

Assignment 3

(Question 1)

(a) - $R(ABCD)$

$$\begin{aligned} F &\Rightarrow AB \rightarrow C \\ &\quad CD \rightarrow B \\ &\quad AD \rightarrow B \\ &\quad AC \rightarrow D \end{aligned}$$

$$ABCD^+ = (ABCD)$$

$$ABC^+ = (ABCD)$$

$$\text{s.k. } \leftarrow AB^+ = (ABCD) \rightarrow \text{minimal.}$$

$$A^+ = (A)$$

$$\Rightarrow (AB)^+ \Rightarrow A^+ = (A)$$

$$B^+ = (B)$$

So, (AB) is a c.k.

Prime attributes are = $\{AB\}$

i) Replace B with CD because $(CD \rightarrow B)$ $\begin{matrix} AB \\ \swarrow \searrow \\ CD \end{matrix} \Rightarrow ACD$

$$(ACD)^+ = A^+ = A$$

$$C^+ = C$$

$$D^+ = D$$

$$AC^+ = ACDB$$

$$AD^+ = ADBC$$

$CD^+ = CDB \Rightarrow$ Because of this ACD is not a c.k.

ii) Replace B with AD $(AD \rightarrow B)$ $\begin{matrix} AB \\ \swarrow \searrow \\ AD \end{matrix} \Rightarrow AD$

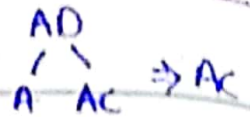
$$AD^+ = \{ADBC\}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^+ = \{A\}$$

$$\Rightarrow D^+ = \{D\}$$

$\therefore AD$ is a c.k.

iii) - Replace D with AC ($AC \rightarrow D$)



$$AC^+ = A^+ \Rightarrow A$$

$$C^+ \Rightarrow C$$

Yes, AC is a C.K

Hence, keys are $\{AC, AD, AB\}$

Q1) (b) - $R(A, B, C, D, E)$

$$F = \{A \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow BD, D \rightarrow A\}$$

$$(ABCDE)^+ = \{ABCDE\} \leftarrow S.K$$

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

$$\cancel{(ABCS)} \neq \cancel{A}$$

$$S.K \Rightarrow AE, CE, DE$$

$$AE^+ = \{ABCDE\}$$

$$CE^+ = \{CBDEA\}$$

$$DE^+ = \{DEACB\}$$

$$C.K \Rightarrow \{AE, DE, CE\}$$

Question No 1 (c):

$R(ABCDE)$

$C \rightarrow AB$

$A \rightarrow E$

$D \rightarrow E$

$B \rightarrow C$

$CD \rightarrow B$

$(ABD)^+ = ABCDE \checkmark$

~~$(AD)^+ = ABCDE$~~ ? } checking proper subsets
of ABD

$(BD)^+ = ABCDE$

$(CD)^+ = ABCDE$ — checking replacements
i.e. ABD

is on right side
of $C \rightarrow AB$, so replace
and check.

Super keys :- ABD, CBD, ACD, BD, CD

∴ keys = BD, CD.

Question no. 2 : Minimal Cover

a) $R(A, B, C, D, E, G)$

$D \rightarrow E$

$ABC \rightarrow BDE$

$B \rightarrow G$

$A \rightarrow C$

$ABC \rightarrow G$

Step 1 : Decomposition !

