} B \rightarrow C \\ A \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

$$\times \begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow B \\ B \rightarrow C \end{array} \quad (A)^+ = (AC)$$

True

$$A \rightarrow C$$

False

$\therefore A \rightarrow B$ is Not R.F.D.

F covers G

G covers F

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow B \\ A \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

True

$$\begin{array}{l} \checkmark A \rightarrow B \quad (A)^+ = (ABC) \\ \times B \rightarrow C \quad (B)^+ = (B) \\ \checkmark A \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

False

$\therefore B \rightarrow C$ is Not R.F.D

F covers G

G covers F

$$\begin{array}{l} A \rightarrow B \\ B \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

True

$$\begin{array}{l} \checkmark A \rightarrow B \quad (A)^+ = (ABC) \\ \checkmark B \rightarrow C \quad (B)^+ = (BC) \\ \checkmark A \rightarrow C \quad (A)^+ = (ABC) \end{array}$$

True

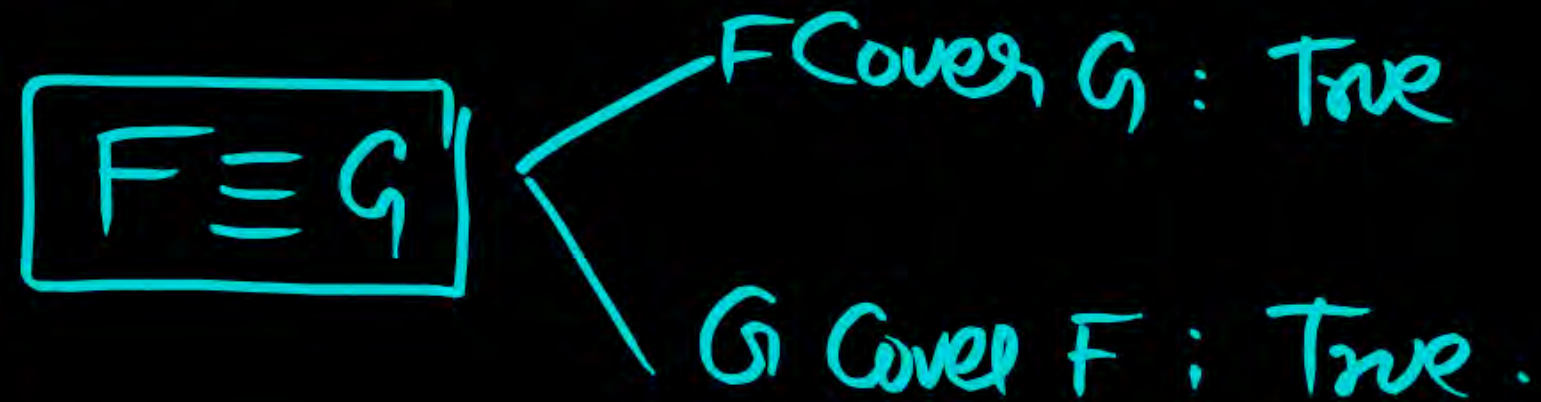
$$F \equiv G$$

$\therefore A \rightarrow C$ is R.F.D

Minimal cover: $A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C$

if FD Set is given & minimal
Cover is given then

How to check ?



Canonical Cover

- Sets of functional dependencies may have redundant dependencies that can be inferred from the others
 - ❖ For example: $A \rightarrow C$ is redundant in: $\{A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, A \rightarrow C\}$

Q.

PW

$AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$ is a minimal cover for the set of functional dependencies $[AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, AB \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C]$

F:

Minimal Cover.

F: $[AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, AB \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C]$

G: $[AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C]$

Check $F \equiv G$?

F Cover G

$\checkmark AB \rightarrow C$
 $\checkmark D \rightarrow E$
 $\checkmark E \rightarrow C$
True

$(AB)^+ = [ABC, E, \dots]$
 $(D)^+ = [DE]$
 $(E)^+ = [EC]$

G Cover F

$\checkmark AB \rightarrow C$
 $\checkmark D \rightarrow E$
 $\times AB \rightarrow E$
 $E \rightarrow C$
 False.

$(AB)^+ = [ABC]$
 $(D)^+ = [DE, C]$
 $(AB)^+ = [ABC]$
 $(E)^+ = [EC]$

FALSE

Q.



Given the following two statements:

S1: Every table with two single-valued attributes is in 1NF, 2NF, 3NF and BCNF.

S2: $AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$ is a minimal cover for the set of functional dependencies $AB \rightarrow C, D \rightarrow E, AB \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow C$.

Which one of the following is CORRECT?

[MCQ: 2014: 2M]

A S1 is TRUE and S2 is FALSE.

B Both S1 and S2 are TRUE.

C S1 is FALSE and S2 is TRUE.

D Both S1 and S2 are FALSE.



**THANK
YOU!**

