# **BCNF Normalization (1 of 2)**

Prove: CTD database is in BCNF. A database schema is in BCNF if each relation schema is in BCNF.

## **MANUFACTURER**

Name	Phone	<u>Email</u>
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**FD1**:  $\{Email\} \rightarrow \{Name, Phone\}$ 

∴ Email is a candidate key for MANUFACTURER as it is needed to identify Name, Phone.

**Proof:** Since FD1 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **ORGANIZATION**

Website   Name   Phone   <u>Email</u>
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**FD2**:  $\{Email\} \rightarrow \{Website, Name, Phone\}$ 

∴ Email is a candidate key for ORGANIZATION as it is needed to identify Website, Name, Phone.

**Proof:** Since FD2 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **OPERATOR**

Fname	Minit	Lname	<u>Email</u>
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**FD3:**  $\{Email\} \rightarrow \{Fname, Minit, Lname\}$ 

∴ Email is a candidate key for OPERATOR as it is needed to identify Fname, Minit, Lname.

**Proof:** Since FD3 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **GPS**

Name	Latitude	Longitude

**FD4:** {Latitude, Longitude}  $\rightarrow$  {Name}

: Latitude and Longitude is a candidate key for GPS as it is needed to identify Name.

**Proof:** Since FD4 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **EQUIPMENT**

Produce Register	Name	<u>SKU</u>
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**FD5:**  $\{SKU\} \rightarrow \{Produce, Register, Name\}$ 

∴ SKU is a candidate key for EQUIPMENT as it is needed to identify Produce, Register, Name.

**Proof:** Since FD5 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **BCNF Normalization (2 of 2)**

## **EMPLOY**

Date	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Operator</u>	
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**FD6**:{Organization, Operator}  $\rightarrow$  {Date}

: Organization, Operator is a candidate key for EMPLOY as it is needed to identify Date.

**Proof:** Since FD6 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

## **MEASUREMENT**

Temperature	Transmissivity	Fluorescence	Salinity	Density	Saturation
Pressure	<u>LocateLati</u>	LocateLong	<u>Log</u>	<u>Utilize</u>	<u>Time</u>

**FD7:** {LocateLati, LocateLong, Log, Utilize, Time}

- → {Temperature, Transmissivity, Fluorescence, Salinity, Density, Saturation, Pressure}
- : LocateLati, LocateLong, Log, Utilize, Time is a candidate key for MEASUREMENT as it is needed to identify Temperature, Transmissivity, Fluorescence, Salinity, Density, Saturation, and Pressure.

**Proof:** Since FD7 has the determinant as a candidate key, this relation is in BCNF.

Conclusion: Since all relations are in BCNF, the database CTD is in BCNF.