$D \rightarrow E$ ✓

$ABC \rightarrow B$ X

$ABC \rightarrow D$ ✓

$ABC \rightarrow E$ X

$B \rightarrow G$ ✓

$A \rightarrow C$ ✓

$ABC \rightarrow G$ X

Step 2: Remove Duplication

$D^+ = \{D, E\}$

$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, E, D\}$

$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, E, G\}$

$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, D, E, G\}$

$B^+ = \{B, G\}$

$A^+ = \{A, C\}$

$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, G, D\}$

$D \rightarrow E$

$ABC \rightarrow D$

$B \rightarrow G$

$A \rightarrow C$

~~ABC → G~~

Remove Extraneous Attributes

Step 3: $D \rightarrow E$

$AB \rightarrow D$

$B \rightarrow G$

$A \rightarrow C$

~~ABC → G~~

Step 4: $D \rightarrow E$

$AB \rightarrow D$

$B \rightarrow G$

$A \rightarrow C$

Super Key = ABD, AB

CK = AB

b) $R(A, B, C, D, E, I)$

$A \rightarrow C$

$AB \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow DI$

$CD \rightarrow I$

$EC \rightarrow AB$

$EI \rightarrow C$

①

$A \rightarrow C \checkmark$

$AB \rightarrow C \times$

$C \rightarrow D \checkmark$

$C \rightarrow I \checkmark$

$EC \rightarrow A \checkmark$

$EC \rightarrow B \checkmark$

$EI \rightarrow C \checkmark$

②

$A^+ = \{A\} \checkmark$

$AB^+ = \{A, B, C, D, I\} \times$

$C^+ = \{C, D, I\} \checkmark$

$C^+ = \{C, D\} \checkmark$

$EE^+ = \{E, C, D, I, B\} \checkmark$

$EC^+ = \{E, C, A, I, D\} \checkmark$

$EI^+ = \{E, I\} \checkmark$

③

$A \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow D$

$C \rightarrow I$

$EC \rightarrow A$

$EC \rightarrow B$

$EI \rightarrow C$

④

$A \rightarrow C$

$C \rightarrow DI$

$EC \rightarrow AB$

$EI \rightarrow C$

S-Key = $ACEI, EI, AEI, ECI, AEC, EC$

C-K = EI, EC as $(AB \rightarrow C)$ so check ABE

AE

$ABE^+ = \{ABECDI\}$

check proper subset

c)

$R(A, B, C, D, E, G)$

$ABC \rightarrow CD EG$

$C \rightarrow E$

$A \rightarrow B$

$D \rightarrow G$

So,

$AB^+ = \{ABCD E\}$

S.N $AE^+ = \{AECBD E\}$

$BE^+ = \{BE\}$

AE is also C.N

①

$$ABC = C \quad \times$$

$$ABC = D \quad \checkmark$$

$$ABC = E \quad \times$$

$$ABC = G \quad \times$$

$$C = E \quad \checkmark$$

$$A = B \quad \checkmark$$

$$D = G \quad \checkmark$$

②

$$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C\}$$

$$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, E, G\}$$

$$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, E, G\}$$

$$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, D, E, G\}$$

$$C^+ = \{C, G\}$$

$$A^+ = \{A, G\}$$

$$D^+ = \{D, G\}$$

③

$$ABC \Rightarrow D$$

→

④

$$AC \Rightarrow D$$

$$C \Rightarrow E$$

$$C \Rightarrow E$$

$$A \Rightarrow B$$

$$D \Rightarrow G$$

$$D \Rightarrow G$$

$$A \Rightarrow B$$

④

$$AC \Rightarrow D$$

$$C \Rightarrow E$$

$$D \Rightarrow G$$

$$A \Rightarrow B$$

$$S \text{ keys} = ACD$$

$$C \cdot K = ACD$$

$$So, AC is C.K.$$

$$ABC \neq EGA^+$$

$$ABC^+ = \{A, B, C, D, E, G\}$$

Now check proper subsets

$$AB \neq \{A, B\}$$

$$AC = \{A, C, D, E, G\}$$

$$BC = \{B, C\}$$

Question no. 3 : Equivalent & Non-Equivalent

Question 3:

Q3

$R(A, B, C, D, E, G)$

F_1

F_2

$A \rightarrow C$
 $AB \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow DG$
 $CD \rightarrow G$
 $EC \rightarrow AB$
 $EG \rightarrow C$

$A \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow D$
 $C \rightarrow G$
 $EC \rightarrow A$
 $EC \rightarrow B$
 $EG \rightarrow C$

$(A)^+ = \{A, C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(AB)^+ = \{A, B, C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(C)^+ = \{C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(CD)^+ = \{C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(EC)^+ = \{E, C, A, D, G, B\} \checkmark$
 $(EG)^+ = \{E, G, C, D, A, B\} \checkmark$

$(A)^+ = \{A, C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(C)^+ = \{C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(EC)^+ = \{A, B, E, C, D, G\} \checkmark$
 $(EG)^+ = \{E, G, C, D, A, B\} \checkmark$

Both Functional Dependencies are equivalent
 $F_1 \subseteq F_2$ and $F_2 \subseteq F_1$.

