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Task - 8 - Normalizing database using functional dependencies upto BCNF (Tool: G/ Table normalization tool, ACM, Jigsaw)

Aim: To perform normalization upto BCNF based on given dependencies.

Mobilephone Database:-

Identify Mobile phone attributes: Phone-ID, Mobile-Name, Mobile-Price, Date.

Define relational Schema: Mobile (Phone-ID, Mobile-Name, Mobile-Price, Mobile-Date, Mobile-Price).

Determine functional dependencies (FDs) b/w attributes.  
: Mobile-Name, Phone-ID, Mobile-Price, Mobile-Date.

Convert to 1NF:

No repeating groups or arrays  
All attributes are atomic

This Schema is 1NF

Convert to 2NF:

All primary keys are single column keys.  
So no partial dependencies exist

However we ensure foreign key attributes are managed correctly.

Output:- The Schema is already in 2NF

Convert to 3NF:

Eliminate Transitive dependencies

product-ID  $\rightarrow$  category-ID  $\rightarrow$  category-Name

move category-Name to separate categories mobile-table

User-ID  $\rightarrow$  Name; Email, Address, phone

Already in users table

Phone-ID  $\rightarrow$  User  $\rightarrow$  User details

No redundant, as only user ID is stored in phones

All transitive dependencies removed.

Convert to BCNF:

check if every determinant is candidate key user-ID, product-ID; payment-ID; mobile-Name are all Unique keys for their tables foreign keys like Category-ID; user-ID etc... do not violate BCNF rules.

Using Griffith tool:

input relational schema and functional dependencies  
Griffith tool generates a dependency graph analyze the graph to identify normalization issues.

Apply normalization rules to transform the schema

verify the resulting schema meets BCNF

Griffith tool steps:

Create a new project in Griffith

Define the relational schema and FDS

Run the "Dependency Graph" tool

Analyze the graph for normalization issues Apply transformations using normalize tool.

verify BCNF compliance using "BCNF check" tool.

## Normalized schema:

User (user-ID, Name, email, address)

Categories (category-ID, Name of category)

- Mobile (Phone-ID, Name category-ID, price)

Mobile Details (Phone-ID, Quality, price-P, payment-ID  
total amount)

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Result: Thus, the implementation of normalization database upto BCNF based on given dependencies was expected Successfully.