

# Information and Database Management Systems I

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## Homework 5

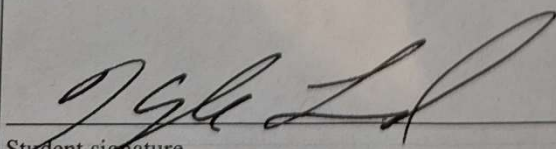
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**Instructions:** Please provide your answers to the questions of the following pages in Word or handwritten on separate sheets of paper. Mark clearly to which question each answer belongs. Then convert or scan your work into PDF (the latter by using either a scanner or a suitable scanner app on your smartphone). Note that *only the PDF format* is allowed and that your submission must be a *single PDF file*. Finally, upload your PDF file into *Canvas* and follow the instructions there.

**Note:** All homework assignments are designed for a period of two, three, or even four weeks (see course deadline sheet). This means they cannot be solved in two or three hours but require a considerable amount of time and effort. Therefore, the first recommendation is to start with them as soon as they are posted. The second recommendation is to distribute the work on a homework assignment over the entire available period. The third recommendation is to submit the homework solutions *on time before the deadline*.

**Pledge** (Must be signed<sup>1</sup> according to the UF Honor Code):

On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment.

  
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<sup>1</sup>Each student is obliged to print out this page, fill in the requested information in a handwritten and readable manner, make the *handwritten signature*, scan this page into PDF, and put this page as the first page of the PDF submission.

Question 1

A) Table is in 1NF

Employees	
<u>EmployeeID</u>	EmployeeName
E01	"John Doe"
E02	"Jane Smith"
E03	"Mike Brown"

Projects		
<u>ProjectID</u>	ProjectName	ProjectDepartment
P01	"Project Alpha"	"IT"
P02	"Project Beta"	"Marketing"
P03	"Project Gamma"	"Development"

EmployeeProjects	
<u>EmployeeID</u>	<u>ProjectID</u>
E01	P01
E01	P03
E02	P02
E03	P02

B) Table is in 2NF

BookPurchases	
Purchase ID	Book ID
001	B01
002	B02
003	B01
004	B03

Books			
BookID	Book Title	Author Name	Release Date
B01	"The Great Gatsby"	"F. Scott Fitzgerald"	1925
B02	"To Kill a Mockingbird"	"Harper Lee"	1960
B03	"1984"	"George Orwell"	1949

C) Table is not normalized

CollectionBooks				
Book	Author	Price	Publisher	Year
"Book A"	"Author X"	20	"Publisher Z"	2020
"Book A"	"Author Y"	20	"Publisher Z"	2020
"Book B"	"Author X"	15	"Publisher Y"	2022
"Book B"	"Author Z"	15	"Publisher Y"	2022
"Book C"	"Author Y"	25	"Publisher Z"	2019
"Book C"	"Author Z"	25	"Publisher Z"	2019

## Question 2

A) R is in 1NF as it has partial dependencies. New tables:

R0(A, C), S0 = {A->C}

R1(B, D), S1 = {B->D}

R2(A, B)

B) R is in 2NF but not 3NF as transitive dependencies. New Tables:

R0(A, B, C, E), S0 = {A->B, AB->C, A->E}

R1(C, D), S1 = {C->D}

C) R is in 2NF and 3NF, but not in BCNF.

D) New tables:

R0(ABCE), S0 = {AB->CE, C->ABE}

R1(DE), S1 = {E->D}

## Question3

A) Lossy

A	B	C	D	E	F
a	b	c1	d1	e	f1
a2	b	c2	d	e	f2
a3	b3	c	d3	e	f
a4	b4	c	d	e4	f
C->E					
A	B	C	D	E	F
a	b	c1	d1	e	f1
a2	b	c2	d	e	f2
a3	b3	c	d3	e	f
a4	b4	c	d	e	f
CF->D					
A	B	C	D	E	F
a	b	c1	d1	e	f1
a2	b	c2	d	e	f2
a3	b3	c	d	e	f
a4	b4	c	d	e	f
EC->A					
A	B	C	D	E	F
a	b	c1	d1	e	f1
a2	b	c2	d	e	f2
a3	b3	c	d	e	f
a3	b4	c	d	e	f
A->B					

A	B	C	D	E	F
a	b	c1	d1	e	f1
a2	b	c2	d	e	f2
a3	b3	c	d	e	f
a3	b3	c	d	e	f

B) Lossless

$R1 \cap R2 = CF$

CF forms a super key.

C) Not dependency preserving, breaks down on  $EC \rightarrow A$

Question 4

A)

Step 1, minimal cover:

$AD \rightarrow E$

$B \rightarrow CD$

$DE \rightarrow AB$

Step 2, Convert to relational schemas:

$R0(ADE)$

$R1(BCD)$

$R2(DEAB)$

Step 3, Check if candidate key is contained in a relation:

Candidate key DE contained in  $R2$

Step 4, Test for containment:

$R0$  is contained in  $R1 + R2$

Step 5, return

$R0(BCD)$

$R1(DEAB)$

B)

$R$  vs  $R_i$ :  $R$  is the original relationship schema, and each  $R_i$  contains a subset of the attributes in  $R$ , while ensuring that no transitive dependencies exist within any of the  $R_i$ 's. Collectively, the  $R_i$ 's represent the decomposed form of  $R$ .

$F$  vs  $F_i$ :  $F$  is the complete set of functional dependencies present in the relational schema  $R$ , and each  $F_i$  represents the subset of functional dependencies that only involve the attributes present in the corresponding  $R_i$ .

C) The new schema in (a) is in BCNF. Both of the relations and their functional dependencies in (a) are in BCNF as there are no transitive dependencies. Because both relations are in BCNF, the relational schema as a whole is in BCNF.

D)

First FD violation:  $B \rightarrow CD$

Decompose:  $R1(BCD)$ ;  $R2(ABE)$

F1 = B->CD

F2 = Empty set

Next iteration:

R1 is BCNF

R2 has no FD's and is therefore BCNF

Final schema:

R1(BCD)

R2(ABE)

E)

R vs Ri: R is the original relationship schema, and each Ri contains a subset of the attributes in R, while ensuring that no transitive dependencies exist within any of the Ri's. Collectively, the Ri's represent the leaf nodes of the recursion tree which represents the decomposed form of R.

F vs Fi: F is the complete set of functional dependencies present in the relational schema R, and each Fi represents the subset of functional dependencies that only involve the attributes present in the corresponding Ri.

Question 5

A) In Department table: foreign key (managerID) references Employee(eID)

B)

```
CREATE TABLE EmployeeProjectsCount (  
    pID int not null,  
    numOfEmployees int not null,  
    primary key (pID)  
    CHECK(numOfEmployees >= 0);
```

C)

```
CREATE OR REPLACE TRIGGER trg_after_employee_project_delete  
AFTER DELETE ON EmployeeProject  
FOR EACH ROW  
BEGIN
```

```
-- Decrement numOfEmployees
```

```
UPDATE EmployeeProjectsCount
```

```
SET numOfEmployees = numOfEmployees - 1
```

```
WHERE pID = :OLD.pID;
```

```
-- Check if numOfEmployees is now 0
```

```
DECLARE
```

```
    remaining_employees NUMBER;
```

```
BEGIN
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```
    SELECT numOfEmployees
```

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    INTO remaining_employees
```

```
FROM EmployeeProjectsCount
WHERE pID = :OLD.pID;

-- If numOfEmployees is 0, update endDate
IF remaining_employees = 0 THEN
    UPDATE Project
    SET endDate = SYSDATE
    WHERE pID = :OLD.pID;
END IF;
END;
END;
```