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R(A B C D E I) F2

F1

$A \rightarrow C$
 $AB \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow D$
 $CD \rightarrow I$
 $EI \rightarrow AB$
 $EI \rightarrow C$

$A \rightarrow C$
 $C \rightarrow D$
 $C \rightarrow I$
 $EC \rightarrow A$
 $EC \rightarrow B$
 $EI \rightarrow C$

$(A)^+ = \{A C D I\} \checkmark$
 $(AB)^+ = \{A B C D I\} \times$
 $(C)^+ = \{C D I\} \checkmark$
 $(EC)^+ = \{A C D I B E\}$
 $(EI)^+ = \{E C I A B D\} \checkmark$

$(A)^+ = \{A C D I\} \checkmark$
 $(C)^+ = \{C D I\} \checkmark$
 $(EC)^+ = \{A B E C D I\} \checkmark$
 $(EI)^+ = \{E I C D A B\}$

Functional Dependencies not equivalent
as AB is not present in F2.

$F2 \subseteq F1$ but $F1 \not\subseteq F2$.

Question 4:

1 a:

$R(A, B, C, D, E)$

$F = \{ A \rightarrow B, C, C \rightarrow D, E \rightarrow D, BE \rightarrow A \}$

$R_1(A, E) \quad R_2(A, B, C) \quad R_3(D, E)$

Step 1:

$$R_{12}(ABCE) \cup R_3(DE) = R. \checkmark$$

Step 2:

$$R_{12} \cap R_3 = E \checkmark$$

Step 3:

$(E)^+ = \{E, D\}$ As E is the common attribute and a ^{super}key in R_3 , It is a lossless decomposition.

⑥ $R_1(A, E) \quad R_2(A, B, C) \quad R_3(C, D)$

Step 1:

$$R_{12}(ABCE) \cup R_3(CD) = R$$

Step 2:

$$R_{12} \cap R_3 = C$$

Step 3:

$(C)^+ = \{C, D\}$ As C is the common attribute and a superkey in R_3 , It is a lossless decomposition.

Q2 a $R(A, B, C, D, E)$

$F = \{CD \rightarrow A, BE \rightarrow A, D \rightarrow B\}$

$R_1(A, C, D) \quad R_2(C, D, E) \quad R_3(B, D)$

Step 1:

$R_{12}(A, C, D, E) \cup R_3(B, D) = R$

Step 2:

$R_{12} \cap R_3 = D$

Step 3:

$(D)^+ = \{D, B\}$ As D is the common attribute and a superkey in R_3 , it is a lossless decomposition.

⑥ $R_1(A, C, D) \quad R_2(A, B, E) \quad R_3(B, D)$

Step 1:

$R_{12}(A, B, C, D, E) \cup R_3(B, D) = R$

Step 2:

$R_{12} \cap R_3 = BD$

Step 3:

$(BD)^+ = \{B, D\}$ As BD is the common attribute and a superkey in R_3 , it is a lossless decomposition.

4(a) $R(A B C D)$

① $F = \{AB \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A\}$
 Keys: $\{AB\}, \{BC\}$ and $\{BD\}$.

Step 1: All functional dependencies are in minimal cover

$AB \rightarrow C$ / satisfies all forms.

$C \rightarrow D$ / BCNF violation

$D \rightarrow A$ / BCNF violation.

3rd Normal Form is satisfied.

Decomposition into BCNF:

Move FD that violates BCNF in one relation, and others in the other relation.

$R_1(C, D)$ $R_2(D, A)$ $R_3(B, C)$

Checking Lossless Decomposition:

① $R_1 \cup R_3 = R$. ✓

② $R_1 \cap R_3 = C$ ✓

③ $(C)^+ = \{C, D, A\}$ As C is the common attribute, it is the superkey of R_1 , and hence it is a lossless decomposition.

