

Given Table:

StudentID	StudentName	Course1	Course2	Course3
101	Alice	Math	History	Physics
102	Bob	Physics	NULL	NULL
103	Carol	Chemistry	Biology	NULL

1)

Normalization Issues:

- 1) Repetition of the column in the table for the same kinds of data. This redundancy can cause data inconsistency and storage problems. It violates the 1NF.
- 2) If any student wants to enroll in more than 3 subjects, we need to alter the structure of the table.
- 3) It is difficult to add, update, or remove the courses without altering the table.
- 4) Writing queries to get the data can be challenging
- 5) Hard to aggregate and analyze the data properly

2) Normalized table

STUDENT TABLE:

StudentID	StudentName
101	Alice
102	Bob
103	Carol

Course Table

CourseID	CourseName
1	Math
2	Physics
3	Chemistry
4	History
5	Biology

Enrollment Table

EnrollmentID	StudentID	CourseID
1	101	1
2	101	2
3	101	4
4	102	2
5	103	3
6	103	5

How it solves the normalization problem?

- 1) The given table violates 1NF by adding non-atomic values. We separated the table of courses and students and now it is atomic.
- 2) The Enrollment table has studentID and CourseID foreign keys and has a unique value in each row. So no Duplication.