Checking Preserving Dependency:

① For R_1 : $(C)^+ = \{C, D\}$ $\{C \rightarrow D\} = F_1$

② For R_2 : $(D)^+ = \{D, A\}$ $\{D \rightarrow A\} = F_2$

③ For R_3 : $(B)^+ = \{B\}$ $(C)^+ = \{C\}$ $F_3 = \{\}$

As $F_1 \cup F_2 \cup F_3 \neq F$. It is not Preserving Dependency, $\boxed{AB \rightarrow C}$ is lost.

③ $F = \{ A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow C, C \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A \}$
 Keys: A, B, C, D

All functional Dependencies satisfy minimal cover.

$A \rightarrow B$ / satisfies all forms.		BCNF normal form is the highest normal form achieved.
$B \rightarrow C$ / satisfies all forms		
$C \rightarrow D$ / " " "		
$D \rightarrow A$ / " " "		

Q4(B):

$R(A, B, C, D, E, F)$

FDs = $\{ CD \rightarrow A, BD \rightarrow C, AC \rightarrow B, D \rightarrow E, E \rightarrow F \}$
 Keys: BD and CD .

All functional dependencies satisfy minimal cover.

$CD \rightarrow A$ / Satisfies all normal forms.		Best Normal form is first
$BD \rightarrow C$ / " " " "		
$AC \rightarrow B$ / BCNF violation		
$D \rightarrow E$ / Partial Dependency		
$E \rightarrow F$ / Transitive Dependency		

④ Decomposition of Partial Dependency:

$(D^+) = \{ D, E, F \}$

$R_1(\underline{D}EF) \mid R_2(ABCD)$

$D \rightarrow E$ ✓

$E \rightarrow F$ (T.D)

$CD \rightarrow A$ ✓ Keys: CD and BD

$BD \rightarrow C$ ✓

$AC \rightarrow B$ BCNF violation.

Decomposition of Transitive Dependency:

$$(E)^+ = \{E, F\}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} R_{11}(\underline{E} F) & R_{12}(\underline{D} E) \\ E \rightarrow F \checkmark & D \rightarrow E \checkmark \end{array}$$

③ Decomposition in BCNF:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} R_{21}(\underline{A} CB) & R_{22}(\underline{D} A \underline{C}) \\ A \rightarrow C \checkmark & CD \rightarrow A \checkmark \end{array}$$

Complete list of BCNF schema relations:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R_1(\underline{E} F) & R_{12}(\underline{D} E) & R_3(\underline{A} CB) \\ E \rightarrow F & D \rightarrow E & A \rightarrow C \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} R_4(\underline{A} D \underline{C}) \\ CD \rightarrow A \end{array}$$

It is not preserving dependency, as $BD \rightarrow C$ is lost.

Q4⑥: $R(ABCD)$ $F = \{B \rightarrow D, D \rightarrow A\}$

All f.d.s satisfy minimal cover.

Finding all possible keys:

ABCD Mandatory $(ABCD)^+ = \{ABCD\}$

$$(ABC)^+ = \{ABCD\}$$

$$(BC)^+ = \{ABCD\}$$

$$Key = \{BC\}$$

$B \rightarrow D$ / Partial Dependency

$D \rightarrow A$ / Transitive Dependency.

1) $F = \{ A \rightarrow B, B \rightarrow A \}$ -- A
 Removing Partial Dependency:

$(B)^+ = \{ B, D, A \}$

$R_1 (\underline{B} DA)$

$B \rightarrow D \checkmark$

$D \rightarrow A$ / Transitive

$R_2 (\underline{CB})$

2) Removing Transitive Dependency

$(D)^+ = \{ D, A \}$

$R_{11} (\underline{D}, A)$

$D \rightarrow A \checkmark$

$R_{12} (\underline{BD})$

$B \rightarrow D \checkmark$

List of BCNF schema lists:

$R_1 (\underline{DA})$

$F_1 = \{ D \rightarrow A \}$

$R_2 (\underline{BD})$

$F_2 = \{ B \rightarrow D \}$

$R_3 (\underline{CB})$

$F_3 = \{ \}$

It is preserving Dependency.